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(("PRGRSV FOREIGN MINISTRY" 19 JULY STATEMENT "CONDEMNING THE
UNITED STATES AND THE NGUYEN VAN THIEU ADMINISTRATION FOR CREATING
THE PRESENT GRAVE SITUATION IN SOUTH VIETNAM"))

((TEXT)) IN COMPLIANCE WITH ITS UNSWERVING POLICY OF STRICTLY
RESPECTING AND SCRUPULOUSLY IMPLEMENTING THE PARIS AGREEMENT
ON VIETNAM, THE PRGRSV ON 22 MARCH 1974 ADVANCED A SIX-POINT
PROPOSAL AIMED AT ACHIEVING PEACE AND NATIONAL CONCORD IN SOUTH
VIETNAM. THIS SENSIBLE AND REASONABLE PROPOSAL HAS GAINED
THE STRONG SYMPATHY AND SUPPORT OF THE SOUTH VIETNAMESE PEOPLE
OF ALL WALKS OF LIFE AND BROAD SEGMENTS OF WORLD PUBLIC OPINION.
HOWEVER, THE UNITED STATES AND THE NGUYEN VAN THIEU ADMINISTRATION
HAVE NOT ONLY REJECTED THIS VERY CONSTRUCTIVE PROPOSAL OF THE
PRGRSV, BUT HAVE ALSO INCESSANTLY AND EVER MORE INTENSIVELY
AND SERIOUSLY SABOTAGED THE PARIS AGREEMENT ON VIETNAM AND
THE 13 JUNE 1973 JOINT COMMUNIQUE, THUS MAKING THE SITUATION
IN SOUTH VIETNAM BECOME INCREASINGLY TENSE.

DISREGARDING THE PROTEST OF PROGRESSIVE AMERICANS AND MANY U.S. CONGRESSMEN, THE NIXON ADMINISTRATION HAS CONTINUED TO INCREASE ITS MILITARY AND ECONOMIC AID TO THE WARLIKE AND FASCIST NGUYEN VAN THIEU CLIQUE, AND HAS CONTINUED TO ILLEGALLY INTRODUCE ARMAMENTS, MUNITIONS AND WAR MATERIEL INTO SOUTH VIETNAM, WHILE FURTHER INTENSIFYING U.S. DIRECT MILITARY ACTIVITIES IN SOUTH VIETNAM, ACTIVELY PROCEEDING TO THE BUILDING OF BOMB AND AMMUNITION MANUFACTURING FACTORIES IN SOUTH VIETNAM AND USING CIA AIRCRAFT AND F-5E AIRCRAFT ILLEGALLY BROUGHT TO SOUTH VIETNAM AND MANNED BY U.S. PILOTS. PARTICIPATING IN THE SAIGON ARMED FORCES' OPERATIONS, MANY HIGH-RANKING MILITARY AND CIA PERSONALITIES HAVE REPEATEDLY COME TO SOUTH VIETNAM TO DRAFT PLANS AND URGE THE NGUYEN VAN THIEU ADMINISTRATION TO INTENSIFY THE WAR.

WHAT IS ESPECIALLY GRAVE IS THE FACT THAT THE NIXON ADMINISTRATION HAS BRAZENLY DISTORTED THE PARIS AGREEMENT ON VIETNAM, CONSIDERED THIS AGREEMENT A NEW POLITICAL AND LEGAL BASIS FOR A LONG U.S. COMMITMENT TO THE SAIGON ADMINISTRATION, SCHEMED TO LEGALIZE ITS CONTINUED MILITARY INVOLVEMENT AND INTERVENTION IN THE INTERNAL AFFAIRS OF SOUTH VIETNAM AND OPPOSED THE SOUTH VIETNAMESE PEOPLE'S GENUINE RIGHT TO SELF-DETERMINATION.

WHILE ACTIVELY ASSISTING THE NGUYEN VAN THIEU ADMINISTRATION IN ESCALATING THE WAR AND SABOTAGING THE PARIS AGREEMENT, WHILE REJECTING ALL THE PROPOSALS OF THE PRGRSV AS CONCERNS THE PROCEDURES AND FORMALITIES FOR (?GATHERING INFORMATION ON) THE MISSING

MILITARY PERSONNEL OF ALL PARTIES CONCERNED AND THE MISSING FOREIGN CIVILIANS OF ALL PARTIES CONCERNED, AND WHILE CREATING DIFFICULTIES FOR THE NORMAL ACTIVITIES OF THE FOUR-PARTY JMC, THE NIXON ADMINISTRATION HAS MADE A FUSS ABOUT ITS SO-CALLED CONCERN OVER THE DEAD OR MISSING AMERICANS IN VIETNAM, IN AN ATTEMPT TO MISLEAD U.S. PUBLIC OPINION AND CONCEAL ITS VIOLATIONS OF THE AGREEMENT.

ON U.S. ORDERS, THE NGUYEN VAN THIEU ADMINISTRATION HAS CONTINUED TO FURTHER EMBARK ON A VERY DANGEROUS MILITARY ADVENTURE AND TO STUBBORNLY INTENSIFY ITS NIBBLING OPERATIONS IN MANY AREAS CONTROLLED BY THE PRGRSV. WHAT IS ESPECIALLY GRAVE IS THE FACT THAT SINCE MID-MAY 1974, THE NGUYEN VAN THIEU ADMINISTRATION HAS DEPLOYED A LARGE INFANTRY FORCE, COMPOSED OF THREE DIVISIONS--THE 5TH, 18TH AND 25TH DIVISIONS--AND MANY RANGER AND ARMORED UNITS TO CONDUCT NIBBLING OPERATIONS IN AREAS AROUND THE BEN CAT DISTRICT CAPITAL IN THU DAU MOT PROVINCE. TO SUPPORT THESE OPERATIONS, THE NGUYEN VAN THIEU ADMINISTRATION HAS DAILY CONDUCTED 50 OR 60 BOMBING AND STRAFING SORTIES AND HAS IN ONE DAY FIRED MORE THAN 20,000 ARTILLERY SHELLS ON THE AFOREMENTIONED AREAS. THE NGUYEN VAN THIEU ADMINISTRATION HAS ALSO INTENSIFIED DESTRUCTIVE BOMBINGS AND SHELLINGS WITH VARIOUS TYPES OF BOMBS AND AMMUNITION, INCLUDING 7-TON BOMBS, FRAGMENTATION BOMBS AND TOXIC CHEMICALS, AGAINST MANY DENSELY-POPULATED AREAS; AND SENT COMMANDOS TO ATTACK THE PRGRSV-CONTROLLED ZONE--THUS COMMITTING MANY NEW CRIMES AGAINST THE PEOPLE. MORE 190302
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AGAINST THE PEOPLE.

I ((TEXT)) IN AREAS UNDER ITS CONTROL, THE NGUYEN VAN THIEU
ADMINISTRATION HAS STEPPED UP ITS POLICE AND PACIFICATION
OPERATIONS, SAVAGELY MASSACRING, OPPRESSING AND PILLAGING THE
PEOPLE, BULLDOZING OUT OF EXISTENCE HUNDREDS OF HAMLETS AND VILLAGES,
FRANTICALLY HERDING AND PRESSGANGING PEOPLE, DEMOLISHING PAGODAS
AND KILLING EVEN MONKS AND NUNS. IT HAS UNCEASINGLY PERSECUTED,
TORTURED AND MALTREATED THOSE WHO HAVE STRUGGLED FOR PEACE AND
NATIONAL RECONCILIATION AND CONCORD, AND HAS STRIVEN TO REPRESS
THE OPPOSITION FORCES, RELIGIOUS CIRCLES AND EVEN THOSE IN ITS
RANKS WHO DO NOT SIDE WITH IT.

AS A RESULT OF THE NGUYEN VAN THIEU CLIQUE'S POLICY OF WAR,
OPPRESSION AND EXPLOITATION, THE LIFE OF THE PEOPLE IN AREAS
UNDER ITS CONTROL HAS BECOME INCREASINGLY MISERABLE.

REGARDING THE NEGOTIATIONS BETWEEN THE TWO SOUTH VIETNAMESE
PARTIES, AFTER UNILATERALLY AND INDEFINITELY SUSPENDING THE
SESSIONS OF THE LA CELLE SAINT-CLOUD CONFERENCE, THE NGUYEN
VAN THIEU ADMINISTRATION HAS SABOTAGED THE SESSIONS OF THE JMC
ORGANS AND REFUSED TO PLEDGE RESPECT FOR AND IMPLEMENTATION
OF THE PRIVILEGES AND IMMUNITIES OF THESE ORGANS, THUS COMPLETELY
PARALYZING THESE NEGOTIATIONS.

OBVIOUSLY, THE PRESENT SERIOUS SITUATION IN SOUTH VIETNAM
IS DUE TO THE FACT THAT THE UNITED STATES AND THE NGUYEN VAN THIEU
ADMINISTRATION HAVE CONTINUED THE WAR AND SABOTAGED THE
NEGOTIATIONS AND THE PARIS AGREEMENT ON VIETNAM.

ALL SLANDEROUS ALLEGATIONS BY THE UNITED STATES AND THE SAIGON ADMINISTRATION AGAINST THE PRGRSV AND THE DRV GOVERNMENT, AS WEPL AS THE SAIGON ADMINISTRATION'S CLAMOR ABOUT THE SO-CALLED DESIRE FOR A CEASE-FIRE, GENERAL ELECTIONS, NORTH-SOUTH RELATIONS, AND RESUMPTION OF NEGOTIATIONS ARE ONLY TRICKY AND RIDICULOUS MOVES TO DECEIVE PUBLIC OPINION AND COVER UP THEIR ACTS OF CONTINUING THE WAR AND SABOTAGING THE PARIS AGREEMENT ON VIETNAM.

THE PRGRSV RESOLUTELY REJECTS THRESE DISTORTING AND SLANDEROUS ALLEGATIONS OF THE NIXON ADMINISTRATION AND THE NGUYEN VAN THIEU CLIQUE, VEHEMENTLY DENOUNCES AND SEVERELY CONDEMNS THEIR ACTS OF INTENSIFYING THE WAR AND SABOTAGING THE NEGOTIATIONS, RESOLUTELY DEMANDS THAT THE UNITED STATES END ITS MILITARY INVOLVEMENT AND ITS INTERFERENCE IN THE INTERNAL AFFAIRS OF SOUTH VIETNAM, AND DEMANDS THAT THE NGUYEN VAN THIEU ADMINISTRATION END ALL ITS ACTS OF WAR AND ITS SABOTAGE OF THE NEGOTIATIONS AND RESPOND TO THE MINIMUM (CTOOIS THIEEUR)), JUST, AND VERY NECESSARY DEMANDS WHICH THE PRGRSV ADVANCED ON 22 MARCH 1974, SO THAT THE NEGOTIATIONS BETWEEN THE TWO SOUTH VIETNAMESE PARTIES C N BE RESUMED AND QUICKLY PROGRESS, WITH A VIEW TO CORRECTLY SETTLING THE INTERNAL AFFAIRS OF SOUTH VIETNAM AND INSURING SCRUPULOUS IMPLEMENTATION OF THE PARIS AGREEMENT ON VIETNAM AND THE JOINT COMMUNIQUE OF 13 JUNE 1973.

IF THE UNITED STATES AND THE NGUYEN VAN THIEU ADMINISTRATION STUBBORNLY CONTINUE THE WAR AND THEIR SABOTAGE OF THE NEGOTIATIONS, THEY WILL SURELY BE STRONGLY RESISTED BY THE SOUTH VIETNAMESE ARMED FORCES AND PEOPLE AND WILL SURELY BE UNABLE TO AVOID EVEN MORE SERIOUS SETBACKS.

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