

**EX-P.O.W. QUESTIONS
FOE'S PRISONER LIST**

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Jan. 4 — Lieut. Robert Frishman of the Navy, a former prisoner in North Vietnam, insisted today that many more Americans were held by Hanoi than those reported in recently released lists of captives.

The lieutenant's remarks were made at the United Nations and the nearby United States Mission where he discussed the delivery of 26 million signatures on letters and petitions dealing with war prisoners that he hopes to present

to North Vietnamese representatives in Paris.

Lieutenant Frishman said he knew from his own contacts while a prisoner that more servicemen were held than North Vietnam had admitted. "I can guarantee it," he said.

He was released in August, 1969, after almost two years in prison.

He said he hoped the letter-writing campaign he helped sponsor would persuade North Vietnam to improve treatment of the captives and permit Red Cross inspection of the prisoner camps.

The letters and signatures were collected by an organization called Concern for Prisoners of War, Inc., with headquarters in San Diego, Calif.