

INFILTRATION OF SAIGON REGIME BY COMMUNISTS
IS DESCRIBED AS SPY TRIAL OPENS

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(Story, datelined Saigon, deals with Huynh Van Trong, arrested Aug 69, and Vu Ngov Nha, arrested in Saigon July 16. Any connection with killing of Thai Khac Chuyen by Green Berets 20 Jun 69?)

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From story^{*} on television intv of Robin Moore, author of the novel, "The Green Berets":

"The novelist asserted that the agent [Thai Khac Chuyen] had been negotiating for South Vietnam's President, Nguyen Van Thieu, and Vice President, Nguyen Cao Ky, with the North Vietnamese 'as to how much of their property they would be able to keep should they stick with the idea of slowly having a coalition government.'

"Mr. Moore said the details of the negotiations included how much money Mr. Thieu and Mr. Ky could keep and how they and their families would be treated. 'He was a very important guy to them,' Mr. Moore added."

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*"Author Says He Killed Agent in Vietnam." NYTimes 1 Oct 69.