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Thieu Reported 'Satisfied' After Talking With Green

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SAIGON, [illegible] Tuesday, [illegible] Secretary of [illegible] Green delivered [illegible] President Nixon to President Nguyen Van Thieu yesterday and assured him that the United States had not made any secret deals with China to settle the Vietnam war.

South Vietnamese sources said that President Thieu was "very satisfied" after his two-hour talk with Mr. Green that the United States would uphold its commitments to a South Vietnam.

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Saigon Officials Relieved

Officials in Saigon [illegible] been worried that [illegible] purpose behind Mr. [illegible] to China was to negotiate a compromise settlement in the Vietnam war, appeared to relax after the Shanghai communique was issued [illegible] had made [illegible] to the Chinese [illegible]

In their meeting [illegible] Residential Palace [illegible] was accompanied by Ambassador Ellsworth Bunker and Mr. Thien by Vice President Tran Van Huong, Prime Minister Tran Thien Khiem and Foreign Minister Tran Van Lam. President Thieu later was the host at a lunch in the palace for Mr. Green.

Informed Vietnamese sources said that Mr. Green had been [illegible] but [illegible] Nixon [illegible] arrangement with the Chinese on Vietnam.

No Secret Arrangements

A communique issued by the Vietnamese Foreign Ministry said that Mr. Green had [illegible] affirmed that [illegible] had been no secret arrangements between the United States and Communist China concerning the Vietnam issue.

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