

CHAPTER I

ESTABLISHMENT AND MACHINERY OF THE INTERNATIONAL COMMISSION IN VIET-NAM.

FIXED AND MOBILE TEAMS

The Commission has, in view of the serious difficulties in maintaining communications with the Fixed Team at MUONG SEN, decided that this team should, during the monsoon period, be located at a suitable centre along the Vinh-Muong Sen road from where the team can carry out its control duties in its zone and sphere of action. The location is being settled in consultation with the High Command of the P.A.V.N.

2. During the period under review, 25 Mobile Teams of the Commission were sent out for investigations under Article 37 making a total of 77 since the Commission started its activities.

CHAPTER II

CEASE-FIRE, PROVISIONAL MILITARY DEMARCATION LINE AND DEMILITARISED ZONE.

SUPERVISION OF DEMARCATION LINE AND DEMILITARISED ZONES

3. Mobile element of the Fixed Team, DONG HOI, has been entrusted with the duty of supervising the provisional demarcation line and the demilitarised zone, its zone of action being 10 kms on each side of the demarcation line. The Team started work on 6th April, 1955 and will report to the Commission after a month what permanent arrangements are required for the supervision of the provisional demarcation line and the demilitarised zones.

CHAPTER III

REGROUPMENT PLAN

CENTRAL VIETNAM PROVISIONAL ASSEMBLY AREA.

HAIPHONG PERIMETER.

4. The Commission took up with the two parties the question of working out detailed plans of withdrawals and transfers in these areas in good time in the interest of smooth and orderly transfer. The parties have arrived at agreement in these matters except on a few minor points, decisions on which are still to be taken. The withdrawals and transfers will begin on 22nd April and be completed by 16th - 18th May. The Commission is making effective arrangements for the supervision of these withdrawals and transfers through its Mobile Teams in accordance with the task of supervision assigned to it under Article 36(a) of the Agreement.

5. The withdrawal of personnel and equipment from the Haiphong perimeter by the French Union High Command is proceeding in