

MEMORANDUM re : PROJECT FOR REGROUPING MISLEAD RESISTANTS --

Speech by Minister of Civic Action

Re Parts I & II

Parts I and II are excellent statements of purposes, and much of their content might well be lifted directly for use in efforts, propaganda efforts. These/of course, should be directed at ~~mislead~~ GVN forces, at the civilian population, and at the Vietcong. Part II will be especially valuable as source material for statements aimed at all three target groups. There is, however, one apparent typographical error where, speaking of the six VC errors in strategy and tactics, the first is described as their claim that "The south has become a true nation..." This perhaps should have read that "The north has become..." heavily, on the

Re Part III

The meaning of paragraphs 3 & 4, Part III, is not entirely clear. ^{is not needed for} If it is intended to say that a definite policy toward those in classes 4 & 5, that is those who were forced by the VC, or joined them as an escape? It is probably true that a great majority of those who now surrender are of the type described in paragraph 4, but those who now surrender are an infinitesimally small ~~part~~ proportion of those whose rallying is desired. In fact, a large number of rallyees of groups 3,4, & 5 could, if properly handled, provide the basis for making the whole program a major success. It could well be ~~said~~ that the treatment of class 4 & 5 rallyees will dictate the success or failure of the program.

Paragraph 7, in saying that every people's organization must be instructed on how to treat the rallyees, is good, but perhaps ~~should be expanded for emphasis~~ should be expanded for emphasis. It seems probably desirable to mention specifically the armed forces ~~at~~

7th date