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Letter dated 27 September 1979 from the Permanent Representative of  
Viet Nam to the United Nations addressed to the Secretary-General

I have the honour to transmit to you herewith for your information the text of the statement of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the People's Republic of Kampuchea on international aid to Kampuchea, dated 26 September 1979, and request you to have this letter and its enclosure circulated as an official document of the General Assembly, under agenda item 12, and of the Security Council.

(Signed) HA VAN LAU  
Ambassador Extraordinary  
and Plenipotentiary,  
Permanent Representative  
to the United Nations

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Declaration dated 26 September 1979 of the Minister  
for Foreign Affairs of the People's Republic of  
Kampuchea on international assistance to Kampuchea

Under its rule, which lasted four years, the Pol Pot-Ieng Sary régime pursued the most ferocious policy of genocide. It not only massacred three million Kampuchean people but in addition destroyed all the social and economic structures of the country, engendering consequences the gravity of which still cannot be measured.

In a short period of time, namely the nine months which have elapsed since the overthrow of the Pol Pot-Ieng Sary clique on 7 January 1979, the Kampuchean people, under the direction of the Revolutionary People's Council of Kampuchea, have rapidly reorganized the life of the population in order to lead it back to normalcy and restore production, and they have achieved very encouraging first results. Thanks to their own efforts and to the assistance of the fraternal socialist countries and friendly countries throughout the world, the Kampuchean people are actively struggling to contain and overcome the famine which the Pol Pot-Ieng Sary clique left in its wake.

The Revolutionary People's Council of Kampuchea warmly congratulates all the strata of the population of the country on their work of production in the task of national restoration and their spirit of solidarity, and at the same time expresses its deep gratitude to the fraternal and friendly countries and to international organizations for their disinterested assistance to the Kampuchean people in the reconstruction of their country and the elimination of the grave consequences of the rule of the Pol Pot-Ieng Sary régime.

As was indicated in the declaration on foreign policy of 26 December 1978 of the Central Committee of the Kampuchea National United Front for National Salvation (S/13006, annex II), in the future as in the past the Revolutionary People's Council of Kampuchea is prepared to accept the aid granted by all countries and all international organizations, free of any political conditions; the Revolutionary People's Council of Kampuchea denounces the recent false allegations by the imperialists and international reactionary forces claiming that it is refusing or putting obstacles in the way of the delivery of humanitarian aid to the Kampuchean people. These allegations are part and parcel of the perfidious manoeuvre of the imperialists and of international reaction which, exploiting the humanitarian aspect, poses the so-called problem of "aid to both sides" or "provision of relief to the inhabitants". This manoeuvre is actually aimed at legalizing the supplying of what is left of the Pol Pot-Ieng Sary forces in their opposition to the Kampuchean people, at fooling public opinion with regard to the existence of this genocidal administration which has already been overthrown, and at laying the foundations of a so-called "political solution of the problem of Kampuchea", thus interfering in the internal affairs of the Kampuchean people.

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The Revolutionary People's Council of Kampuchea vigorously condemns these dark designs of the imperialists and of international reaction and reiterates the following solemn declaration! It will accept all assistance to Kampuchea to which no conditions are attached. All assistance to the Kampuchean people must be delivered through the Revolutionary People's Council of Kampuchea, the sole authentic and legal representative of the Kampuchean people. Any abuse of humanitarian aid to help the Pol Pot-Ieng Sary clique oppose the Kampuchean people is illegal and constitutes a violation of the sovereignty of Kampuchea, and it will be met by the opposition of the Kampuchean people and will be doomed to lamentable failure.

Phnom Penh

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