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RVN SPOKESMAN RULES OUT NEGOTIATIONS WITH COMMUNISTS

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[Text] The spokesman for the RVN Government has reaffirmed that there is absolutely no question of secret negotiations with the communists. The spokesman also denied the rumor that two high-ranking RVN officials had left Saigon Sunday for Indonesia to seek talks with the North Vietnamese communists. The spokesman for the RVN Government stated [words indistinct] absolutely groundless. He stated that Lt Gen Dang Van Quang, President Nguyen Van Thieu's special assistant for military and national security affairs had gone to Indonesia Sunday for private reasons. Concerning the second personality, roving Ambassador Bui Diem, who was also the target of this rumor, the spokesman stated that if this ambassador did go to Indonesia, this would only be within the framework of his normal activities.