South Vietnam, Cambodia Now on U.S. Passport Ban

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WASHINGTON, Sept. 26—The State Department has added Cambodia and South Vietnam to the list of nations where American passports will be invalid unless specifically approved by the Secretary of State.

In formal notices published in the latest Federal Register, the department also renewed the current ban on the use of passports by Americans traveling without permission to Cuba, North Korea and North Vietnam.

In the accompanying explanation the department said that as the result of the Communist take-over in Cambodia, "severe hostility" to the United States continued. It also said there were no diplomatic missions there to protect Americans. As the result of the take-over of South Vietnam, the department said "conditions continue to be unsettled."

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