

Cambodians Seeking To Join Nonaligned

Cambodia wants to become an official member of the grouping of nonaligned nations, Radio Phnom Penh said yesterday.

The broadcast monitored in Thailand said Cambodia will request official membership when the nonaligned nations meet Aug. 24-28 in Lima, Peru.

This was Cambodia's second recent venture into foreign affairs. The Khmer Rouge had virtually closed the borders following the April 17 takeover but Sunday the Thai government announced that Cambodian Deputy Prime Minister Khieu Samphan planned to visit Bangkok "soon" to set up relations.

News of Khieu Samphan has been scarce since April. However, the North and South Vietnamese radios both said yesterday that he has sent a message to Prince Norodom Sihanouk, the ex-ciled Cambodian head of state who is on a visit to North Korea. They gave no further details.

a U.S. Food for Peace official is to leave today for a survey.

Philippine Bases

MANILA—President Ferdinand E. Marcos told visiting U.S. congressmen that the United States will use its military bases in the Philippines as long as they are under the control of the communist country. He said the Philippines sought to maintain the "tenure" of "the bases for peace in the area." He had said that the defense agreement was a "dead letter."

Argentina

BUENOS AIRES—The Argentine government said yesterday that it will not allow the United States to use its military bases in the country as long as they are under the control of the communist country. He said the Philippines sought to maintain the "tenure" of "the bases for peace in the area." He had said that the defense agreement was a "dead letter."