

- dead if any had been taken care of. (If there are any persons injured who have still not been attended to, the Team should arrange for the local authorities providing a medical assistance where such assistance is called for.
7. The narrative should also contain all available particulars about the background and antecedents of the persons who were arrested, or who appear to have been singled out for attack or reprisals including information on whether they were associated with (the former administration of the withdrawing army (of the Democratic Republic) in the area, and the nature and extent of their activities (peaceful or otherwise) since the date of the cease-fire.
8. The Team should try to obtain and study, in addition to the attached documentation containing the reports on these incidents from the Delegation of the P.A.V.N. to the Joint Sub-Commission, all other information relating to the incidents which the two sides are able to provide. For this purpose, they should visit the actual sites of the incidents and collect evidence on the spot from persons who can give some reliable evidence relating to these incidents, including functionaries of the civil or military authorities, eye-witnesses and the injured.
- (1) The general attitude of the people in the area.
9. In order to ensure that it gets dependable evidence without restraint, the Team should ask the local administration to assure the population in the area, through a general announcement, that the witnesses, including members of the families of victims, who approach the Team or give evidence need have no fear of any reprisals.
10. In building up its narrative the team endeavour to collect evidence which would enable the Commission to find answers to the following questions:
- (a) The circumstances in which the victims were injured or killed; whether the injury or death occurred at the moment of or during arrest by the appropriate authorities of the area. If, in the course of its investigations, the Team obtains reliable evidence to show that there has been any action which exceeded the normal standards, particularly as allegations of torture have been made, the Team should give all available details in this regard in its report together with all the circumstances in which they took place.
- (b) Whether on the date of the incidents there was (and there still is) an effective civil administration in the area where the incidents occurred; the period during which the area has been controlled by the present and the previous administrations, and whether there was an orderly transfer of power in the area.