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TO WHITE HOUSE (ATTN: MR ARTHUR MCCAFFERTY)
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VICE PRESIDENT KY EXPRESSES OPINIONS ON CONDUCT OF BOMB
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AT 1000 ((HOURS)), 26 OCTOBER, [redacted] 1.4(c)
[redacted] PAID A VISIT ON VICE-PRESIDENT KY
AT THE INDEPENDENCE PALACE, AND VICE PRESIDENT KY EXPRESSED
THE FOLLOWING OPINIONS, FROM HIS POSITION, ON THE RECENT
SITUATION.

- A. THERE CANNOT BE AN UNCONDITIONAL CESSATION OF BOMBING OF THE NORTH.
- B. ALTHOUGH THE U. S. WANTS A BOMBING HALT IN THE INTEREST OF THE NUMBER OF VOTES FOR VICE PRESIDENT HUMPHREY, IT IS IMPOSSIBLE WITHOUT THE CONCURRENCE OF THE VIETNAMESE GOVERNMENT, AND THERE CANNOT BE THE RUINATION OF [redacted] PERSON FOR THE SAKE OF ONE PERSON, VICE PRESIDENT HUMPHREY. 1.4(c)
- C. IF THE U. S. UNILATERALLY SAYS TO CEASE BOMBING OF THE NORTH UNCONDITIONALLY, SOUTH VIETNAM UNILATERALLY SHOULD BE ABLE TO CARRY OUT UNRESTRICTED BOMBING OF THE NORTH.
- D. SOUTH VIETNAM WILL FIGHT THE COMMUNISTS UNTIL THE END.
- E. ((SOUTH VIETNAM)) CANNOT RECOGNIZE THE NLF. (RECOGNITION) IS POSSIBLE ONLY IF THE NLF IS UNDER THE LEADERSHIP OF [redacted] AS A GROUP. 1.4(c)
- F. AT SUCH TIME AS WHEN WE ((SOUTH VIETNAM)) HAVE ASSUMED A STRONG, ANTI-COMMUNIST COURSE, FOR THE FIRST TIME THE SUPPORT OF ((OUR)) ALLIES WILL NOT BE IN VAIN. 1.4(c)

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