

and a blatant disregard for the principles of international law and normally accepted international rules of conduct with respect to the territorial integrity of Thailand.

Canada is also concerned by the deepening human tragedy which the Vietnamese offensive has inflicted on the Khmer people. The loss of civilian lives, the wounding of innocent people and the destruction of relief facilities provided through international relief organizations is deplored. The government of Vietnam must be held responsible for this wanton destruction of life and property. Canada calls on Vietnam to desist from further aggressive acts and to cooperate in the pursuit of peace and development in Southeast Asia.