Legislators Going To Indochina

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President Ford has persuaded a bipartisan group of about 20 members of the House and Senate to fly to South Vietnam and Cambodia in the next week or 10 days to report on those nations' economic and military aid needs.

White House press secretary Ron Nessen said yesterday that the President wants the congressional delegation, made up of both hawks and doves, to "make its own assessment and to report to him and the American people."

The President last month asked Congress to vote an additional \$300 million in military aid to Vietnam and \$222 million for Cambodia. The initial congressional reaction was hostlie.

Tentatively scheduled to make the trip are Senators Clifford P. Case (Rep-N.J.), Bill Brock (Rep-Tenn.), Dewey F. Bartlett (Rep-Okla.), Dick Clark (Dem-Iowa), Robert P. Griffin (Rep-Mich.), Paul Laxalt (Rep-Nev.) and Jake Gara (Rep-Utah).

House members are Paul N. McCloskey (Rep-Calif.), Donald M. Fraser (Dem-Minn.), Dante B. Fascell (Dem-Fla.), William S. Broomfield (Rep-Mich.), Elford A. Cederberg (Rep-Mich.), Jack Kemp (Rep-N.Y.) and Bill Chappell Jr. (Dem-Fla.).

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