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MINISTER NGUYEN THI BINH DEPARTS ON VISIT TO PRC

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[Text] At the invitation of PRC Foreign Minister Chi Peng-fei, PRGRSV Foreign Minister Mrs Nguyen Thi Binh on 27 December left for an official visit to the PRC.

The Chinese people will for ever follow Chairman Mao's teachings and give unfailing support and assistance to the just struggle of the Vietnamese people so long as U.S. imperialism does not stop its aggression. The Chinese people will perform their internationalist duty by giving all-out support and assistance to the Vietnamese and other Indochinese peoples in their war against U.S. aggression and for national salvation until complete victory is won. The Chinese people will always unite together, fight together and win victory together with the Vietnamese and the other Indochinese peoples!

Long live victories for the Vietnamese and the other Indochinese peoples in their war against U.S. aggression and for national salvation!

Long live the great friendship and militant unity of the peoples of China and Vietnam!

Nguyen Thi Binh Rally Address

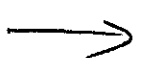
[Editorial Report B] Peking Domestic Service in Mandarin at 0804 GMT on 29 December continued its reportage of the rally at Tienanmen Square with the address made by Nguyen Thi Binh, minister of foreign affairs of the Provisional Revolutionary Government of the Republic of South Vietnam.

After hailing the international significance of the PRG's great achievements in both revolution and construction, giving thanks for China's support for the Vietnamese people's 9-year war against French colonialism, condemning the U.S. for occupying the Chinese territory of Taiwan Province, recounting U.S. aggression against Vietnam in the past several years, and describing the defeats of U.S. aggressors and the excellent situation in Vietnam, Nguyen Thi Binh pointed out that, in addition to creating side issues to undermine the agreement on ending the war and restoring peace in Vietnam, the U.S. has recently renewed barbarous bombings against North Vietnam in an attempt to achieve military victory and continues its involvement in Vietnam. She added: "Their promise of ending the war is a complete and cunning hoax." Nguyen Thi Binh said: "They will not gain at the conference table what they have failed to obtain on the battlefield."

Touching on the North Vietnamese people's victory, Mme Binh said: "In a period of 10 days, 72 modern U.S. airplanes were downed, including 31 B-52 aircraft and five F-111 planes." She pointed out: "The Vietnamese people demand that the war of aggression against Vietnam be ended by the U.S. Government and that the U.S. cease promoting its 'Vietnamization' policy, immediately stop its most ruthless destructive bombing against North Vietnam, end U.S. involvement in South Vietnam, cease supporting the puppet regime of Nguyen Van Thieu, and sign the agreement reached by both sides on 20 October 1972 without further delay."

After praising the vigorous support provided by China and other fraternal countries, Mme Binh said that "one of the insidious plots of U.S. imperialism is to create a split between the Vietnamese and the Chinese people and between the Vietnamese people and the people of fraternal countries. But this plot can never succeed."

Nguyen Thi Binh ended her speech by hailing the firm support of the Chinese Government and people for the just stand of Vietnam in settling the Vietnam question.



DRV-PRC AID PROTOCOL, GOODS, PAYMENTS AGREEMENT SIGNED

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[Text] Peking, December 27, 1972 (HSINHUA)--A mutual supply of goods and payments agreement for 1973 between the Governments of the People's Republic of China and the Democratic Republic of Vietnam was signed here today.

Vice-Premier Li Hsien-nien was present at the signing ceremony. Li Chiang, vice-minister of foreign trade of China, and Ly Ban, vice-minister of foreign trade of the DRV signed the agreement on behalf of their respective governments.

A protocol on China supplying Vietnam with general goods in 1973 and a protocol on China providing Vietnam with aid in the form of complete projects were also signed between the two governments today in accordance with the agreement signed on November 26, 1972 on China's economic and military materials assistance to Vietnam in 1973.

Signing the two protocols were Chinese Vice-Minister of Foreign Trade Li Chiang and Chinese Vice-Minister of Economic Relations With Foreign Countries Han Tsung-cheng respectively, and Vice-Minister of Foreign Trade of the DRV Ly Ban.

Attending the signing ceremony on the Vietnamese side were Ngo Thuyen, DRV ambassador to China; Nguyen Van Quang, Ambassador of the Republic of South Vietnam to China; and Dinh Van Tram, Nguyen Huu Le, Nguyen Tien, Le Quang Tuong and Nguyen Dong.

Attending the signing ceremony on the Chinese side were leading members of Chinese departments Liang Feng, Wei Yu-ming, Wang Pin, Li Hsien, Yang Jung-chieh, Chang Hsueh-te and Chang Hsing-chiao.

Before the signing ceremony, Vice-Premier Li Hsien-nien had a cordial and friendly conversation with the Vietnamese comrades.

NONA CORRESPONDENT TELLS OF HANOI DOWNING OF B-52

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[Text] Hanoi, December 28, 1972 (HSINHUA)--The armed forces and people of Hanoi shot down four U.S. B-52 planes and captured many U.S. pilots on the night of December 27 as U.S. imperialism continued to send many B-52's to conduct wanton air raids against the Vietnamese capital, according to initial reports published here.

Meanwhile, the air force units of the Vietnamese People's Army, in coordination with the armed forces and people of Hanoi, brought down one U.S. B-52 while intercepting the invading U.S. aircraft over Hoa Binh Province.

During the night, HSINHUA correspondent witnessed the downing of a U.S. B-52 bomber by the fierce antiaircraft fire in Hanoi. The B-52 exploded in mid-air after being hit, and hurtled down the ground like a fireball, setting the sky over Hanoi ablaze. The wreckage kept burning for more than an hour. Many citizens cheered in the direction of the burning plane.

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