

C O N F E R E N C E

October 26 and 27, 1959

SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT AND WELFARE IN VIETNAM

Possible Agenda - Second Draft

Friday, October 26, 1959

9:00 a.m.      Keynote and Welcome

9:30 a. m.      Plenary Session

1. The Consequences of Partition (30 minutes)
2. Problems of Democratic Growth in Free Vietnam (30 minutes)

12:30 p. m.      Luncheon Session

"U. S. Economic Policy and Asia's Quest for Justice"

2:30 p. m.      Working Sessions

A. Minorities and Resettlement

1. The resettlement of refugees
  2. Opening of new lands and villages
  3. Treatment of minority groups
- } 15-20 minute papers followed by 5-minute commentaries and open discussion

B. Social Administration

1. Public and private education
  2. Public health and nutrition
  3. Reorganization, modernization, and training in public and police administration
- } Same pattern as A.

Saturday, October 27, 1959

10:00 a. m. Working Sessions

C. Land Tenure and Credit

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| <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Land reform (including land re-distribution), tenancy reform, and reclamation of old lands</li> <li>2. The establishment of cooperatives</li> <li>3. The growth of agricultural credit</li> </ol> | } | Same pattern as A. |
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D. Implications of Industrial Growth

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| <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. The development and growth of trade unionism</li> <li>2. The rise and development of an entrepreneurial class</li> <li>3. The changing status of women</li> <li>4. Social Welfare Legislation</li> </ol> | } | Same pattern as A. |
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12:30 p. m. Summary and Adjournment

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