

PRESENT POSITION WITH REGARD TO THE IMPLEMENTATION BY THE PARTIES OF THE RECOMMENDATIONS
AND THE FINAL SUGGESTIONS OF THE COMMISSION REGARDING THE IMPROVEMENT OF
ADMINISTRATION OF THE DEMILITARIZED ZONE

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A. Recommendations of the Commission
the Commission P.A.V.N. High Command

Position regarding implementation by the Government of the Republic of Viet-Nam

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1 Permits should preferably bear the photographs of the persons in whose favour they are issued. P.A.V.N. High Command advised the population to affix photographs on permits for crossing the Demarcation Line and a number of permits have been provided with photographs.

The Government of the Republic of Viet-Nam has agreed to make arrangements for supply of photographs to those who apply for permits.

The Commission, realising the practical difficulties involved, called upon the parties to consider ways and means of providing photographs on permits. The Commission requested that the permit-holders be not prevented from crossing or in any way obstructed or hindered on the ground that permits do not have photographs.

2. The Parties may increase by 50 per cent the police strength in the zones under their control for the proper maintenance of law and order. P.A.V.N High Command accepted and stated that as the increase in the police strength would constitute an amendment of the Statute of the Demilitarized Zone, the two parties to the Joint Commission should start discussions on this matter.

The Government of the Republic of Viet-Nam maintained that 100 per cent increase is necessary, but in accordance with the permission given by the Commission has increased its police strength by 50 per cent.

The Government of