

# **The evacuation and resettlement aspect about overseas Chinese after Vietnam War in 1975**

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Evacuation of Overseas Chinese is an urgent measure for the state to protect foreign nationals from threats, and it also represents the country's determination to protect overseas diasporas. The evacuation of expatriates should have a standard set of operating procedures, including investigation of expatriates living conditions, prioritization of evacuation, complete evacuation plans, notification of evacuation networks, preparatory plans, timing of evacuation, clear evacuation location, follow-up resettlement, and etc. In comparison, the order of the Republic of China's evacuation in Vietnam in 1975 seemed to put the cart before the horse. Apart from the investigation of the situation of the diaspora during the first Vietnam War, there was no further accurate information about Chinese expatriates under the evacuation of the Chinese government of the Republic of China. Without the exact list of the Overseas Chinese in Vietnam and a comprehensive plan for the evacuation, the evacuation led by The Ministry of Foreign Affairs ended up an imperfect plan.

However, the resettlement of Overseas Chinese in Taiwan seemed to have better organization with the cooperation between administrative units. Overseas Chinese who had had abandon their nationalities of Republic of China due to the restrictions of foreign countries' laws could resume Republic of China's citizenship under the permission of Ministry of the Interior. Therefore, from the evacuation operation in 1975, we could know that the government of Republic of China upheld the consistent attitude toward the policy of "Overseas Chinese.", namely each expatriate should be probably. taken care of.

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