

Release of Viet Cong Canceled

Saigon

The Saigon government canceled a scheduled release of Viet Cong civilian prisoners at Loc Ninh today for the second time in three days.

Lieutenant Colonel Le Trung Hien, chief spokesman for the Saigon command, said there would be no release because the Viet Cong have refused to sign documents that would guarantee the safety of members of the International Commission of Control and Supervision. This was the same reason cited for a cancellation Monday.

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