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RESOLUTION № 213 By the COUNCIL OF MINISTERS

Sofia, 22 May 1966

Ministry of foreign trade
Ministry of finance
Ministry of foreign affairs
Ministry of people's defense
Ministry of health and social care
Ministry of transportation and
communications

THE BUREAU OF COUNCIL OF MINISTERS ORDERS:

To agree to the request of the Central Committee of the Laos people's party to render assistance at the amount of 2 151 572 leva – consumer goods for

140 000 leva at wholesale prices; medical instruments for 80 172 leva at wholesale prices; weapons, ammunitions and communication equipment for 1 931 400 leva.

Travel expenses shall be paid separately.

Money to purchase consumer goods, medications and medical instruments and for their transportation to the Laos border shall be provided by the Ministry of finance.

Expenses related to packing and transportation of weapons, ammunitions and communication equipment from MoD warehouses to the Laos border shall be covered by the Ministry of foreign trade.

The Ministry of finance, the Ministry of defense, the Ministry of home trade, the Ministry of foreign trade and the Bulgarian Red Cross are obliged to purchase and sent the materials.

For Prime Minister: [Zhivko Zhivkov]

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