

# Viet Cong Say 34 Killed In New U.S. Air Attacks

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## Saigon

The Provisional Revolutionary Government (Viet Cong) charged yesterday that U.S. planes had made new attacks in South Vietnam and wounded 34 persons, including women and children.

The Communist's asked the four-nation International Commission of Control and Supervision for an immediate investigation.

The U.S. Embassy denied the charges.

"We have a policy of not doing any bombing in South

Vietnam," a spokesman said. "If it's an accident, I don't know, but I doubt it. I think they're making it up. We are observing the cease-fire and not doing any bombing."

The note to the ICCS charged that two U.S. F-4 Phantoms attacked the Communist-controlled zone of Loc Ninh-Loc Thanh, five miles below the Cambodian border Saturday afternoon. Loc Ninh is Communist headquarters for the southern half of South Vietnam.

The Viet Cong made public a list of the names of the

34 persons it said were wounded.

It was the second note in two days sent to the ICCS

asking for investigation of charges of renewed U.S. bombing raids in South Vietnam.

In the past, U.S. air strikes in ill-defined, frontier regions, have spilled over on both sides of the border.

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