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COUNTRY SOUTH VIETNAM — DUNGAN REPORT NO. TDCS -3/513,973
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SUBJECT VIEWS OF [REDACTED] DATE DISTR. 15 JUNE 1962
 POSSIBILITY OF A COUP D'ETAT PETERSEN
 — SCHLESINGER PRECEDENCE ROUTINE

DATE OF INFO. ~~EARLY JUNE 1962~~ **RETAIN OR DESTROY** REFERENCES **FILE** IN
 — BELK

PLACE & DATE ACQ. VIETNAM, SAIGON (3 JUNE 1962) ~~COMMUNIST~~
 — KOMER

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SOURCE [REDACTED]

APPR. IT IS PROBABLY TRUE THAT [REDACTED] HOWEVER, THE CONTENTS OF THE STATEMENTS [REDACTED]

1. [REDACTED] THE RANGER COMMAND, [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] SAID

THAT THE PEOPLE OF SOUTH VIETNAM WERE GETTING TIRED OF THE PRESENT SITUATION AND THAT SOME ACTION WAS GOING TO BE TAKEN TO CHANGE IT. THIS TIME, HOWEVER, THE PLANS WERE NOT GOING TO BE COMMUNICATED TO THE AMERICANS BECAUSE THE UNITED STATES, A BASICALLY LAW-ABIDING NATION, IS OPPOSED TO UNLAWFUL ACTS. SINCE A COUP D'ETAT IS CONSIDERED BY AMERICAN OFFICIALS TO BE AN UNLAWFUL PROCESS, THE US IS FORCED TO DISCOURAGE SUCH ACTIONS, AND THEREFORE, THE AMERICANS WILL NOT BE NOTIFIED OF ANY FUTURE ACTIVITY ON THE PART OF THE VIETNAMESE TO UPSET THE CURRENT REGIME UNTIL THE ACTION IS ACCOMPLISHED.

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