

INTRODUCTION.

The International Commission for Supervision and Control in Vietnam has so far submitted four Interim Reports covering its activities from August 11, 1954 to August 10, 1955.

2. This is the Fifth Interim Report of the Commission containing a summary of its activities from August 11, 1955 to December 10, 1955 and a review of the progress made by the two parties in the implementation of the Agreement on the cessation of hostilities in Vietnam (hereafter referred to as the Agreement). This Report should be read along with the relevant chapters of the four earlier Interim Reports.