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NFSLV SUPPORTS CAMBODIAN ANTI-U.S. STATEMENT

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[1 September statement of the South Vietnam National Liberation Front Central Committee Presidium supporting the Royal Cambodian Government's 29 August 1967 statement on the U.S. scheme to extend the war of aggression to Cambodia]

[Summary] Recently, the U.S. imperialists and their lackeys have intensified their slanderous propaganda aimed at impairing the neutrality of the Royal Kingdom of Cambodia. They have claimed that South Vietnamese Liberation Armed Forces have used the port of Sihanoukville to unload weapons and have moved these weapons through Cambodian territory, that the Liberation Armed Forces have used the Sihanouk Trail to move supplies, and so forth. On 29 August 1967, the Royal Cambodian Government issued a statement denouncing the U.S. imperialists' scheme to extend their war of aggression to Cambodia. The statement said that on 24 August, U.S. and South Vietnamese troops launched many attacks against Cambodian border guard units and that the Royal Cambodian army units courageously repulsed these savage piratical attacks.

Everyone knows that the U.S. imperialists have nourished ambitions to establish their domination not over Vietnam alone, but also over the Indochinese peninsula. Yet, the 1.2 million U.S., puppet, and satellite troops are seriously bogged down in the quagmire of defeat and stalemate in the face of the continuous attacks of the South Vietnamese Liberation Armed Forces. The U.S. imperialists think that by sabotaging the neutrality of the Royal Kingdom of Cambodia and threatening to extend their war of aggression to Cambodian territory they can extricate themselves from their stalemate on the southern battlefield. This is an illusion and a mad ambition. The U.S. imperialists' hope of shaking the Vietnamese people's determination by taking war escalation steps and barbarously massacring ordinary people in both parts of Vietnam is also an illusion and mad ambition.

The NFSLV fully sympathizes with and supports the 29 August statement of the Royal Cambodian Government, draws the attention of international public opinion to the U.S. imperialists' mad designs to extend their war of aggression to neutral and peaceful Cambodia, and warmly acclaims the vigilance and determination of the Cambodian Government and people to protect their national sovereignty, independence, territorial integrity, and neutrality.

Once again, the South Vietnamese people and Liberation Armed Forces assert their complete respect for the sovereignty, independence, territorial integrity, and neutrality of the Royal Kingdom of Cambodia. The South Vietnamese people and Liberation Armed Forces pledge to side with the Cambodian people, tighten the solidarity between the two fraternal peoples, and smash all aggressive designs of the U.S. imperialists in order to achieve independence, freedom, and peace on the Indochinese peninsula and in Southeast Asia. All of the U.S. imperialists' designs to expand their war of aggression will only meet with disastrous defeat.

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NFLSV PROGRAM PRAISED IN CABLE FROM HUNGARY

Budapest MTI International Service in English 0707 GMT 13 Sep 67 L

[Text] In a cable to the South Vietnamese National Liberation Front, the Presidium of the Hungarian Peace Council stresses: "We learned with pleasure and satisfaction of the new program adopted at your latest congress, embodying the wisdom and deep responsibility felt by the NFLSV for the present and future of its people. This is an excellent program rallying the overwhelming majority of the people in expelling the American aggressors and their satellites, in creating a free, independent, and neutral South Vietnam, and later a united Vietnam.

"By this program, the NFLSV has not only done an invaluable service to its people but has also made a great contribution to the worldwide struggles against international imperialism and neocolonialism, for peace and democracy."

The cable of the Hungarian Peace Council expresses in conclusion the conviction that the Vietnamese people's just cause shall triumph.

TROOPS KILLED, HIGHWAY 4 CUT IN CAN THO

Hanoi VNA International Service in English 0604 GMT 4 Sep 67 B

[Text] Hanoi--The Liberation Armed Forces in Can Tho Province before dawn 27 August attacked with big guns many U.S. and puppet positions and the logistics area and office of the puppet administration in the provincial capital, causing heavy losses to the enemy.

According to first reports by LIBERATION PRESS AGENCY, the LAF's shells hit the enemy positions with pinpoint accuracy, killing or wounding more than 200 GI's and puppet troops.

Also in Can Tho, guerrillas in Phung Hiep district early in the morning of 29 August blew up a 100-meter bridge on Highway 4 close to the district capital, cutting off the enemy traffic on the road linking Can Tho to Soc Trang for several days.

LAF ATTACKS IN THREE PROVINCES HAILED

Hanoi VNA International Service in English 1659 GMT 7 Sep 67 B

[Text] Hanoi--The Liberation Armed Forces in Quang Ngai Province on the night of 29-30 August attacked five enemy positions in and around the provincial capital, including four military sectors and subsectors, killing or wounding hundreds of enemy troops, among them 50 G.I.'s, according to LIBERATION PRESS AGENCY.

The LAF also blew up three bridges and overran a jail and a reeducation center, liberating more than 1,300 detainees.

These attacks have greatly bewildered the enemy. As a result, many puppet administrative organs have disintegrated.

In Phu Yen Province, late on the night of 30 August, the LAF slammed mortar fire on the Song Cau district capital and at the same time mounted a surprise attack on the position of Company Three of puppet regular Regiment 47, west of Tuy Hoa provincial capital. The enemy suffered heavy casualties, and many fortifications and barracks were destroyed by the people's forces.