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ROYAL GOVERNMENT OF CAMBODIA MINISTRY OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS

PHNOM-PENH, 17th June, 1955.

INTERNATIONAL COMMISSION FOR SUPERVISION AND CONTROL IN CAMBODIA

Mr. Chairman,

As the Royal Government has been subjected to an underhand campaign of denigration in regard to American Military Aid, it takes leave to request you to kindly inform it officially of the position taken by the International Commission for Control of the Cease-fire -- which is responsible for the application of the Geneva Agreement -- concerning this aid granted to Cambodia in consideration of its sovereignty.

It is my duty to remind you that following the exchange of letters of 16th May 1955 between the Embassy of the United States of America and the Ministry of Foreign Affairs, I had the occasion to forward you unofficially the full text of this exchange of letters.

I now enclose the same, and beg you to kindly inform me officially of the view of the International Commission for Supervision and Control of the Cease-fire in regard to their content and to any incidence they might have on the Geneva Agreement and the Declaration of the Cambodian Delegation of 20th July 1954.

I would therefore be particularly grateful for a rapid reply which will enable the Royal Government to clarify the situation of Cambodia in regard to its international obligations and to its internal and external sovereignty.

Please accept, Mr. Chairman, the assurances of my highest esteem.

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The Commission wishes to inform the Royal Governmen

Mr. G. Parthasarathi, Chairman of the International Commission for Supervision and Control of Cease-fire in Cambodia, Phnom Penh.

Please permit me, Your Excellency, to convey to

you the expressions of my high esteem

Yours faithfully,

(Sed.) G. Parthasarath

Chairman