

- Verify compliance with the commitments concerning terrorism, subversion and sabotage contained in this Act.
- The Commission and the States Parties may request as they deem convenient the assistance of the International Committee of the Red Cross to help solve humanitarian problems that affect the Central American countries.

(d) Norms and procedures

- The Commission shall receive any duly substantiated report concerning violations of the security commitments assumed under this Act, shall communicate it to the Parties involved and shall initiate such investigations as it deems appropriate.
- It shall also be empowered to carry out, on its own initiative the investigations it deems appropriate. The Commission shall carry out its investigations by making on-site inspections, gathering testimony and using any other procedure which it deems necessary for the performance of its functions.
- Above and beyond its quarterly and special reports, the Commission shall, in the event of any reports of violations or of non-compliance with the security commitments of this Act, prepare a report containing recommendations addressed to the Parties involved.
- The Commission shall be accorded every facility and prompt and full co-operation by the Parties for the appropriate performance of its functions. It shall also ensure the confidentiality of all information elicited or received in the course of its investigations.
- The Commission shall transmit its reports and recommendations to the States Parties and to the Governments of the Contadora Group on a confidential basis. It may take them public when it considers that that would contribute to full compliance with the commitments contained in the Act.