

NOTES FOR THE GUIDANCE OF MOBILE TEAMS

(i) When the Team anticipates violation of the provisions of the Agreement.

(ii) When as a result of violation, there has been loss of life or property.

8. Reports must be signed by the senior officers of the three countries, unless one of the members does not agree, when action as per paragraph 2 (b) may be taken.

9. All reports will be **SECRET**.

GENERAL

10. No clerks or typewriters are being provided. Reports will, therefore, be in manuscript - one copy only need be sent and one copy will be retained by the Team.

11. All the vehicles of the Fixed Team shall be painted white. All members shall wear the International Commission's armbands and fly the International Flag on their vehicles. Each member will at all times carry the International Commission's Identity Card as well as the Credential issued to him.

International Commission for clarification of instructions, should be referred to the International Commission for clarification of instructions. However, such referral should not delay the investigation or enquiry if the majority decides that the matter is urgent. The Team should cooperate, and it is desirable that its reports should be unanimous. In case of disagreement within the Team about the findings or report of an investigation or enquiry, the dissenting view should be incorporated in a report to the International Commission.

(c) The Team will have the assistance of such personnel as interpreters, including those locally recruited, cipher operators, signallers and others as required.

ORGANIZATION OF WORK

3. The Team should work in close cooperation with its Chairman. The Chairman may request secretarial assistance from the members of the Team. The official languages will be English and French. All unanimous reports and communications to the International Commission will be sent in English, but in case of disagreement, reports may be sent in English or French. Communications to the Commanders of the French or Laotian Forces or the Vietnamese People's Volunteers and "Patrol Lao" or to civilian officials should be sent in English along with an unofficial French translation. Members may communicate to their national representatives on the International Commission, if necessary, in their own language and in their own ciphers. The Indian Member will be responsible for providing the channel of communication of messages to the International Commission and/or National Delegation. Normal means of communication