

Because of the possibility that we shall be invited to accept a new supervisory role in Vietnam, and because of our long involvement in the Vietnam problem, Canada, apart from the fact that it shares the interest of the whole world in the settlement of the Vietnam war, has a particular interest in current developments there and in the negotiations which we all hope will bring an end to the conflict. This House embodies that interest, and I think it would be fitting that the House make known its view of the situation. For that reason, we have proposed the motion which appears on the Order Paper. It is in terms which I believe deserve the support of all sides of the House. I conclude by saying this, Mr. Speaker, that it is directed to all parties in the Vietnam conflict.

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