

Council of Ministers Resolution No. 298 for free armament delivery to North Vietnam in  
1969, 26 July 1968

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RESOLUTION No. 298  
OF THE COUNCIL OF MINISTERS  
26 July 1968

REFERENCE: Approval of Protocol for rendering free military aid to the  
Democratic Republic of Vietnam in 1969

On Report No. 602 from 22 June 1968

THE COUNCIL OF MINISTERS ORDERS:

1. To approve the Protocol, signed in Sofia on 3 June 1968, between the government of the People's Republic of Bulgaria and the government of the Democratic Republic of Vietnam to render free aid to the government of the Democratic Republic of Vietnam in 1969.
2. Military, technical and other equipment, specified in the enclosed list, shall be ensured with the plan for 1969, excluding item 1, which shall be supplied from the stockpiles of the Bulgarian army and be replenished with machine guns AK-47 in 1970.

3. Funds, necessary to pay for the military, technical and other equipment, in compliance with the enclosed list, as well as transportation expenses, shall be provided by the Ministry of foreign trade with the plan for 1969 and 1970.
4. The Foreign Ministry shall arrange for transportation of the equipment through the territory of the Chinese People's Republic.

Sofia, July 1968

For Prime Minister: [Tano Tsolov]

*[Translated by Greta Keremidchieva]*