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To Regain Prisoners

Pakistani Asks Recognition

KARACHI, Pakistan (AP) — A leading opponent of President Zulfikar Ali Bhutto called on him today to recognize Bangladesh so that he could open negotiations with India for the return of the 100,000 Pakistani troops captured in the recent war.

"If you don't recognize Bangladesh, where do you start?" Khan Abdul Wali Khan, president of the National Awami Party, said to newsmen. "If you don't go and negotiate, how can you get these 100,000 out?" He spoke as hundreds of

schoolboys roamed through Karachi, stopping traffic and throwing stones at cars. A youthful mob set fire to a suburban movie house as part of a protest touched off by reports that members of the Bihari minority were being killed in Dacca the capital of Bangladesh.

Trucks of helmeted riot police patrolled the city, while Radio Pakistan appealed to parents to get their children off the streets.

Wali Khan is a Pathan leader from the Northwest Frontier, and his party claims to have

majorities in the provincial assemblies there and in Baluchistan. He renewed his demands that Bhutto lift martial law and convene the National Assembly, and he said his party would convene the provincial assemblies in the Northwest Frontier and Baluchistan if Bhutto did not accede to his demands.

Bhutto's Pakistan People's Party has 85 of the 144 seats in the National Assembly and majorities in the Punjab and Sind, Pakistan's two larger provinces.