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PRG DENOUNCES U.S. 'AGGRESSION' IN CAMBODIA

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[Text] Hanoi, May 12 (HSINHUA)--The Foreign Ministry of the Provisional Revolutionary Government of the Republic of South Vietnam in a statement issued yesterday vehemently denounced U.S. imperialism and its Saigon puppets for stepping up their criminal war of aggression against Cambodia, according to the South Vietnam GIAI PHONG PRESS AGENCY.

The statement pointed out that U.S. imperialism and the Saigon puppet regime have sent over 100 warships up the Mekong River into Cambodia with the intention of occupying Phnom Penh, her capital. Moreover, U.S. imperialism also sent tens of thousands of troops to invade the Cambodian territory on a large scale and to launch several "mopping-up" operations. They also plotted to land troops at Cambodian coast in near future. This is an extremely grave act taken by U.S. imperialism and its lackeys.

The statement said that the R.S.V.N. Provisional Revolutionary Government demands that the United States put an end to its war of aggression in South Vietnam, Cambodia, and Laos, withdraw rapidly and unconditionally all the U.S. troops from Indochina and let the people of each country in Indochina settle their own affairs without foreign interference.

It said that the South Vietnamese people firmly believe that the fraternal Khmer people, under the clear-sighted leadership of the National United Front of Kampuchea and Head of State Samdech Norodom Sihanouk, will certainly drive the U.S. aggressor troops out of their territory. However brutal their war acts may be, the U.S. imperialists can in no way save the Lon Nol-Sirik Matak clique from total collapse.

It added that the South Vietnamese people, responding to the joint declaration of the summit conference of the Indochinese peoples, pledge to stand shoulder to shoulder with the brotherly peoples of Cambodia and Laos and deal due punishing blows at the U.S. imperialists and their henchmen, with the determination to defeat the policy of stepping up aggression and spreading war of the U.S. imperialists.