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ULSTER VANGUARD ALLIANCE

To: Selected Politicians
Selected Journalists
Selected Businessmen

Gibraltar House,
Belfast.

23. 7. 75

Gentlemen,

Following the resumption of I.R.A. activities, we have decided to take further steps to dilute the support which emanates in the South, as reflected in the media.

Our action is based on the doctrine of Mao Tse Tang which states that when it is seen that there is little to gain and much to lose by a continuation of guerilla activity, a campaign should cease. (vide Malaysia)

We regard the I.R.A. campaign as attempting to achieve the goal as enshrined in the Republic's constitution. By failing to change this and give a lead to misguided people, the members of the ~~Bill~~ are as guilty as the I.R.A. of heinous acts of violence.

Using I.R.A. threats we intend to sabotage prestige tourist events and with them put a large dent in the tourist market.

Of course if there was no I.R.A. we would be unable to use their name to menace and threaten your economy.

We will attempt to demonstrate that the I.R.A. is an expensive luxury and by continuing to accommodate it, you will have much to lose .

We expect a positive lead from the Government, mobilising the institutions of Church and State against the I.R.A. An announcement from 'The Godfather' that he had looked into his heart etc, etc, would be regarded as a significant gesture and would receive a positive response from us.

Yours sincerely,

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