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Letter dated 9 July 1979 from the Permanent Representative of Democratic Kampuchea to the United Nations addressed to the Secretary-General

I have the honour to transmit to you herewith, for your information, a summary of developments in the people's war of resistance being waged by Democratic Kampuchea against Vietnamese aggression.

I should be grateful if you would circulate this text as an official document of the General Assembly, under item 46 of the preliminary list, and of the Security Council.

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ANNEX

Summary of developments in the people's war of resistance being waged by Democratic Kampuchea against Vietnamese aggression

1. Many villages liberated in the north-west zone

The north-west zone comprises Battambang and Pursat provinces and borders on Thailand in the north and west. Last April and May, the Vietnamese aggressors and their Soviet masters mobilized their forces to launch repeated large-scale sweeps with a view to destroying the Kampuchean revolutionary army and guerrillas and crushing the resistance of the Kampuchean people. The Vietnamese aggressors concentrated most of their forces in the region of the Kampuchea-Thai border. But they were unable to achieve their purpose. The struggle of our people and the activities of the soldiers of our revolutionary army and our guerrillas did not diminish but were even expanded and intensified still further. Thus, last June, the great guerrilla warfare movement of the population of the north-west region, like that of the population of the country as a whole, surged forward with particular force. Pursuing the line of the people's war with great imagination and ingenuity, our soldiers and guerrillas intensified their activities and expanded their field of action, substantially enlarging the guerrilla bases, capturing many enemy positions and continually liberating villages, communes and localities.

(a) Sisophon and Mongkol Borei sector

With the active support and collaboration of the population, our soldiers captured the Ampil Pram Doem position and liberated the villages of Phum Siem, Kamphay, Slor Chhnganh, Kompong Chhnang and Samrong, situated on highway No. 5 between Sisophon and Poipet. We also captured the positions Au Popul, Au Lamchik, Au Sanday, Ta Kong, Au Tralach Svar, Srakei Daung, Au Chamchap, etc.

On 24 June last we liberated Raung Ko, an important enemy position in Sisophon district.

On 27 June we liberated Bovel.

We have extended the guerrilla zones as far as highway No. 5 around Poipet, Kaub Thom, and Dong Aranh; in the south, we have linked up with our guerrillas in Kamrieng and Pailin districts.

(b) Samlaut sector

We liberated the localities of Kang Hat, Roung, Kompong Korl, Koas Krala, Phnom Thom, Kbal Mous, Ta Sanh, Anlong Puok, Ta Tok, Kranhuong, Kompong Ropoe, Chamlang Romeaing, Au Reaing Khen, etc.

We have extended the guerrilla zones as far as highways Nos. 5 and 10 from Reaing Kései to the town of Pailin.

(c) Pailin sector

Me have liberated the localities of Peam Pruos, Leach, Reaing Khvav, Shor Dach, Siem Borei, Charkar Cher, Moh Andet, Kompone Krauch, etc. Me have extended the guerrilla zones as far as the town of Pursat itself.

Strengthened by all these victories, our guerrillas and the inhabitants of the north west zone are more determined than ever to consolidate their combat union still further and to pursue even more effectively the line of the people's war with a view to completing successfully our tasks for the current rainy season.

- 2. In the regions temporarily controlled by the enemy, the population and purpet soldiers are combating the Vietnamese aggressors and fleeing to the liberated areas
- (a) On 10 June last, almost 200 Khmer soldiers, forcibly recruited by the Vietnamese aggressors, rebelled against the latter in the town of Battambang and returned to the liberated area. They denounced the crimes and extortion committed by the Vietnamese forces of aggression and expressed their determination to participate, side by side, with our soldiers and people, in the struggle against the Vietnamese aggressors until the latter are completely eliminated from Kampuchea.
- (b) On 15 June, more than 1,000 inhabitants and self-defence guards rebelled and attacked the Vietnamese forces of aggression on highway No. 6 from Prasath to Taing Krasaing, in Santuk district, Kompong Thom province. They killed and wounded about 50 Vietnamese, captured many weapons and routed the survivors.
- (c) Early last May, in Kompong Chhnang province, 25 village and commune heads appointed by the Vietnamese occupiers gained the liberated area, bringing with them 11 weapons which they handed over to our guerrillas. They declared: we have come to the liberated area because we categorically refuse to serve the Vietnamese.
- (d) On 5 June last, the members of three village committees in Thmar Puok district, Battambang province, came to the liberated area, bringing with them 150 families, after putting many energy soldiers out of action.
- (e) On 20 June last, 13 self-defence guards, forcibly recruited by the Vietnamese aggressors, killed 10 Vietnamese soldiers before coming to the liberated area in Prek Prasap district, province of Kompong Cham.
- (f) On 20 June last, 320 inhabitants of the region temporarily controlled by the enemy came to the liberated area, because they could no longer bear the particularly difficult living conditions inflicted on them by the Vietnamese aggressors.
