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Thieu Calls Viet Envoys To Saigon

Saigon

President Nguyen Van Thieu yesterday ordered South Vietnam's ambassadors to the United States and the Vietnam peace talks in Paris to return immediately to Saigon for "consultation," government sources said.

South Vietnam's ambassador to Britain also was ordered home, they said.

The report of Thieu's order was issued as he and U.S. Ambassador Ellsworth Bunker met for the sixth time in the past 13 days. Details of their 35-minute discussion were not made public.

The current series of talks between Bunker and Thieu began October 2 when the ambassador and General Alexander M. Haig, who is an assistant to presidential adviser Henry A. Kissinger, met with Thieu in Saigon to discuss the peace talks.

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