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NOTE FOR MR. HELMS

SUBJECT: Articles by Gerold T. Robinson

1. Attached are four documents from Gerold Robinson:
 - (a) A copy of a personal letter to me -- a helpful comment on the other documents;
 - (b) The long version of an article on the land problem in Vietnam prepared for Look magazine;
 - (c) The shortened Look version of the above;
 - (d) A second article on land reform focused on Latin America but, as GTR says, also applicable to the Vietnamese aspects of the problem.

2. You may not know that Professor Robinson is probably the world's outstanding expert on the land problem in Czarist Russia. This has been the focal point of his scholarly work. It may be that his learning and wisdom on this Russian aspect is transferrable to the Vietnamese situation.

3. As I said on the phone, Bob Komer would be a natural as a recipient for these documents. So I imagine Bill Bundy.

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