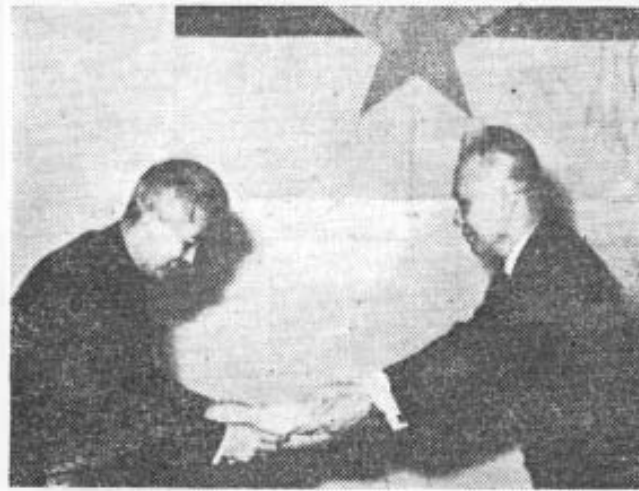


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...“ In the past our two peoples of Kampuchea and Viet Nam fought side by side against various colonialists, our common enemies, for the independence of our respective countries. At present in their confrontation with US imperialism they have seen their ties of friendship and solidarity even more strengthened. The Vietnamese people have with their undauntedness commanded the admiration and respect of everybody including the enemy. The people of Kampuchea greatly rejoiced at the great victories won by their Vietnamese comrades-in-arms, victories which were embodied in the Paris Agreement and which compelled the US imperialists to withdraw from Viet Nam for ever to leave the Vietnamese people to exercise their right to self-determination. The people of Kampuchea take note with great satisfaction of the strict implementation of that Agreement by Viet Nam and demand that the imperialists and their lackeys do the same.

Battered in Viet Nam and in Laos, the US imperialists are now focussing their attacks on Cambodia. But the Cambodian people, united as a single man under the victorious banner of the NUKK and RGNUK and supported by all peace- and justice-loving peoples all over the world, including the Vietnamese, Lao, Chinese people, etc. are frustrating all crafty manoeuvres of the aggressors.. ”

Chairman Nguyen Huu Tho

...“ The South Vietnamese and Cambodian peoples are not only neighbours but also very close comrades-in-arms in the united front of Indochinese peoples against the aggression by US imperialism. The Vietnamese people regard as their own all victories of the brotherly Cambodian and Lao peoples which likewise hail ours as theirs. It is in this spirit that we Vietnamese greatly rejoice at the major advances of the Cambodian people's fight against US aggression for national salvation under the clear-sighted leadership of the National United Front of Kampuchea headed by its Samdech Head of State Norodom Sihanouk, and the Cambodian Royal Government of National Union under Samdech Prime Minister Penn Nouth and His Excellency Deputy Prime Minister Khieu Samphan.

Although peace agreements on Viet Nam and Laos have been signed, the USA and its valets in Saigon and Vientiane have been violating them and sabotaging peace and national concord in South Viet Nam and Laos, while the Nixon administration has been stepping up its aggression in Cambodia to a more savage level than ever. Such behaviour is indicative of the enemy's predicament and eventual doom.

Faithful to the Joint Declaration of the Summit Conference of the Indochinese Peoples, the South Vietnamese people, together with the rest of the Vietnamese people pledge staunch support to the just struggle of the Cambodian people and to the 5-point Proclamation of Samdech Norodom Sihanouk on the settlement of the Cambodian problem. The strength of the unity of the three Indochinese peoples certainly vouches for our total victory...”