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**SECURITY ARRANGEMENTS**  
“AGREEMENT ON MONITORING OF THE MANAGEMENT OF ARMS AND ARMIES”  
EXPERIENCES FROM NEPAL 2006 - 2008

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**MEDIATION AND NEGOTIATION OF THE AMMA&A**  
**BASED ON THE COMPREHENSIVE PEACE ACCORD:**

**NEPAL GOVERNMENT:**  
3 MINISTERS, HEADED BY THE HOME MINISTER  
+ 3 MILITARY EXPERTS (HEADED BY DMO)

**MAOIST:**  
3 POLITICIANS  
+ 3 DEPUTY COMMANDERS MAOIST ARMY

**OFFICE OF THE PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE OF UNSG:**  
HEADED BY THE CHIEF MILITARY ADVISER (ME)  
+ THE POLITICAL ADVISER AND A POLITICAL OFFICER

**DONE IN 8 DAYS IN NEPAL – 12 PAGES!**  
**FOLLOWED BY A UN SECURITY COUNCIL RESOLUTION**  
**(MANDATE, I.E. UNSCR 1740)**

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UN SECURITY COUNCIL RESOLUTION 1740, 23<sup>RD</sup> JANUARY 2007  
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UN SECURITY COUNCIL RESOLUTION 1796, 23<sup>RD</sup> JANUARY 2008

1. To **monitor** the management of arms and armed personnel of both sides, in line with the provisions of the Comprehensive Peace Agreement,
2. To **assist** the parties through a **Joint Monitoring Coordinating Committee** in implementing their agreement on the management on the management of arms and armed personnel of both sides, as provided for in that agreement,
3. To **assist in the monitoring** of the ceasefire arrangements”,
4. To provide technical support for the planning and conduct of the election of a Constituent Assembly in a free and fair atmosphere, in consultations with the parties,
5. To provide a small team of electoral monitors to review all technical aspects of the electoral process, and report on the conduct of the elections.

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## CONTROL OF ARMS AND ARMIES

### **MAOIST ARMY CANTONMENT:**

**MAOIST ARMY COMBATANTS AND THEIR WEAPONS SHALL BE CONFINED WITHIN DESIGNATED CANTONMENT AREAS. THE GOVERNMENT OF NEPAL WILL PROVIDE FOOD SUPPLIES AND OTHER NECESSARY ARRANGEMENTS. WHEN IMPLEMENTED, THE COMPREHENSIVE CONCEPT SHALL ENSURE GOOD COMMUNICATIONS AND PROPER LOGISTICS.**

**UN MONITORS WILL HAVE ACCESS TO ANY AND ALL CANTONMENT SITES FOR PURPOSES OF MONITORING.**

### **NEPAL ARMY BARRACKING:**

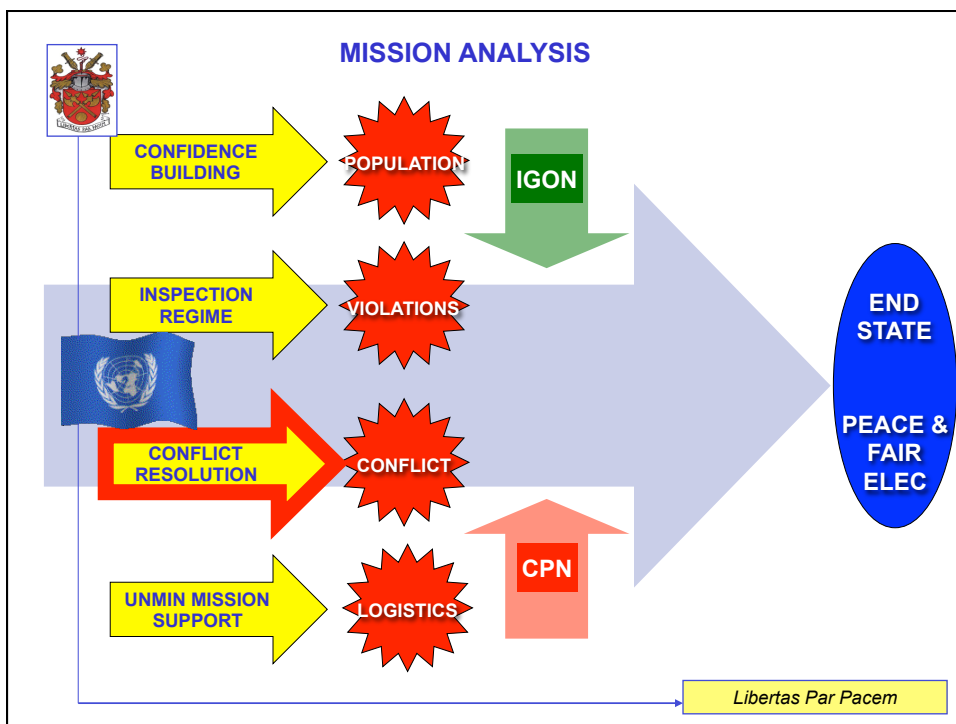
**THE NEPAL ARMY WILL REMAIN WITHIN THE BARRACKS. THE NEPAL ARMY TO STORE ARMS IN EQUAL NUMBERS TO THAT OF THE MAOIST ARMY.**

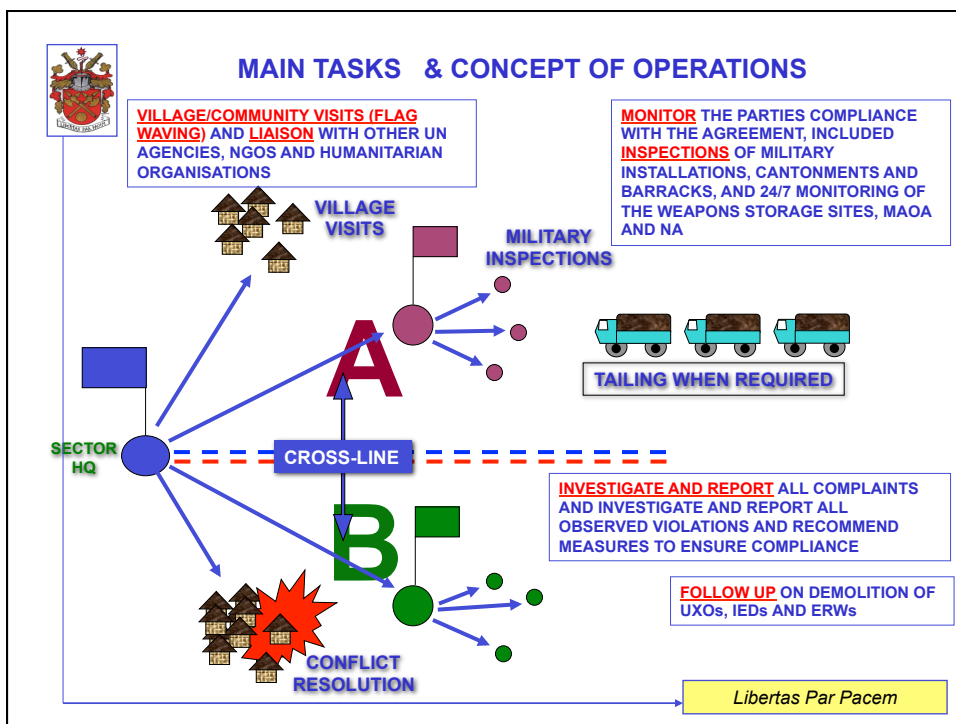
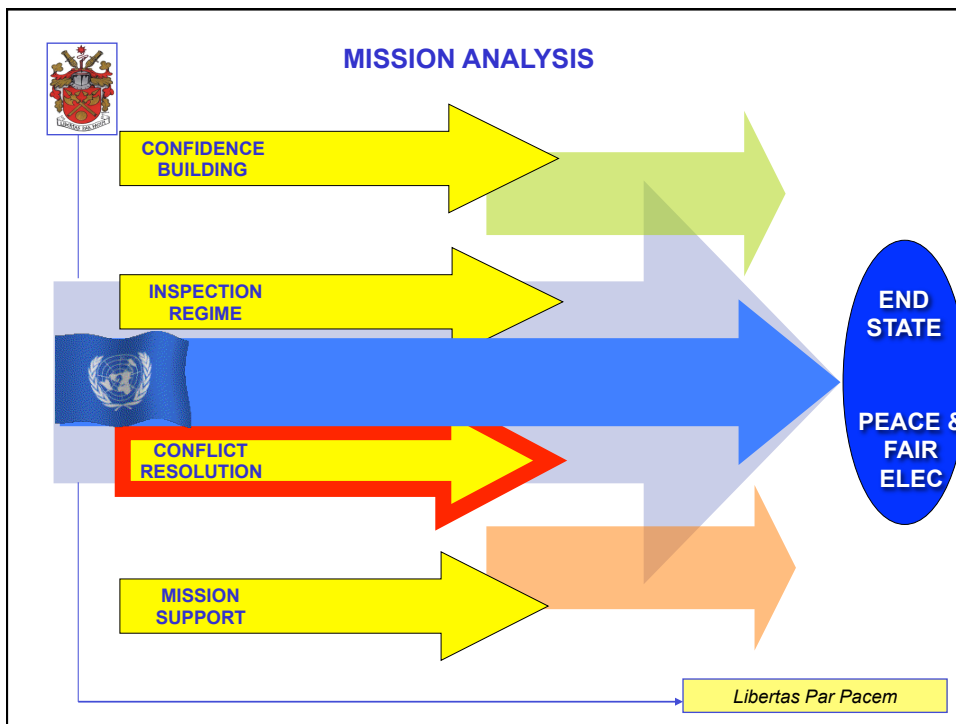
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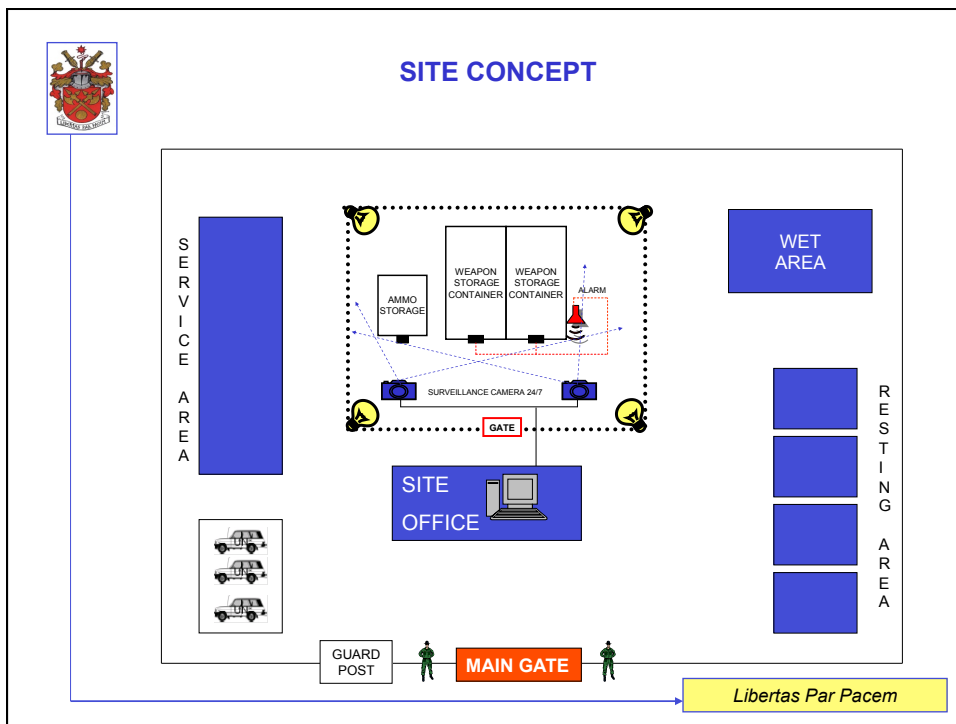
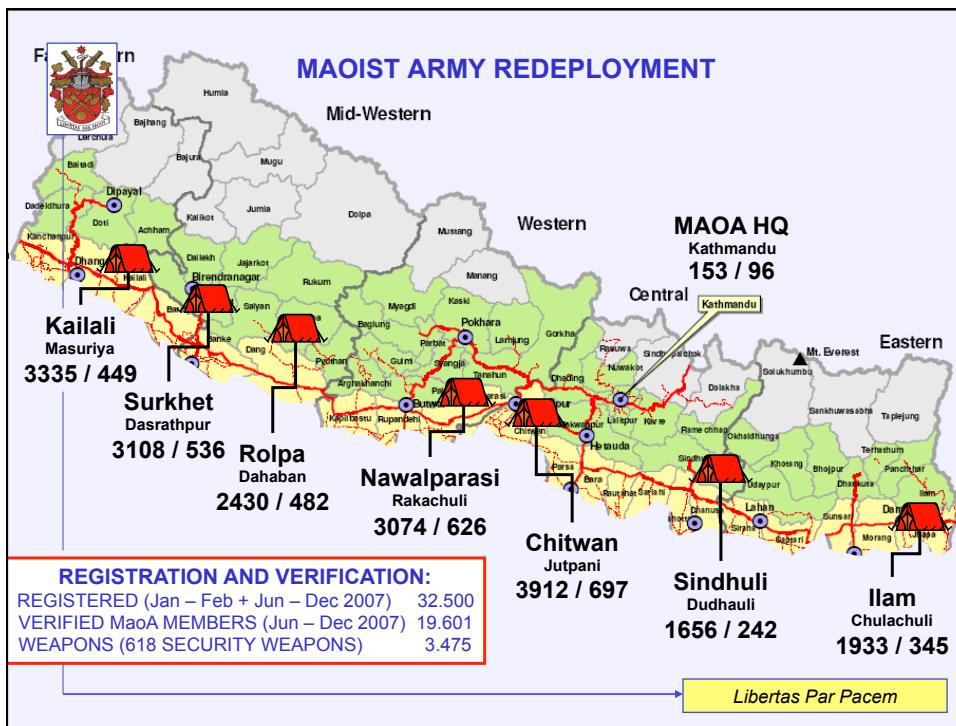
### **NOTE:**

**THE NEPAL ARMY WILL HAVE THE SOLE RESPONSIBILITY FOR THE SECURITY OF THE COUNTRY!**

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**CANTONMENT AND REGISTRATION OF MAOIST ARMY**

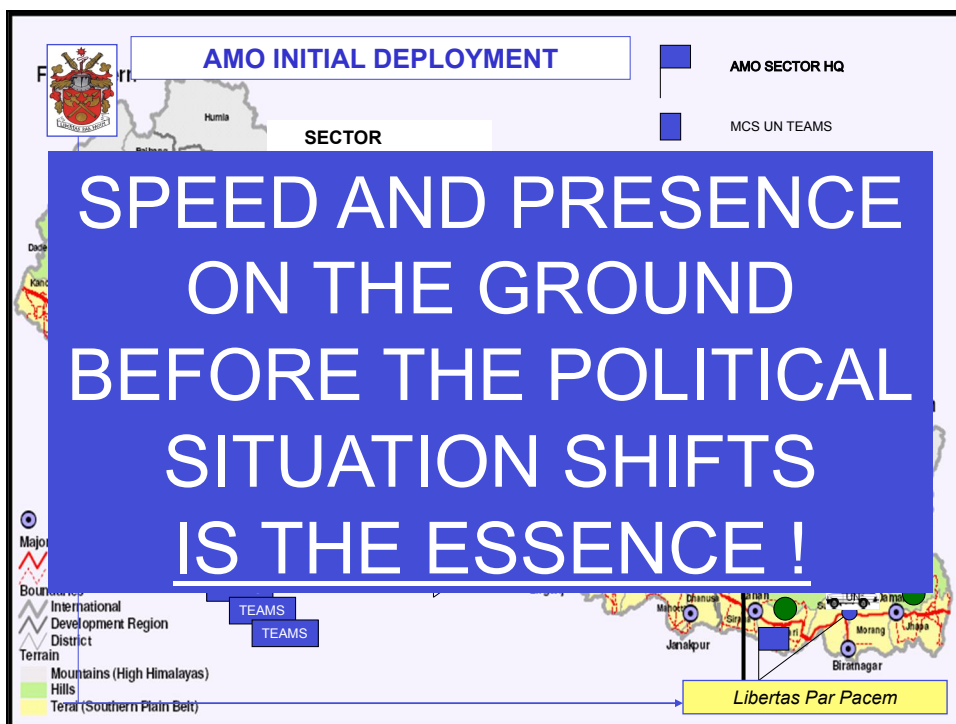
**THE MAIN MISSION OF THE AMO IN JANUARY – FEBRUARY 2007 WAS TO:**

- 1. REGISTER MAOA MEMBERS AND**
- 2. SECURE SAFE STORAGE OF MAOIST ARMY WEAPONS**
- 3. MONITORING THE NEPAL ARMY**

**TO ENSURE DEVELOPMENT IN THE PEACEPROCESS, AND CPN(M) PARTICIPATION IN THE GOVERNMENT**

**PREPARE THE GROUND FOR A COMING DDR AND SSR PROCESS**

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**AMO INITIAL DEPLOYMENT**

**SECTOR**

**AMO SECTOR HQ**

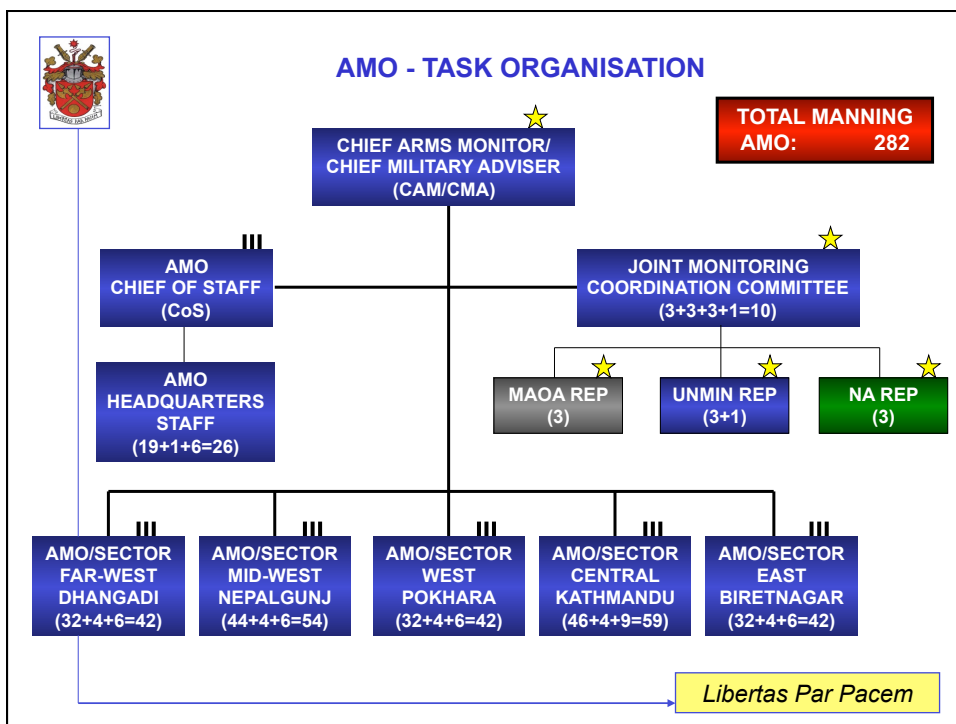
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**SPEED AND PRESENCE ON THE GROUND BEFORE THE POLITICAL SITUATION SHIFTS IS THE ESSENCE !**

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## RELATION BUILDING DURING NEGOTIAN FROM DAY 1 FOR FUTURE COOPERATION - THE JOINT CONCEPT

1. A MUST TO ESTABLISH THE PARTIES OWNERSHIP TO THE CONFLICT AND THE SOLUTION BASED ON THRUST AND CONFIDENCE (RELATION BUILDING)
2. INVOLVE THE PARTIES IN CONFLICT RESOLUTION ON STRATEGIC, OPERATIONAL AND TACTICAL LEVELS
3. MISSION LEADERSHIP TO BE INVOLVED FROM THE START/ IN THE NEGOTIATION PROCESS AS THEY CAN INFLUENCE WHAT WILL WORK OR NOT WORK
4. THE PARTIES RESPONSIBEL FOR SAFETY AND SECURITY OF MISSION PERSONNEL

**THE MAIN NEGOTIATERS LATER LEAD THE MISSION**

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## THE JOINT MONITORING COORDINATION COMMITTEE

THE NINE-MEMBER JOINT MONITORING COORDINATION COMMITTEE (JMCC) WILL HAVE A CHAIRMAN APPOINTED BY THE MISSION. THERE WILL BE TWO VICE-CHAIRMEN, ONE EACH FROM THE MAOIST ARMY AND THE NEPAL ARMY. THE REMAINING SIX MEMBERS WILL BE TWO UN, TWO NA AND TWO MAOIST ARMY, ALL AS SELECTED BY THE PARTIES RESPECTIVELY.

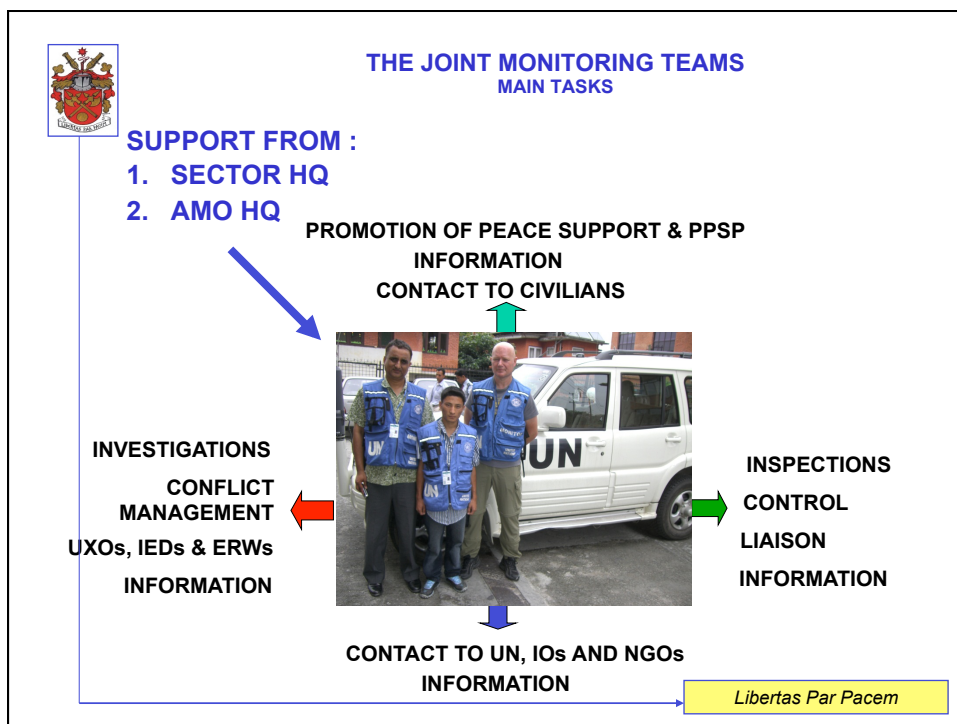
THE JMCC SHALL REACH ITS DECISIONS BY CONSENSUS.

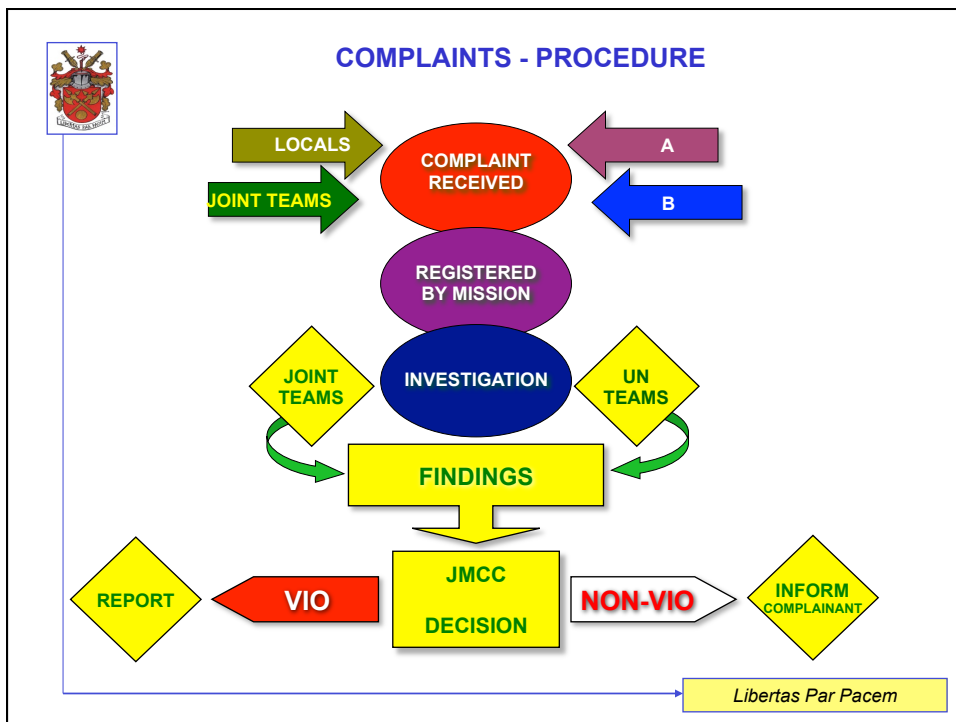
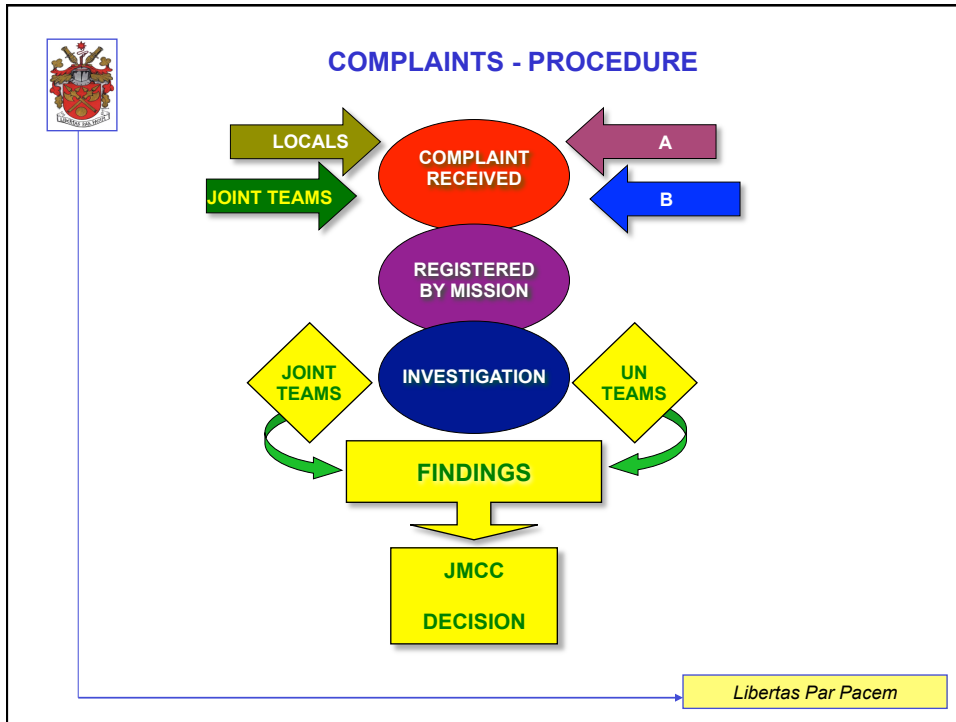


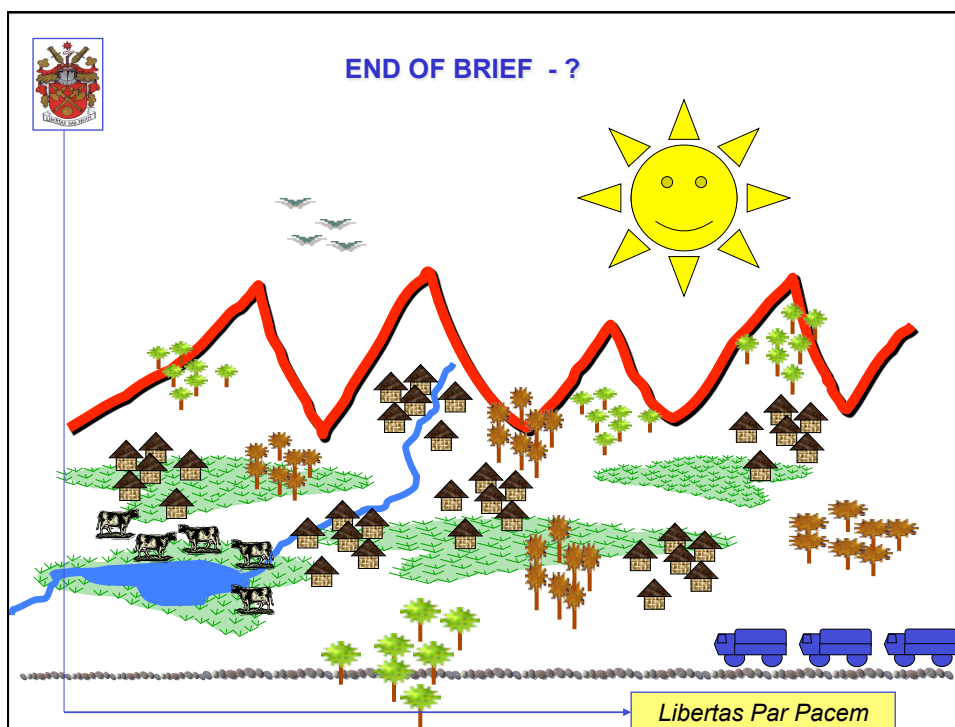
### PRINCIPLES:

1. RESOLVE ALL PROBLEMS AND DISPUTES AT THE LOWEST LEVEL POSSIBLE,
2. PROMOTE JOINT PROBLEM-SOLVING AND BUILD TRUST AND CONFIDENCE
3. BUILD ON LESSONS LEARNED IN THE PROCESS.

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**VIOLATIONS**

**THE FOLLOWING ACTS SHALL CONSTITUTE VIOLATIONS OF THE AGREEMENT:**

1. ANY ACT THAT CONTRAVENES THIS AGREEMENT;
2. UNAUTHORISED TROOP MOVEMENTS;
3. UNAUTHORISED RECRUITMENT, CONSCRIPTION OR MOBILISATION;
4. UNAUTHORISED REPLENISHMENT OF MILITARY EQUIPMENT;
5. VIOLATION OF HUMAN RIGHTS, HUMANITARIAN LAW OR OBSTRUCTION OF FREEDOM OF MOVEMENT OF PEOPLE, GOODS AND SERVICES;
6. ESPIONAGE, SABOTAGE, AIR SURVEILLANCE AND ACTS OF SUBVERSION; AND,
7. MILITARY FLIGHTS, OR MILITARY FLIGHTS UTILISING CIVILIAN AIRCRAFT, OVER CANTONMENT SITES WITHOUT 48-HOUR NOTIFICATION TO THE PARTIES AND THE UN MISSION, EXCEPT IN EMERGENCY SITUATIONS OR MEDICAL EVACUATIONS.

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## THE JOINT MONITORING COORDINATION COMMITTEE SUCCESS FACTORS & RESULTS

### BASIC PRINCIPLES:

1. EXPERIENCE FROM SIMILAR ACTIVITY
2. ESTABLISH GOOD PERSONAL AND WORKING RELATIONS, TRUST AND CONFIDENCE
3. CORRECT AGENDA SETTING, CLIMB FROM SMALL TO SERIOUS ISSUES, A MIX OF INFORMATION AND PROBLEM SOLVING.

### RESULTS:

1. 80 EXCELLENT MEETINGS
2. DIRECTION TO THE TWO ARMIES THROUGH THE CHAIN OF COMMAND TO DELETE MISUNDERSTANDING AND PROBLEMS ON LOWER ECHELONS
3. INPUT TO AND DEVELOPMENT OF THE AGREEMENTS, AND DEVELOPMENT OF THE MISSION.

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