

VC Won't Ask Paris Pact Session

PARIS — (AP) — The Viet Cong declared today the Communists will no longer ask for a resumption of the Paris peace talks, leaving it up to the United States to call for a new session. The talks have been suspended for the past five weeks.

Referring to a message to the U.S. delegation Tuesday demanding a resumption of the fruitless four-year-old

conference, Ly Van Sau, spokesman for the Viet Cong delegation, told newsmen, "We will send no more messages on this subject."

The Viet Cong and North Vietnamese delegations for five weeks have demanded the talks be resumed. Tuesday's message again drew a negative U.S. response.

Sau said this refusal was "on baseless grounds" and added that "if the United

States continues to sabotage the conference and escalate the war, it must bear the full responsibility for the results." He said this position was reached in full agreement with the Hanoi delegation.