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SPECIAL BRANCH

29th day of September 1968

ROUTINE MEETING/POSTER - PARADE REPORT

Subject: 29th Committee for Solidarity with Vietnam Ref: 433/38/224  
Date, Period, Place/Route: 22nd day of September 1968 from 7.30am to 1.30pm  
in a first floor room at the 'Union Tavern', Kings Cross Road, W.C.1.

Source of Information: Informant

Admission - Dismissal/Refusal: Private

Police Arrangements: None

Summary: Arrangements to get above named Committee mobilised in preparation for October.

Chairman, Speakers, Officials: (reference: see para. obtained descriptions if necessary):

Chairman: [Redacted] **Privacy**  
Speakers: [Redacted]

Officials: None

Attendees: 4) Number: 20

ii) Groups: Various - see para.

iii) Collection: No

iv) Individuals Identified:

[Redacted] **Privacy**

Remarks:

October 27th - Support S.M. London in East  
Jan. 1968 - Assemble Camberwell Green 12 noon -  
Leave 12.30

Remarks:

Attached three leaflets asking for support for  
the October demonstration

ENJOY THE FILM !

'Have an evening out, go to the cinema', says the advert. Tonight you will see 'Green Berets', starring Neo-Fascist John Wayne & 27,000 US dead. See US storm-troopers bomb, burn, loot, rape, & kill. See flesh burned by napalm & bodies torn to rags by fragmentation bombs. See Vietnamese mothers weep over the mutilated bodies of their babies. See prisoners tortured, beheaded, & disembowelled. See peasants starved in air camps and 'defoliated'. See villages destroyed & their people, at gunpoint, herded into concentration camps. See colourful Saigon turned by the US into the world's great brothel. See children choke to death on 'CS' gas (made in Britain). Witness the Aims of imperialism, see the glorification of the vilest war crimes. Thrill to the good lust of US generals.

Despite the fire & steel rained on them, the people of South Vietnam led by the NLF & the people of the DRV led by Ho Chi Minh are winning. The US invaders have lost 27000 & 3,000 planes. The people of the towns have risen against them, their puppet regime is disintegrating. The South has been abandoned. Vietnam's fight for peace, freedom, reunification of the motherland is gaining greater victories.

The 'Green Berets' is part of the Goebbels-style big lie propaganda of US imperialism. Banned in Sweden, it lacks artistic merit or entertainment. It is full of lies & lies even we aren't fooled. Phone ABC, GER 9234, & your local ABC Cinema - Westbury 54-7009; Hingham, 650-1311; Blackheath 858-2577. Support the mass demonstration on Saturday October 26 in Trafalgar Sq., 2-30pm.

US Aggressors get out of Vietnam !  
Victory to the NLF !

C P : SE London October 26 Vietnam Ad Hoc Committee, 175 Regate Rd, Bromley, Kent.

Recommendations: Possible public meeting of this committee to be held in Conway Hall on 7.10.68

The chairman opened the meeting by giving out following agenda:

- (1) Report on working committee activities
- (2) Arrangements to be made for work sessions
- (3) Report back on the activities of local ad hoc committees
- (4) Proposals for future activities

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The only other speaker reviewed the activities of the working committee (fully reported in special branch report on the October 27th Committee Meeting 20.9.68)

The rest of the meeting took the form of a discussion on the agenda, and the following decisions were reached:

- (2) Two working parties should be organised each week to meet on Thursdays in the basement of Banner Works, 90, Camden High Street, N.W.1, under the supervision of [redacted] and on Fridays at Temple Fortune [redacted] under the supervision of [redacted]

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(3) An account was given by [redacted] of the C.S. London ad hoc Committee (fully reported in special branch report dated 20.9.68) and general discussion took place on the North West London Committee, and members of the Britain-Vietnam Solidarity Front were urged to attend its meetings to ensure that it followed a correct political line.

(4) The discussion on future activities centered on the assembly point for the supporters of the October 27th C.S.V. Members were unable to decide whether they should assemble at the same time and place as the 10.10.68 demonstration, or whether they should hold a completely separate assembly and procession. It was decided that [redacted] could verify that Trafalgar Square was closed on October 27th, and when this was known a decision would be taken on where to assemble. Four of those present at the meeting were in favour of holding a separate assembly and procession, while 16, including [redacted], were in favour of meeting at the same place, but breaking away from the main demonstration.

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Officers Present:

D.S. ROSS      D.S. WYRRELL

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[redacted]  
Daily Press (Special Branch)  
Constable [redacted]

Submitted

Cowan Dixon  
Chief Inspector

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- 1. Send copy to Box 500 [redacted]
- 2. Send memo to [redacted]

- 3. Supts. to see
- 4. To note
- 5. S.B.(R)

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[Signature]  
Chief Superintendent