

# Peace Force Out of Money

Ottawa

The Vietnam peace supervisory force is broke and Canada will have to spend about \$116,000 a month to feed its men on the truce force, External Affairs Minister Mitchell Sharp said yesterday. ...

The International Commission for Control and Supervision (ICCS) was supposed to have paid the bill, but the four members — Canada, Poland, Indonesia

and Hungary — have been unable to work out a budget, Sharp said.

The men were to receive \$13 a day and the \$116,000 figure would be the total food allowance, an External Affairs official said.

The four parties to the Vietnam peace conference — the U.S., South Vietnam, the Provisional Revolutionary Government (Viet Cong) and North Vietnam — contributed \$1 million in adv-

ance to get the commission going, but that has already been used up, Sharp said.

Canada will decide before the end of the month whether to continue its participation in the commission.

Sharp has said previously that Canada would withdraw unless conditions for supervising the truce improve.

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