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ried (g) on 4th November, 1954, the Fixed Team of ship word jend Kieng Khouang while checking withdrawal of to themstates troops in the area of Muong Ngam, interrogated two witnesses, presented by each nov party. All four witnesses stated that no Isaclisare forced recruitment had been carried out in red of bedstw onw nolingeled "ost tetter" restantov

who wished to have add (h) at Muong Cham, in the province of Vientiane, eds to asimp on 5th November, 1954, the Mobile Team, becard to while checking the withdrawal of the "Pathet naeda Lao", made investigation with regard to the allegation of forced recruitment. The Team came to the conclusion that "no instances of bed notes forced recruitment were discovered or reported edagorredni retonthe Team"; zmseT sil od nolicerib nevig necessary among the

bearon begel (i) at Khang Khay, at the seat of the Joint -result and Commission, the Fixed Team, on 19th November, of anoitoursen 1954, examined 6 out of 15 persons produced by the Franco-Laotian side and came to the redso of conclusion that they had been recruited at mismer cals er before 6th August, 1954. From among signos the rest, the four who were chosen and od for interrogation, stated that they edd dadd had deserted while serving in Sam Neua. Team, therefore, concluded that it was "not esementely IIs was carried out"; weeks of

od to soal to due Commission, the Fixed Team, on 1st December, essepense 1954, interviewed three out of 9 alleged Today forced recruits. The Team stated that "from erew edinom the testimony of these witnesses alone, once Religional without supporting evidence which will require dolas impodetailed investigation on the ground, it was noticeles not possible to state categorically whether · Values slow forced recruitment was carried out or not";

(k) at Luang Prabang, the Mobile Team on 4th December, 1954 interrogated three "Pathet Lao" soldiers brought by the National Laotian Army from Outay. The three "Pathet Lao" soldiers stated during their interrogation that they joined the army, "since one man from each house was detailed by the good evest village head to join the forces", and that Viregord basthey had joined the "Pathet Lao" forces bus also approximately two months earlier. At Outay, behind by the "Pathet Lao" column; they wanted to go with the column but could not, Inemetral symbocause of illness, tillm sti ni

(Article 4 e) provides that while the withdrawals and transfers of the forces are proceeding, the two Parties shall not permit any destruction or sabotage of any public property or any attack on the life and property of the local civilian population.