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ACTION: Secstate WASHINGTON TOAID 2217

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REF: (A) TOAID 2150; (B) AIDTO A-2559.

SUBJECT: COUNTERINSURGENCY STATUS REPORTING

Ref A crossed Ref B. No reply received to Ref A. ~~However, suspect~~
If Nestle IDY still being considered he could assist in clarifying
~~mission's status in Vietnam and clarify~~ several aspects
proposed reporting. Mission has questions/ reservations on proposed
report content and ~~form~~ form eg: PL480 Title I ~~and~~ and III and Commercial
Imports not counterinsurgency; serious question as to feasibility of
providing all requested data; ~~also~~ inability establish meaningful
numerical goals for some items; also lead time required secure much
data which available only through GVN, assuming its cooperation. In
light of foregoing, propose defer certain portions of initial report
until questions resolved and/or arrival ~~of~~ Nestle, unless advised
contrary.

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