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HISTORY

Paper 1 Section B/D:

Conflict and tension in Asia, 1950–1975

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SOURCES B and C for use in answering Question 02

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SOURCE A

A leaflet distributed to American forces by the North Korean Army during the Korean War.

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SOURCE B

Adapted from an interview in May 1996 with the North Vietnamese military leader, General Giap.

Giap defeated the French at Dien Bien Phu and became the North Vietnamese Commander-in-Chief against American forces. He was interviewed as part of an American television documentary about the history of the Cold War.

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SOURCE C

An American cartoon published on 1 February 1968 in a widely-read newspaper.

The cartoon, on the opposite page, shows an American officer printing the army's version of the Tet Offensive. The room is heavily damaged with smashed furniture and the officer is under the desk. He is holding a phone against his ear.

There is a sign in the top corner of the image which says "AMERICAN HEADQUARTERS SAIGON".

The papers that the officer is printing read, "We are now in control... We have stopped the enemy We are now in control..."

At the bottom of the cartoon, there is some text that reads "Everything's Okay".



'Everything's Okay'

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