

**Moscow Terms Documents
Record of Official Duplicity.**

MOSCOW, June 15 (AP)—
The Soviet press agency Tass
said today that the secret De-
fense Department documents
published by The New York
Times were a "record of official
duplicity."

The documents, the agency
said in a dispatch from New
York, "confirm that the United
States deliberately escalated
and broadened the war in Indo-
china and misled the American
public in giving its reasons for
doing so."

The Soviet Government news-
paper Izvestia said: "The publi-
cation completely undermines
the basis of the Vietnam policy
of Johnson's Administration
and his successors in the White
House."

United States policy has "al-
ways been presented as an
American defense of 'Saigon
democracy' from 'Communist
aggression,'" it said.

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