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

INTRODUCTION

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1. The Commission held 39 meetings for the transaction of its day to day business bringing the total number of meetings from its inception to 506. During the period under review, six Mobile Teams of the Commission were sent out for investigation, reconnaissance and control making a total of 144 since the Commission started its activities.

2. Since the transfer of the Commission's headquarters from Hanoi to Saigon in April 1958, the Commission paid periodical visits to Hanoi.

3. Ambassador T.N. Kaul, representative of India, left in June 1958 and Ambassador S.S. Ansari took over as representative of India in July 1958. During the interval Brigadier Chandra Shekhar acted as the representative of India. In October 1958, Mr. T. Le M. Carter was replaced by Mr. J.P. Erichsen-Brown as Canadian Commissioner.

4. In paragraph 7 of the Eighth Interim Report a reference was made to the complaints from the Royal Cambodian Government alleging border incidents and threats of violation of Cambodian territory by the troops of the Republic of Viet-Nam. During the period under review, the International Commission for Supervision and Control in Cambodia forwarded to this Commission copies of some fresh