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## FOREIGN MINISTRY SPOKESMAN'S STATEMENT

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Hanoi VNA Sept. 26.- A Spokesman for the Foreign Ministry of the Socialist Republic of Viet Nam today issued the following statement :

"Since early this year, due to the Chinese rulers' policy of aggression and expansion against the Socialist Republic of Viet Nam and the other countries on the Indochinese peninsula, the situation in Southeast Asia has always remained tense, and peace and stability in the region have been seriously jeopardized.

"The reactionaries among the Peking ruling circles, in collusion with the U.S. imperialists, are feverishly stepping up their preparations for a new invasion against the Socialist Republic of Viet Nam. They are also continuing to threaten Laos and doing their best to beef up the Pol Pot-Ieng Sary clique, using this political corpse to restore the genocidal regime of their lackeys in Kampuchea. To cover up and justify their criminal criminal acts and schemes, they have tried their utmost to distort the situation, slander Viet Nam, and sow hostility and discord between Southeast Asian countries and Viet Nam and the other Indochinese countries. What is regrettable is that a number of responsible people in ASEAN countries have, by words and by deeds, chimed in with the reactionaries among the Peking ruling circles in slandering the Vietnamese people, distorting the Socialist Republic of Viet Nam's foreign policy of peace, and grossly interfering in the Indochinese countries' internal affairs.

It is common knowledge that the fall of the genocidal Pol Pot-Ieng Sary regime, Peking's henchmen, and the coming into being of the People's Republic of Kampuchea with its foreign policy of peace and non-alignment have constituted a factor for maintaining peace and stability in Southeast Asia. It is the

reactionaries among the Peking leadership and nobody else, who are threatening peace and stability in this region.

The Vietnamese people, strengthening their solidarity with the fraternal peoples of Kampuchea and Laos, are resolved to shatter all schemes and acts of aggression and expansion of the reactionary Peking ruling circles, and will do their best to restore and maintain peace and stability in Southeast Asia and the rest of the world.

The Foreign Ministry of the Socialist Republic of Viet Nam once again affirms Vietnam's persistent policy of consolidating and developing good neighbourly relations of peace friendship and cooperation with the Southeast Asian countries in the spirit and on the principle of the U.N. Charter ; it will fully implement all commitments mentioned in the joint statements signed between Premier Pham Van Dong and the Government leaders of the Southeast Asian countries and hopes that the Southeast Asian countries will do the same.

The Vietnamese people firmly believe that all attempts and tricks of the reactionaries among the Peking leadership to sow discord among the Southeast Asian peoples and sabotage peace and stability in this region will certainly fail ./.

#### FOREIGN MINISTRY STATEMENT

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Hanoi VNA Sept 27.- The following statement was released by the Foreign Ministry here today :

" While frantically preparing for a new war of aggression against the Socialist Republic of Viet Nam, the reactionary clique in the Peking leadership on Sept. 26 arrogantly claimed sovereignty over the Vietnamese archipelagoes of Hoang Sa and Truong Sa.

The Foreign Ministry of the Socialist Republic of Viet Nam completely rejects this statements of the Chinese Foreign Ministry, and reaffirms that what are called Nansha and Hsisha by China are precisely Viet Nam's Hoang Sa and Truong Sa, and that what is called Kalayaan by the Philippines is precisely Viet Nam's Truong Sa.

The archipelagoes of Hoang Sa and Truong Sa have been Vietnamese territories for many centuries. The Sociaslit

Republic of Viet Nam Government has indisputable sovereignty over Hoang Sa and Truong Sa and has for long exercised this right towards these archipelagoes.

Any activities by any foreign countries to occupy, to try to occupy, explore, survey and exploit Hoang Sa and Truong Sa and any unilateral regulations by such countries for these archipelagoes and for their contiguous sea, as defined in the statement made public by the Socialist Republic of Viet Nam Government on May 12, 1977 will be illegal./.

**KAMPUCHEAN FOREIGN MINISTRY'S STATEMENT  
ON REPRESENTATION AT UNITED NATIONS**

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Hanoi VNA Sept. 25.- The Foreign Ministry of the People's Republic of Kampuchea yesterday made public the following statement.

On Sept. 21 the U.N. General Assembly adopted a resolution allowing the Pol Pot clique to occupy Kampuchea's seat at this organization. The Foreign Ministry of the People's Republic of Kampuchea now declares the view of the Kampuchean Government on Kampuchea's Representation at the United Nations :

1/ The so called " Democratic Kampuchea'', was a genocidal regime, a product of Peking expansionism and a factor of aggression, and destructive to peace and stability in Southeast Asia was overthrown by the Kampuchean people on January 7, 1979. That regime, in fact no longer exists, Pol Pot and Ieng Sary the ring leaders of that genocidal regime, were sentenced to death by the Kampuchean People's Revolutionary tribunal and are on the wanted list. They and their associates are completely unqualified to represent the Kampuchean people at the United Nations and elsewhere.

2/ The People's Republic of Kampuchea, founded after the Kampuchean People's overthrow of the butchers rule by the Pol Pot-Ieng Sary clique and by their Peking bosses, is an independent and sovereign country pursuing a policy of independence and peace, and of friendship and co-operation with all nations. The Kampuchean People's Revolutionary Council, the supreme administrative body of the People's Republic of Kampuchea in effective control of the whole territory of Kampuchea and is handling all domestic and foreign affairs of the country

It is the only authentic and legal representative of Kampuchea and is fully competent to undertake all international commitments by the Kampuchean people and discharge the obligations of U.N. member as stipulated by the U.N. Charter.

The joint effort by the reactionary Peking rulers, the imperialist and other reactionary forces to maintain the political corpse of Democratic Kampuchea at the United Nations only aims at serving their sinister intention : to oppose the Kampuchean People's sacred right to self determination, and to further their policies of aggression, expansion, enslavement, sabotage of peace, national independence and social progress in Indochina and Southeast Asia. All U.N. decisions in line with these designs will run counter not only to reality in Kampuchea and to the Kampuchean people's aspirations and interests but also to justice morality and international law and will harm the prestige of the United Nations. The People's Revolutionary Council of Kampuchea strongly protests against the decision to let the genocidal Pol Pot - Ieng Sary clique have the right to represent the Kampuchean people at the United Nations. Whatever that clique say and do in the name of Kampuchea will be invalid.

4/ The People's Revolutionary Council of Kampuchea expresses its gratitude to the Governments and peoples of the socialist countries, the other peace and justice-loving countries, and all progressive organizations and movements in the world for their sympathy, encouragement assistance, and support to the Kampuchean people's just struggle and for their resolute demand to expel the representative of "Democratic Kampuchea" from the U.N., which conforms to the irresistible course of history. The Representation of Kampuchea at the U.N. must be assumed only by the People's Revolutionary Council of Kampuchea ./. .

#### PAPER EXPOSES NEW HOAX ABOUT KAMPUCHIA

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Hanoi VNA Sept. 26.- Nhan Dan today says that the allegation by reactionary forces about the Kampuchean People's Revolutionary Council's "obstructing humanitarian" aid is just another trick.

The paper notes that radio "Democratic Kampuchea" in China, has repeatedly reported on imaginary "activities" of Pol Pot remnants.

"All this", the paper say, "is aimed at creating the false impression that the ousted Pol Pot-Ieng Sary regime is still in existence, to legalize aid to remnants of the Pol Pot army now in a desperate, and to set the scene for a 'political solution' to the Kampuchean issue".

After denouncing the Pol Pot-Ieng Sary clique. Henchmen of Peking, for killing three million Kampuchians, destroying the social and economic structure of Kampuchea, the paper says:

"Only the People's Revolutionary Council of Kampuchea which is in control of the whole country and is caring for the people's life, may represent the Kampuchean people in receiving international aid and in distributing such aid to the people".

"The People's Revolutionary Council of Kampuchea has declared that it is ready to accept aid from any countries and any international organizations, without any political strings attached, the Council has in fact many times received international aid in Phnom Penh and has promptly distributed it to the people. By distorting this fact the imperialists and international reaction have only further revealed their scheme of intervention in Kampuchean and at reviving the political corpse of the defunct Pol Pot-Ieng Sary regime," Nhan Dan stresses./.

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