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CAMBODIA ADDRESSED TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE SECURITY COUNCIL

On the instructions of my Government and further to my letter No. SO 19 of 17 July 1968, I have the honour to bring the following to your attention, for the information of members of the Security Council:

On 18 June 1968 approximately one hundred heavily armed Thai soldiers entered Cambodian territory at the village of Tadeo, commune of Roneam Thmey, Srok of Samrong, Oddar Meanchey province, where they forcibly captured and abducted two of the inhabitants, named Bun Hol and Mey Tin.

Bun Hol was released on the following day, 19 June, at about 7 a.m., but the fate of his companion is unknown.

The Royal Government of Cambodia has vigorously protested against this deliberate violation of Cambodian territory and the subsequent abduction of Cambodian inhabitants. It has demanded that the Royal Government of Thailand put an end to these acts and that Mey Tin, a Cambodian, be released immediately.

I should be grateful if you would arrange for this letter to be circulated as a Security Council document.

Accept, Sir, etc.

(Signed) HUOT SAMBATH
Permanent Representative of Cambodia
