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TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.
FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
SUBJECT: Operation of Port Facilities and Terminal Services.

FOM No. 731(LCO)

1 September 1949

1. Reference: SCAP memorandum, AG 567(1 Sep 48)GD, SCAPIN 6744-A, 29 July 1949, subject as above.
2. Submitted herewith is a plan of the Japanese Government concerning the subject matter, prepared by the Administrative Management Agency in compliance with the request of reference memorandum.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(K. Otabe)
Deputy Director,
Liaison Bureau,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

1 Incl
Plan (in 10 copies)
as indicated above.

昭和廿四年九月壹日

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TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.
FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
SUBJECT: Reports on Illegal Trade (777 - 780).

FOM No. 732(FDM)

1 September 1949

1. Reference: Paragraph 5, SCAP memorandum, AG 091.31 (4 Jun 46) ESS/PC, SCAPIN 996, subject: Illegal Import and Export Trade.
2. Transmitted herewith are the subject report of the Ministry of Finance, Q/R serial, Nos. 777 through 780, addressed to General Headquarters, Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(T.Yoshioka)
Chief of Liaison Section,
Liaison Bureau,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

1 Incl
Four (4) reports as stated above.

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TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.
THROUGH: Commander Naval Forces, Far East.
FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
SUBJECT: Petition for Check Sweeping of Kudamatsu Course by U.S. Sweeping Forces.

FOM No. 733 (TRAM) 1 September 1949

1. Reference:

- a. CLCO letter No. 4253(2F), 28 December 1948, subject: Petition for Check Sweeping of Channels Leading from Bungo-Suido to Shimonoseki East Entrance and Tokuyama by U.S. Sweeping Forces.
- b. Memorandum of ESS, GHQ, SCAP, 463.8 (20 May 49)ESS/IND, subject: Application for Approval of Permitting the Nippon Oil Co., Ltd. to use Suetake Reservoir, Kudamatsu Oil Refinery of the Company as a Principal Petroleum Import Base.
- c. SCAP memorandum, AS 463.7 (13 Jul 49)ESS/IND, SCAPIN 2027, subject: Operation of Pacific Coast Refineries and Import of Crude Petroleum.

2. Transmitted herewith is a petition of the Ministry of Transportation on the subject matter, addressed to General Headquarters, Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(T. Yoshioka)
Chief of Liaison Section,
Liaison Bureau,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

1. Incl
Petition of Transportation Ministry,
MSA No. 1093(FR) in quadruplicate.

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TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.
FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
SUBJECT: Petition for KIRISHITA, Takeo, Convicted War Criminal.

FOM No. 734 (LGR) 1 September 1949

Transmitted herewith is a petition for KIRISHITA, Takeo, civilian, who was sentenced to life imprisonment by the U.S. Military Commission in Yokohama and is now detained in Sugamo Prison.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(T. Yoshioka)
Chief of Liaison Section,
Liaison Bureau,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

1 Incl
A petition as stated above
submitted by the subject person
himself with two copies of
English translation thereof.

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TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.
FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
SUBJECT: Interview with ITO (FNU).

FCM No. 735(LCR)

1 September 1949

1. Reference: Legal Section's check sheet No. 20482, 10 June 1949,
subject: Interview.

2. The National Rural Police Headquarters reports that although investigation conducted by the Second Demobilization Bureau Liquidation Division has revealed that ITO (FNU) is ITO, Yoshimasa, and his address on record is Tokyo-to, Arakawa-ku, Oku-machi, 2 chome 10, no person bearing that name is living or has ever lived at the above address.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(T. Yoshioka)
Chief of Liaison Section,
Liaison Bureau,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

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昭和四年九月廿日

TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.
FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
SUBJECT: Petition for Ex-Warrant Officer IWAMA, Rikio, Convicted War Criminal.

FCM No. 736(LCR)

1 September 1949

Transmitted herewith is a petition for ex-Warrant Officer IWAMA, Rikio who was sentenced to fifteen years' imprisonment by the Chinese War Crimes Tribunal in Shanghai and is now detained in Sugamo Prison.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(T. Yoshioka)
Chief of Liaison Section,
Liaison Bureau,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

1 Incl
A petition submitted by the subject person himself with three copies of English translation thereof.

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TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.
FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
SUBJECT: Acknowledgment of "White Paper."

FOM No. 737(R2)

1 September 1949

1. Reference: Memorandum of Diplomatic Section, GHQ, SCAP, AG 311.1
(30 Aug 49)DS, subject: "White Paper."

2. The Japanese Government acknowledges with thanks the receipt of a copy of the "White Paper" entitled United States Relations with China which was made public by the U.S. Department of State on August 5, 1949, and which was transmitted to this Ministry for the information of the Japanese Government.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(Ichiro Ohta)
Vice Minister for Foreign Affairs.

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昭和廿四年九月貳日

TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.
FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
SUBJECT: Periodic Report on Repatriates from Soviet-Occupied Area.

FOM No. 738(LCR)

2 September 1949

1. Reference: Check Sheet of G-2, Order of Battle P & E, 3 February 1947, subject: Request for Periodic Reports.

2. The subject report No. 256 as of 31 August 1949 is transmitted herewith.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(T. Yoshioka)
Chief of Liaison Section,
Liaison Bureau,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

1 Incl
A report in table in triplicate.

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TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.
FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
SUBJECT: Reports on Illegal Trade (781-792).

FOM No. 739(FIM) 2 September 1949

1. Reference: Paragraph 5, SCAP memorandum, AG 091.31 (4 Jun 46), ESS/PC, SCAPIN 996, subject: Illegal Import and Export Trade.
2. Transmitted herewith are the subject reports of the Ministry of Finance, Q/R serial Nos. 781 through 792, addressed to General Headquarters, Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(T. Yoshioka)
Chief of Liaison Section,
Liaison Bureau,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

1 Incl
Twelve (12) reports as stated above.

昭和廿四年九月廿日

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TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.
FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
SUBJECT : Periodic Report on Repatriates from Soviet-Occupied Area.

FOM No. 740(LCR) 2 September 1949

1. Reference: Check sheet of G-2, Order of Battle P & E, 3 February 1947, subject: Request for Periodic Reports.
2. The subject report No. 257 as of 1 September 1949 is transmitted herewith.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(T.Yoshioka)
Chief of Liaison Section,
Liaison Bureau,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

1 Incl
A report in table in triplicate.

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TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.
FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
SUBJECT: Interview with KAIDO(FNU).

FCM No. 741(LGR)

2 September 1949

1. Reference: Legal Section's Check Sheet No. 20536 LS-Z, 28 June 1949, subject: Interview.
2. The National Rural Police Headquarters reports that the first name of KAIDO(FNU) was Chido and that he died in December 1946, as shown in the enclosed certified copy of the entry of Koseki Tohon (family register) regarding his death.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(T. Yoshioka)
Chief of Liaison Section,
Liaison Bureau,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

1 Incl
A certified copy as indicated
above with its English translation.

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TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.
FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
SUBJECT: Interview with SATO (FNU).

FCM No. 742(LGR)

2 September 1949

1. Reference: Legal Section's check sheet No. 20459 LS-Z, 3 June 1949, subject: Interview.
2. The National Rural Police Headquarters reports that investigation has revealed that the first name of SATO (FNU) is Bunji, and that his address on record is Tokyo-to, Sumida-ku, Narihira-bashi, 1 chome, 4-2.
3. The said Headquarters further reports that the said person, however, could not be found at the above place, though all efforts were exerted to locate him.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(T. Yoshioka)
Chief of Liaison Section,
Liaison Bureau,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

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TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.
FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
SUBJECT : Request for Intermediation in Obtaining Weather Reports
from Soviet and Chinese Communist Areas.

FOM No. 743(PG)

2 September 1949

1. Recently the weather reports from the Soviet areas, especially from Siberia, Mongolia, Kamchatka and the Okhotsk Sea, as well as from Chinese Communists' sectors, have, in spite of the regulations of International Meteorological Organisation, almost not been obtained by the Japanese Central Meteorological Observatory.

2. The said Observatory, therefore, requested the good offices of Dr. S.K. Banerji, President, Regional Commission II of IMO, New Delhi, in this matter by the letters of 17 and 29 June 1949, which have remained unanswered to date.

3. The Japanese Government regards it a matter of high importance also from the view-point of domestic administration to receive correct weather reports from the above-mentioned areas and requests the good offices of the General Headquarters, Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers, so that the ordinary weather reports can be obtained from those areas.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(Katsumi Ohno)
Director, Bureau of Political Affairs,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

1 Incl
1 copy of each letter of 17 & 29
June 1949 from Director of the
Central Meteorological Observatory
addressed to Dr. S. K. Banerji,
President, Regional Commission II,
New Delhi.

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昭和廿四年九月三日

TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.
FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
SUBJECT : Application for Approval of Returning Government Bonds and
Debenture Issued Outside of Japan and Offered as Security
for Loan on Bills.

FOM No. 744(FIM)

2 September 1949

1. Reference: SCAP memorandum, AG 130 (22 Sep 45)ESS, subject: Control
of Financial Transactions.

2. Transmitted herewith is a letter of the Ministry of Finance on the
subject matter, addressed to the Economic and Scientific Section, General
Headquarters, Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(T.Yoshioka)
Chief of Liaison Section,
Liaison Bureau,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

1 Incl
Letter of Finance Ministry
(FCO 2320/49 FI/FE) in
triplicate.

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TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.
FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
SUBJECT: Information on Shikai Otsubo.

FOM No. 745(GJ)

2 September 1949

1. Reference: Check sheet of Diplomatic Section, GHQ, SCAP, 18 July 1949, subject: OAP Case of Mrs. Shikai Otsubo.
2. In compliance with the request by reference check sheet, a document required is enclosed herewith, which shows the following facts.
 - a. Shikai Otsubo is alive now.
 - b. Shikai's present address is 151, Atagoyama, Koohi-shi, Kochi Ken.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(Torao Ushiroku)
Chief of Overseas Japanese Section,
Bureau of Control,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

- 1 Incl
An abstract of Shikai's family register.

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TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.
FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
SUBJECT: Application for Approval of Importation of Security.

FOM No. 746(FIM)

2 September 1949

1. Reference: SCAP memorandum, AG 130(22 Sep 45)ESS, SCAPIN 45, subject: Control of Financial Transactions.
2. Transmitted herewith is a letter of the Ministry of Finance on the subject matter, addressed to the Economic and Scientific Section, General Headquarters, Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(T. Yoshioka)
Chief of Liaison Section,
Liaison Bureau,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

- 1 Incl
Letter of Finance Ministry
(FCO 2328/49 FI/EE) in
triplicate.

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TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.
FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
SUBJECT : Application for Permission to Transfer Overseas Properties
Possessed by the Agricultural Associations to the Agricultural
Cooperative Associations.

FOM No. 747(FIM) 2 September 1949

1. Reference is made to the following SCAP memoranda:
 - a. AG 602.6 (9 Dec 45)CIE, SCAPIN 411, subject: Rural Land Reform.
 - b. AG 130 (22 Sep 45)ESS, SCAPIN 45, subject: Control of Financial Transactions.
2. Transmitted herewith is a letter of the Ministry of Finance on the subject matter, addressed to the Economic and Scientific Section, General Headquarters, Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(T.Yoshioka)
Chief of Liaison Section,
Liaison Bureau,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

1 Incl
Letter of Finance Ministry
(FCO 2338/49 FI/FE) in
triplicate.

0067

TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.
FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
SUBJECT: Payment of Expenses for Program Transmission Service between
Japan and United States of America.

FOM No. 748(FIM) 2 September 1949

Transmitted herewith is a letter of the Ministry of Telecommuni-
cations on the subject matter, addressed to the General Headquarters,
Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(T. Yoshioka)
Chief of Liaison Section,
Liaison Bureau,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

1 Incl
Letter of Ministry of
Telecommunications
dated 29 August 1949
in triplicate.

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TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.
FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
SUBJECT: Application for Approval of Payment on Consignment.

FOM No. 749(FIM) 2 September 1949

1. Reference:
 - a. SCAP memorandum, AG 130 (22 Sep 45)ESS, SCAPIN 45, subject: Control of Financial Transactions, 1-(e).
 - b. ESS memorandum, 072 (10 Jun 49)ESS/FIN, subject: Payment of Patent Royalties by Takeda Pharmaceutical Industries, Ltd.
2. Transmitted herewith is a letter of the Ministry of Finance on the subject matter, addressed to the Economic and Scientific Section, General Headquarters, Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(T.Yoshioka)
Chief of Liaison Section,
Liaison Bureau,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

1 Incl
Letter of Finance Ministry
(FCO 2333/49 FI/FE) in
triplicate.

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昭和二十四年九月三日

TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS
FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
SUBJECT: Information on Yasuro YAMAMOTO.

FOM No. 750(CJ) 2 September 1949

1. Reference: Check Sheet of Diplomatic Section, GHO, SCAP, 1 June 1949, subject: OAP Case of Yasuro YAMAMOTO.
2. In compliance with the request by reference check sheet, a document required is enclosed herewith, which shows the following facts.
 - a. Yasuro YAMAMOTO is alive now. Yasuro's present address is 787, Itatsuhon-machi, Kokura-shi, Fukuoka Ken.
 - b. Tsutae, Yasuro's wife, died on 26 February 1945.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(Tozao Ushiroku)
Chief of Overseas Japanese Section,
Bureau of Control,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

- 1 Incl
A copy of family register of
Yasuro and Tsutae.

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TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.
FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
SUBJECT: Documents Regarding SAMESHIMA, Harumi.

FOM No. 751(LCR)

2 September 1949

1. Reference:

- a. Check sheet of Diplomatic Section (Yokohama Division), 10 August 1949, subject: Harumi SAMESHIMA.
- b. FOM letter No. 721(LCR), 30 August 1949, subject as above.

2. Transmitted herewith is a copy of Koseki Tohon of SAMESHIMA, Harumi.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(T. Yoshioka)
Chief of Liaison Section,
Liaison Bureau,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

1 Incl

A copy of Koseki Tohon in Japanese.

0071

TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.

FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

SUBJECT: Request for Renewal of Pass to Visit Sugamo Prison.

FOM No. 752(LCR)

2 September 1949

1. The Ministry of Foreign Affairs hereby requests that the General Headquarters, Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers be good enough to renew the pass which had authorized Mr. TSUKAMOTO, Goro, Head of the Sugamo Branch, Liaison Bureau, Ministry of Foreign Affairs, to visit internees at Sugamo Prison, as the term of the pass expired on 31 August 1949.

2. The invalid pass is returned herewith to the Legal Section, General Headquarters, Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(T. Yoshioka)
Chief of Liaison Section,
Liaison Bureau,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

1 Incl

Pass to visit Sugamo Prison.

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TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.
FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
SUBJECT: Transmittal of Applications for Extension of Stay of Sixty Day Visitors.

FOM No. 753(GRP)

2 September 1949

1. Reference: SCAP memorandum, AG 680.2 (21 Jul 49)GA, SCAPIN 2041, subject: Extension of Sixty Day Visit to Visit Relatives and Friends.
2. The Japanese Government has duly recognized that 4 people listed in attached roster are eligible for extension of stay in Japan in accordance with the provisions of reference memorandum.
3. Transmitted herewith are copies, each in duplicate, of the applications of the above persons for approval of the General Headquarters, Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(Eiji Wajima)
Director, Bureau of Control,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

2 Incls

1. 4 Applications (Nos. 67 thru 70).
2. Roster, in triplicate.

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昭和十四年九月三日

TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.
(Attn: Diplomatic Section).
FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
SUBJECT: Acknowledgement of Certified Copies of Berne Convention for Protection of Literary and Artistic Works Revised at Brussels, 26 June 1948.

FOM No. 754(TT)

3 September 1949

1. Reference: Diplomatic Section's memorandum, 22 August 1949, subject: Convention for the Protection of Literary and Artistic Works.
2. The Ministry of Foreign Affairs acknowledges receipt on 25 August 1949 of the memorandum referred to in the preceding paragraph, together with copy of the memorandum No. 2969 D. 1943 from the Belgian Mission in Japan, and four certified copies of the Berne Convention for the Protection of Literary and Artistic Works, revised at Brussels on 26 June 1948.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(K. Nishimura)
Director, Bureau of Treaties,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

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TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.
FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
SUBJECT: Inquiry Concerning Transactions of Overseas Properties.

FCM No. 755(FIM)

3 September 1949

1. Reference:

- a. SCAP memorandum, AG 130(22 Sep 45)ESS, SCAPIN 45, subject: Control of Financial Transactions.
- b. Ministry of Finance Ordinance No. 88 of 1945.

2. Transmitted herewith is a letter of the Ministry of Finance on the subject matter, addressed to the Economic and Scientific Section, General Headquarters, Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(T. Yoshioka)
Chief of Liaison Section,
Liaison Bureau,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

1 Incl
Letter of Finance Ministry
(TCO 2321/49 FI/FE) in
triplicate.

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TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.
FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
SUBJECT: Information on Conditions of Japanese Nationals in Formosa.

FCM No. 756(GRP)

3 September 1949

For information of the General Headquarters, Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers, the Ministry of Foreign Affairs wishes to submit herewith a resume of statements made by the recent repatriates from Formosa concerning the conditions of Japanese nationals in Formosa.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(Ki-ji Wajima)
Director, Bureau of Control,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

1 Incl
Information in triplicate.

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TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.
FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
SUBJECT: General Observations Concerning the Second Batch of Repatriates
from Naotka, U.S.S.R.

FOM No. 757(CRP)

3 September 1949

For information of the General Headquarters, Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers, the Ministry of Foreign Affairs wishes to submit herewith the subject report, as per inclosure. This report was compiled on the basis of information collected mainly by the officials of this Ministry stationed at the Maizuru Reception Center.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(Eiji Wajima)
Director, Bureau of Control,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

1 Incl
Report in triplicate.

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TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.
FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
SUBJECT: Official Historical Records of the War.

FOM No. 758(LCR)

3 September 1949

1. Reference:

- a. Check Sheet of General Military Intelligence Section, G-2, 19 December 1945, subject as above.
- b. FOM letter No.476(LCR), 2 August 1949, subject as above.

2. Transmitted herewith are thirteen (13) copies each of the following documents forming part of the requested historical records, as prepared by the Demobilization Bureau, Repatriation Relief Agency:

- (1) Records of Operations in Chinese Area (Supreme Command of Army despatched to China).
- (2) Correction of the above (1).
- (3) Records of Operations in Chinese Area (Operations of 6th Regional Army).
- (4) Correction of the above (3).

3. The said Bureau adds that eight (8) more volumes of the records are scheduled to be submitted.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(T. Yoshioka)
Chief of Liaison Section,
Liaison Bureau,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

4 Incls
4 volumes as stated above
(13 copies each).

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TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.
FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
SUBJECT: Application for Approval of Importation of Security.

FOM No. 759(FIM)

5 September 1949

1. Reference: SCAP memorandum, AG 130(22 Sep 45)ESS, SCAPIN 45, subject: Control of Financial Transactions.
2. Transmitted herewith is a letter of the Ministry of Finance on the subject matter, addressed to the Economic and Scientific Section, General Headquarters, Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(T. Yoshioka)
Chief of Liaison Section,
Liaison Bureau,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

1 Incl
Letter of Finance Ministry
(FCO 2341/49 FI/FE) in
triplicate.

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TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.
FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
SUBJECT: Application for Approval of Importation of Security.

FOM No. 760(FIM)

5 September 1949

1. Reference: SCAP memorandum, AG 130(22 Sep 45)ESS, SCAPIN 45, subject: Control of Financial Transactions.
2. Transmitted herewith is a letter of the Ministry of Finance on the subject matter, addressed to the Economic and Scientific Section, General Headquarters, Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(T. Yoshioka)
Chief of Liaison Section,
Liaison Bureau,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

1 Incl
Letter of Finance Ministry
(FCO 2342/49 FI/FE)
in triplicate.

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TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.
FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
SUBJECT: Change of Trade Name of Securities-Holder.

FOM No. 761(FIM)

5 September 1949

1. Reference: SCAP memorandum, AG 130(22 Sep 45)ESS, SCAPIN 45, subject: Control of Financial Transactions.
2. Transmitted herewith is a letter of the Ministry of Finance on the subject matter, addressed to the Economic and Scientific Section, General Headquarters, Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(T. Yoshioka)
Chief of Liaison Section,
Liaison Bureau,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

1 Incl
Letter of Finance Ministry
(FCO 2347/49 FI/FE)
in triplicate.

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TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.
FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
SUBJECT: Monthly Report on Disposition of State-Owned Land Used by Religious Institutions.

FOM No. 762(FIM)

5 September 1949

1. Reference: SCAP memorandum, AG 602(13 Nov 46)CIE, SCAPIN 1334, subject: Disposition of State-Owned Land Used by Religious Institutions.
2. Transmitted herewith is a letter of the Ministry of Finance on the subject matter, addressed to the General Headquarters, Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(T. Yoshioka)
Chief of Liaison Section,
Liaison Bureau,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

1 Incl
Letter of Finance Ministry
(FCO 2350/49 PC/LNP) in
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TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.
FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
SUBJECT : Information Concerning Japanese Passports.

FOM No. 763(CRP)

5 September 1949

1. Reference: Check sheet from G-1, GHQ, SCAP, 28 October 1948, subject as above.
2. The subject information for August 1949, as prepared by the Repatriation and Passport Section, Bureau of Control, is forwarded herewith enclosed.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(Eiji Wajima)
Director, Bureau of Control,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

1 Incl
Information in tabulated form,
in triplicate.

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TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.
FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
SUBJECT: Application for Approval of Importation of Security.

FOM No. 764(FIM)

5 September 1949

1. Reference: SCAP memorandum, AG 130(22 Sep 45)ESS, SCAPIN 45, subject: Control of Financial Transactions.
2. Transmitted herewith is a letter of the Ministry of Finance on the subject matter, addressed to the Economic and Scientific Section, General Headquarters, Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(T. Yoshioka)
Chief of Liaison Section,
Liaison Bureau,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

1 Incl
Letter of Finance Ministry
(FOC 2343/49 FI/TE) in
triplicate.

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TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.
FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
SUBJECT: Periodic Report on Repatriates from Soviet-Occupied Area.

FOM No. 765(LOR)

5 September 1949

1. Reference: Check Sheet of G-2, Order of Battle P & B, 3 February 1947, subject: Request for Periodic Reports.
2. The subject report No. 258 as of 3 September 1949 is transmitted herewith.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(T. Yoshioka)
Chief of Liaison Section,
Liaison Bureau,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

1 Incl
A report in table in triplicate.

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TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.
FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
SUBJECT: Official Historical Records of the War.

FOM No. 767(LOR)

5 September 1949

1. Reference:
 - a. Check sheet of General Military Intelligence Section, G-2, 19 December 1945, subject as above.
 - b. FOM letter No. 701(LOR), 27 August 1949, subject as above.
2. The following is the list of the titles of the documents, as enclosed herewith, forming part of the requested historical records.

<u>Provisional Number</u>	<u>Titles</u>
33 (1)	Table Showing Transit of Organizations of Escorting Fleet and China Seas Fleet of the Japanese Navy during the Pacific War.
33 (2)	Table Showing Transit of Organizations of Air Fleets of the Japanese Navy during the Pacific War.
33 (3)	Table Showing Transit of Organizations of Southwestern Area Fleet, Each South Sea Fleet, Southeastern Area Fleet, Northeastern Area Fleet, Central Pacific Area Fleet and 10th Area Fleet of the Japanese Navy during the Pacific War.

3. In accordance with the previous arrangement, one copy of each volume are hereby submitted from among the requested ten copies and the rest will be delivered directly to Historical Branch, FEC & SCAP by the Second Demobilization Bureau Liquidation Division.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(T.Yoshioka)
Chief of Liaison Section,
Liaison Bureau,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

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As stated in para 2. above.

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TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.
FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
SUBJECT: Information on Misako Oshima.

FOM No. 768(CJ)

5 September 1949

1. Reference: Check Sheet of Diplomatic Section, GHQ, SCAP, 6 August 1949, subject: OAP Case of Misako Oshima.

2. In compliance with the request by reference Check Sheet, a document required is enclosed herewith which shows the following facts.

- a. Misako Oshima died on October 18, 1946 at 63 Ushida-cho, Hiroshima-shi.
- b. Misako was married to Katsunai Sato on February 13, 1943.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(Torao Ushiroku)
Chief of Overseas, Japanese Section,
Bureau of Control,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

1 Incl
A copy of Misako's
family register.

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TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.
FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
SUBJECT : Petitions for Ex-Lt. Colonel ADACHI, Seichi, Convicted War Criminal.

FOM No. 769(LCR)

5 September 1949

Transmitted herewith are three petitions for ex-Lt. Colonel ADACHI, Seichi who was sentenced to seventeen years' imprisonment by the U.S. Military Commission in Yokohama and is now detained in Sugamo Prison.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(T.Yoshioka)
Chief of Liaison Section,
Liaison Bureau,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

3 Incls
Three petitions together with two
copies of English translations
thereof.

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TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.
FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
SUBJECT : Information on Madam Oshio.

FOM No. 770(GJ)

5 September 1949

1. Reference: Check sheet of Diplomatic Section, GHQ, SCAP, 6 August 1949, subject: OAP Case of Kekichi Oshio.
2. In compliance with the request by reference check sheet, a document required is enclosed herewith, which shows the following facts.
 - a. The name of the mother of Kekichi can not be found in the family register.
 - b. Sumi, Kekichi's wife, died on 7 July 1949.
 - c. The name of Kekichi's heir is Koichi Oshio. Koichi's present address is 1175, Hachita, Matsuo-machi, Sanbu-gun, Chiba-ken.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(Torao Ushiroku)
Chief of Overseas Japanese Section,
Bureau of Control,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

1 Incl
A copy of family register of
Kekichi, Sumi, and Koichi.

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TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.
FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
SUBJECT: Notices to Mariners.

FOM No. 771(MSB)

5 September 1949

1. Reference: SCAP memorandum, AG 040(26 Dec 45)CS, subject: Operation of Japanese Hydrographic Department.
2. Five (5) copies of the pamphlet, entitled "Notices to Mariners" for the week ending 3 September 1949, as prepared by the Maritime Safety Board, Ministry of Transportation, are transmitted herewith.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(T. Yoshioka)
Chief of Liaison Section,
Liaison Bureau,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

1 Incl
Pamphlet as stated above,
in quintuplicate.

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TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.

FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

SUBJECT: Interview with YAMADA (FNU) and Information on FUJIKAWA Company.

FCM No. 772(LCR)

6 September 1949

1. Reference is made to the following Legal Section's Check Sheets:

- a. No. 20623 LS-Z, 28 July 1949, subject: Request for Interview and Information.
- b. No. 20662 LS-Z, 9 August 1949, subject: Request for Information.
- c. No. 20690 LS-Z, 20 August 1949, subject as b above.

2. The Second Demobilization Bureau Liquidation Division reports on the subject matter as follows:

- a. Despite investigations made by the said Division as well as each District Liquidation Division of the records related to the units which took part in the landing operations at Rabi (Milne Bay), no warrant officer named YAMADA (FNU) commanding the Headquarters Platoon of FUJIKAWA Company has been identified, nor have the records of the said Company been found.
- b. Enquiries into the required persons by reference b Check Sheet are now being made of the persons who participated in the said operations, and also efforts are being exerted to collect data necessary for the compilation of the correct list, requested under reference c Check Sheet, of the survivors of the 5th Sasebo Naval Landing Party. In conjunction with the above investigations further enquiries are being conducted for the purpose of drawing up the nominal roll of the FUJIKAWA Company.
- c. Information on YAMADA (FNU) will be submitted in case it is obtained.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(T. Yoshioka)
Chief of Liaison Section,
Liaison Bureau,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

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TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.

FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

SUBJECT: Request for Transmittal of a Note Verbale to Swedish Diplomatic Mission in Japan.

FCM No. 773(GJ)

6 September 1949

The Japanese Government wishes to request the General Headquarters, Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers, to be good enough to transmit to the Swedish Diplomatic Mission in Japan the enclosed Note Verbale of the Japanese Ministry of Foreign Affairs concerning the death reports of Japanese nationals in Hawaii.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(Eiji Wajima)
Director, Bureau of Control,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

1 Incl
Note Verbale of No. 39
together with 7 copies
thereof.

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TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMAANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.
FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
SUBJECT: Transmittal of Applications for Extension of Stay of Sixty Day Visitors.

FOM No. 774(CRP)

6 September 1949

1. Reference: SCAP memorandum, AG 680.2 (21 Jul 49)GA, SCAPIN 2041, subject: Extension of Sixty Day Visit to Visit Relatives and Friends.
2. The Japanese Government has duly recognized that 4 people listed in attached roster are eligible for extension of stay in Japan in accordance with the provisions of reference memorandum.
3. Transmitted herewith are copies, each in duplicate, of the applications of the above persons for approval of the General Headquarters, Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(Eiji Wajima)
Director, Bureau of Control,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

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1. 4 Applications (Nos. 71 thru 74).
2. Roster in triplicate.

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TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.
FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
SUBJECT: Report on Closing of Senshu Plant of Kawasaki Heavy Industry Co., Ltd.

FOM No. 775(TRAM)

6 September 1949

Transmitted herewith is the subject report of the Ministry of Transportation addressed to the Economic and Scientific Section, General Headquarters, Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(T. Yoshioka)
Chief of Liaison Section,
Liaison Bureau,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

1 Incl
Report of Transportation
Ministry, MOT No.506(VA)
in triplicate.

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TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.
FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
SUBJECT: Application for Permission to Reconstruct a Wooden Fishing Vessel.

FOM No. 776(TEAM)

6 September 1949

Transmitted herewith is the subject application of the Ship Bureau, Ministry of Transportation, MCT-W No.508(VB), dated 1 September 1949, addressed to General Headquarters, Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(T. Yoshioka)
Chief of Liaison Section,
Liaison Bureau,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

1 Incl
Application as stated above,
in triplicate.

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TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.
FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
SUBJECT: Transfer of Telephone Right to Mr. Kikujiro Arai.

FOM No. 777(TEM)

6 September 1949

1. Reference: SCAP memorandum, AG 095 (24 Feb 49)CPC/PLD, SCAPIN 6761-A, 3 August 1949, subject as above.

2. Transmitted herewith is a letter of the Ministry of Telecommunications on the subject matter, addressed to the Civil Property Custodian, General Headquarters, Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(T. Yoshioka)
Chief of Liaison Section,
Liaison Bureau,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

1 Incl
Letter of Telecommunications
Ministry dated 1 September 1949
in triplicate.

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TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.
FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
SUBJECT: Memorandum Relating to Operation of the Japanese National Railways.

FOM No. 778(L)

6 September 1949

1. The subject Memorandum addressed to General Headquarters, Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers, was submitted to General Headquarters on 3 September by Mr. Kagayama, Acting President of the National Railways Corporation.
2. Said Memorandum was submitted without the previous knowledge of the Prime Minister and without previous consultation with the concerned authorities of the Government.
3. The subject concerns matters of a technical operational nature. In this regard the Japanese Government's understanding is based upon an oral communication received from General Whitney, Chief of Government Section, General Headquarters, through a responsible Government liaison officer, the record of which, dated 5 August, says:
"The suggestion of the Civil Transportation Section with respect to the abolition of the commutation ticket system and enforcement of a monthly ticket-book system is in the nature of a technical advice for which it would be proper for the Transportation Ministry to express its appreciation. However, if the Transportation Ministry is of the view that, for reasons of expense or other grounds, it is ill-advised to adopt the suggestion,

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then it is recommended that the Ministry might take a firm stand against it and frankly state its reasons therefor.

"In the absence of a SCAP directive, the decision is entirely up to the discretion of the Japanese Government."

FOR THE MINISTER:

(S. Kimura)
Director, Liaison Bureau,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

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JAPANESE NATIONAL RAILWAYS

September, 1949

MEMORANDUM RELATING TO OPERATION OF THE JAPANESE NATIONAL RAILWAYS

Certain instructions have been given by officials of Civil Transportation Section, SCAP, to the Japanese National Railways relating to operating methods and details. While the National Railways appreciate the necessity for general supervision of their affairs, they believe that it is not the intention of the Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers that Civil Transportation Section engage in the actual operation of the railway system. This memorandum is therefore presented requesting that the Japanese National Railways be permitted to continue to be responsible for the daily running of the railway system.

The instructions referred to relate to:

1. The abolition of season tickets.
2. The abolition of 3rd class cars on express trains.
3. Changes in the staff of the Japanese National Railways.
4. The abolition of the Railway Technical Research Institute.
5. Reorganization of divisions and sub-divisions.

1. Abolition of season tickets.

The present system of handling passengers on the Japanese National Railways is based on the use of season tickets. These tickets are issued for a period of one, three or six months and entitle about 3,000,000 holders to travel between the stations shown on the tickets upon mere presentation at the gate as they pass through. This is the only practical method of handling the crowds of passengers at the main stations during the rush hours.

Civil Transportation Section has instructed the Japanese National Railways to abolish this system and substitute commutation tickets. Each ticket would have to be punched each time a passenger passed through the gate. It is apparent that additional gates and additional employees would be needed to prevent hopeless delays. The space for the gates would have to be found in the present stations, not to speak of the need for additional materials and employees.

It is stated that the income of the Japanese National Railways would be increased by ¥50,000,000 a year if commutation tickets were adopted. On the other hand, by putting the plan into effect, a total of ¥730,000,000 would have to be spent.

The season ticket system has proven to be the most expedient method of handling rush hour traffic in many cities and on many railway lines in the United States. It is also in use in England. It is ideally adapted for Japan where passenger traffic is heavy and profitable.

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2. Abolition of 3rd class cars on express trains.

The Japanese National Railways have been instructed to discontinue the use of 3rd class cars on express trains.

This in effect means the abolition of express trains, since, excluding season ticket holders and passengers on electric trains, 99.7% of passengers of the National Railways are third class passengers.

Express train service has always been available to all sections of the Japanese public, regardless of their economic status. To abolish it would be to disrupt the travelling habits of hundreds of thousands of people and to offer a handy target for agitators as a conferring of exclusive privileges upon the wealthy.

It is also a great advantage to the National Railways to be able to carry large numbers of 3rd class passengers long distances without a stop, as this reduces fuel consumption and wear and tear on rolling stock and equipment.

3. Promotion of employees.

Informal approval of changes in the staff of the National Railways is usually secured beforehand. In most cases, approval is given without objection, but in the case of those personally known to members of the Civil Transportation Section, the question is not so simple. Arguments for and against are made and occasionally a specific individual is pointed out for promotion. This is particularly unfair, since it means that those Japanese with a fair command of English go up the ladder faster than those trained in French or German. Knowledge of a particular language is scarcely the criterion by which efficiency and ability can be judged. Interference in these personnel matters causes much trouble to the responsible operating managers of the railway system.

4. Abolition of the Railway Technical Research Institute.

Civil Transportation Section has instructed the National Railways to abolish the Railway Technical Research Institute.

At present, many technical and scientific studies are being conducted by this organization. A thousand employees are engaged in research into engineering and scientific problems, such as improvement of locomotives and other rolling stocks, signal and communication equipments, rails, bridges and fuel. Such an organization is absolutely necessary to an efficient and up-to-date railway system and although budgetary difficulties are forcing a reduction of personnel from 1,000 to 547, this is a far cry from complete abolition of the institute as requested by the Civil Transportation Section.

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All Japanese technical experts as well as government officials desire that this institute should remain in existence. It is especially important, as manufacturers and suppliers of equipment to the National Railways have themselves almost no facilities for research.

Last year the work of this institute resulted in a saving to the National Railways of ¥620,000,000.

5. Reorganization of divisions and sub-divisions.

At present the Japanese National Railways is organized into Nine divisions, each comprising five or six sub-divisions. The National Railway has been called upon to abolish the Nine divisions and forty-eight sub-divisions and reorganize them into twenty-seven divisions.

This means that not only the offices but also the employees will have to be moved. Office space will have to be provided and remodelled, equipment, especially telephone, telegraph and despatching systems will have to be reorganized and replaced. A housing problem is also involved, since it will be necessary to move the employees of the discontinued offices to the new divisions offices.

¥640,000,000 will have to be expended for new communications equipment alone. New housing, to the tune of ¥250,000,000 will also have to be provided. Moreover, moving the former employees of the Hokkaido division office and sub-division offices to the three new division offices will involve an expenditure of ¥10,000,000.

YUKIO KAGAYAMA

Acting President
Japanese National Railways

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TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.
FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
SUBJECT: Restitution of Miscellaneous Items to the Government of the United Kingdom.

FCM No. 779(RBC)

6 September 1949

1. Reference: SCAP memorandum, AG 386(1 Mar 49)OPC/PLD, 9 August 1949, SCAPIN 4783-A, subject as above.
2. Transmitted herewith is a letter of the Civil Property Division, Reparations Board on the subject matter, addressed to the Civil Property Custodian, General Headquarters, Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(T. Yoshioka)
Chief of Liaison Section,
Liaison Bureau,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

1 Inal
Letter of Civil Property Division,
Reparations Board (R.B.C. No. 518(18))
in quadruplicate.

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TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.
FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
SUBJECT: Restitution of Books and Publications Belonging to the Philippine
Sugar Association Library.

FOM No. 780(REC)

6 September 1949

1. Reference: SCAP memorandum, AG 451(2 Dec 48)CPC/PLD, 11 August 1949,
SCAFIN 6789-A, subject as above.
2. Transmitted herewith is a letter of the Civil Property Division,
Reparations Board on the subject matter, addressed to the Civil Property
Custodian, General Headquarters, Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(T. Yoshioka)
Chief of Liaison Section,
Liaison Bureau,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

1 Incl
Letter of Civil Property Division,
Reparations Board (R.B.C. No. 520(LS))
in quadruplicate.

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TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.
FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
SUBJECT: Restitution of Miscellaneous Property to the Government
of the United Kingdom.

FOM No. 781(REC)

6 September 1949

1. Reference: SCAP memorandum, AG 386.6 (1 Mar 49)CPC/PLD, 9 August
1949, SCAFIN 6786-A, subject as above.
2. Transmitted herewith is a letter of the Civil Property Division,
Reparations Board on the subject matter, addressed to the Civil Pro-
perty Custodian, General Headquarters, Supreme Commander for the Allied
Powers.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(T. Yoshioka)
Chief of Liaison Section,
Liaison Bureau,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

1 Incl
Letter of Civil Property Division,
Reparations Board (RBC No. 521 (LS))
in quadruplicate.

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TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.
FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
SUBJECT: Restitution of Ingots Cast from Netherlands East Indies Silver
Coins.

FCM No. 782(RBG)

6 September 1949

1. Reference: SCAP memorandum, AG 410.2(5 Jun 48)GFC/FLD, SCAPIN 6771-A,
5 August 1949, subject as above.

2. Transmitted herewith is a letter of the Civil Property Division, Re-
parations Board on the subject matter, addressed to the Civil Property
Custodian, General Headquarters, Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(T. Yoshioke)
Chief of Liaison Section,
Liaison Bureau,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

1 Incl
Letter of Civil Property Division,
Reparations Board (R.B.C. No. 526(LS))
in quadruplicate.

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TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.
FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
SUBJECT: Report on Removal of Restrictions on Political, Civil and
Religious Liberties.

FOM No. 783(LLE)

6 September 1949

1. Reference is made to the following SCAP memoranda:

a. SCAPIN-93, 4 October 1945, subject: Removal of Restrictions
on Political, Civil and Religious Liberties.

b. AG 000.76 (27 Sep 45)GI, SCAPIN-66, subject: Further Steps
towards Freedom of Press and Speech.

c. AG 000.76 (8 Oct 45)GI, SCAPIN-146, 16 October 1945, subject:
Elimination of Japanese Government Control of the Motion Picture
Industry.

2. There is nothing to report on the subject matter for the latter half
of August 1949.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(T. Yoshioke)
Chief of Liaison Section,
Liaison Bureau,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

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TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.
FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
SUBJECT: Earthquake Reports and Tidal Wave Forecasts.

FCM No. 784(GMO)

7 September 1949

1. Reference: SCAP memorandum, AG 000.92(27 Dec 48)GC-G, SCAPIN 1957, 6 January 1949, subject as above.
2. Transmitted herewith is a report of Central Meteorological Observatory on the subject matter, addressed to General Headquarters, Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(T. Yoshioka)
Chief of Liaison Section,
Liaison Bureau,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

1 Incl
A report as stated above,
GMO 49-374 (C-W), in
triplicate.

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TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.
FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
SUBJECT: Information on Mr. S. Kuroda.

FCM No. 785(CJ)

6 September 1949

1. Reference: Check Sheet of Diplomatic Section, GHO, SCAP, 8 August 1949, subject: Case of Mr. S. Kuroda.
2. In compliance with the request by reference Check Sheet, the following fact is hereby informed. The present address of Sejiro Kuroda is Funa-machi plant of Nakayama Steel Company, 3 Funa-machi, Taisho-ku, Osaka-shi.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(Torao Ushiroku)
Chief of Overseas Japanese Section,
Bureau of Control,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

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TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.
FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
SUBJECT: Periodic Report on Repatriates from Soviet-Occupied Area.

FOM No. 786(LSE)

7 September 1949

1. Reference: Check Sheet of G-2, Order of Battle P & E, 3 February 1947, subject: Request for Periodic Reports.
2. The subject report No. 259 as of 6 September 1949 is transmitted herewith.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(T. Yoshioka)
Chief of Liaison Section,
Liaison Bureau,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

1 Incl
A report in table
in triplicate.

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TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.
FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
SUBJECT: Report on Salvage of Property Loaded on Ex-Japanese Warship "Mutsu".

FOM No. 787(GOM)

7 September 1949

1. Reference:
 - a. Memorandum of CNFE, Serial 4321, 1 December 1948, subject: Salvage of Material Aboard the Ex-Japanese Battleship "Mutsu" sunk at Hashira Jima, Yamaguchi Prefecture.
 - b. CICO letter, No. 3871(IG), 18 November 1948, subject: Salvage and Return of Cargoes Loaded on Sunken Ex-Navy Warship "Mutsu".
 - c. FOM letter to CNFE, No. 12(GOM), 25 July 1949, subject as above.
2. Transmitted herewith is a letter of the Ministry of Construction on the subject matter, addressed to the Economic and Scientific Section, General Headquarters, Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(T. Yoshioka)
Chief of Liaison Section,
Liaison Bureau,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

1 Incl
Letter of Construction Ministry
dated 27 August 1949.

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TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.
FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
SUBJECT: Application for Approval of Importation of Security.

FOM No. 788(FIM) 7 September 1949

1. Reference: SCAP memorandum, AG 130 (22 Sep 45)ESS, SCAPIN 45,
subject: Control of Financial Transactions.
2. Transmitted herewith is a letter of the Ministry of Finance on the
subject matter, addressed to the Economic and Scientific Section, General
Headquarters, Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(T. Yoshioka)
Chief of Liaison Section,
Liaison Bureau,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

1 Incl
Letter of Finance Ministry
(FCO 2352/49 FI/FE) in tri-
plicate.

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TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.
FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
SUBJECT: Application for Approval of Importation of Security.

FOM No. 789(FIM) 7 September 1949

1. Reference: SCAP memorandum, AG 130 (22 Sep 45)ESS, SCAPIN 45,
subject: Control of Financial Transactions.
2. Transmitted herewith is a letter of the Ministry of Finance on the
subject matter, addressed to the Economic and Scientific Section, General
Headquarters, Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(T. Yoshioka)
Chief of Liaison Section,
Liaison Bureau,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

1 Incl
Letter of Finance Ministry
(FCO 2351/49 FI/FE) in tri-
plicate.

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TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.
FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
SUBJECT: Application for Approval of Transfer of Shares Issued by Company
inside Japan to Be Offered as Collateral to the Bank of Korea.

FOM No. 790(FIM)

7 September 1949

1. Reference: SCAP memorandum, AG 130(22 Sep 45)ESS, SCAPIN 45, subject:
Control of Financial Transactions.
2. Transmitted herewith is a letter of the Ministry of Finance on the
subject matter, addressed to the Economic and Scientific Section, General
Headquarters, Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(T. Yoshioka)
Chief of Liaison Section,
Liaison Bureau,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

1 Incl
Letter of Finance Ministry
(FOG 2354/49 FI/FE) in
triplicate.

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TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.
(Attn: Civil Property Custodian)
FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
SUBJECT: Transmittal of Petition Regarding Dispute, Enz vs. Shibata
and Kimura.

FOM No. 791(LLI)

7 September 1949

1. Reference: FOM letter No. 129(LLI), 17 June 1949, subject as above.
2. Transmitted herewith is a petition of Mr. Ko Ishii, forwarding an
affidavit regarding the subject case.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(T. Yoshioka)
Chief of Liaison Section,
Liaison Bureau,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

1 Incl
Petition as stated above.

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TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.
FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
SUBJECT: Petition for KAMEOKA, Yoshio, Convicted War Criminal.

FOM No. 792(LCR)

7 September 1949

Transmitted herewith, without comment, is a petition for KAMEOKA, Yoshio, ex-Interpreter of Narumi Division of Nagoya Prisoners of War Camp, who was sentenced to twenty-five years' imprisonment by the U.S. Military Commission in Yokohama and is now detained in Sugamo Prison.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(T. Yoshioka)
Chief of Liaison Section,
Liaison Bureau,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

1 Incl
A petition as stated above with two
copies of English translation thereof.

昭和二十四年九月八日

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TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.
FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
SUBJECT: Information concerning Harry T. Stillman Jr.

FOM No. 793(LCR)

7 September 1949

1. Reference: Memorandum of Japanese Liaison Section, 22 August 1949, subject as above.

2. The following is the report of the Yokosuka Liaison and Coordination Office, concerning Harry T. Stillman Jr., obtained through investigations conducted by the National Property Branch and the police authorities in Yokosuka city:

a. Financial status at end of hostilities.

The subject person has been residing in Japan for more than twenty years. Prior to the war, he engaged in the manufacturing and repairing business of medical appliances and so forth. With his assets being frozen on account of his enemy nationality, during wartime he could not continue his business. His assets at the time of termination of the war are estimated to have been about 170,000 yen judging from the fact that he had no assets except the money of the said amount, which was restored from the Japanese Government upon release of his frozen assets in 1946.

b. Primary occupational activities.

In 1946, immediately after he obtained the said money, he established a company named the Stillco Industrial Company, Ltd. at 138, Omori 1-chome, Ota-ku, Tokyo-to, and became its president. Again, in March 1949, he founded the Stillman Company, Ltd. at the former Naval Air Technical Arsenal, Uraga-machi, Yokosuka-shi, and assumed the office of its president. This company is engaged in the manufacturing and repairing business of medical appliances as well as import and export business. The medical appliances of the Eighth Army are also being repaired by this company.

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c. Source of capital which he has invested in business interests.

He invested 80,000 yen in the Stillco Industrial Company, Ltd. (the total capital of which is 195,000 yen), and 500,000 yen in the Stillman Company, Ltd. (the total capital of which is 1,000,000 yen). The source of the capital which he has invested is supposed to have been the above-mentioned money which he was reimbursed by the Japanese Government.

3. His present address is Seikanji, Uraga-machi, Yokosuka-shi, Kanagawa Prefecture.

4. Attached herewith for your information is a copy of the report of investigation regarding the property owned by Harry T. Stillman Jr. at the time of the outbreak of the war, which is to be submitted to the Civil Property Custodian, General Headquarters, Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers by the Foreign Property Section, Civil Property Division, Reparation Board.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(T. Yoshioka)
Chief of Liaison Section,
Liaison Bureau,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

1 Incl
A copy of report indicated above.

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TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.

FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

SUBJECT: Petition for Ex-Lt. General SHIBAYAMA, Kaneshiro, Convicted War Criminal.

FCM No. 794(LCR)

8 September 1949

1. Transmitted herewith, without comment, are a petition for ex-Lt. General SHIBAYAMA, Kaneshiro, submitted by himself, and a personal opinion written by SHINOBU, Junpei, a specialist in international law, on the verdict passed upon the subject person.

2. The petitioner was sentenced to seven years' imprisonment by the Chinese War Crimes Tribunal in Shanghai and is now detained in Sugamo Prison.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(T. Yoshioka)
Chief of Liaison Section,
Liaison Bureau,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

- 3 Incls
1. A petition as stated above with its six annexed papers.
 2. Two copies of English translations of each above.
 3. A written opinion as stated above in duplicate.

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TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.
FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
SUBJECT: Report on Confiscation of Propaganda Publications.

FCM No. 795(ILE) 8 September 1949

1. Reference is made to the following SCAP memoranda:
 - a. AG 311.7(17 Mar 46)CI, SCAPIN 824, subject: Confiscation of Propaganda Publications.
 - b. AG 311.7(27 Mar 46)CIS, SCAPIN 843, subject as above: Supplement No.1 to Supplement No.46, 15 April 1948, inclusive.
2. Transmitted herewith is a semi-monthly report of the Ministry of Education on the confiscation of propaganda publications collected during the period from August 16 to August 31, 1949.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(T. Yoshioka)
Chief of Liaison Section,
Liaison Bureau,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

1 Incl.
A report as indicated above
(five copies).

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昭和廿四年九月八日

TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.
FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
SUBJECT: Military Service of SHIGEMATSU, Nobumasa.

FCM No. 796(LGR) 8 September 1949

1. Reference: Check Sheet of Diplomatic Section (Yokohama Division), 15 August 1949, subject: Nobumasa SHIGEMATSU, Military Service of.
2. The Demobilization Bureau, Repatriation Relief Agency reports on the subject matter that the official records concerning the service of the subject individual in the Japanese Army have been found neither in the documents in the custody of the said Bureau, nor in those of the Kanagawa Prefectural Assistance Section, nor at the Kamakura City Office.
3. The Second Demobilization Bureau Liquidation Division reports that no official records concerning the service of the subject individual in the Japanese Navy have been found in the related documents kept in the custody of the said Division and all District Demobilization Liquidation Divisions.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(T. Yoshioka)
Chief of Liaison Section,
Liaison Bureau,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

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TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.
FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
SUBJECT : Report on Narcotic Control.

FOM No. 797(AGO) 8 September 1949

1. Reference: SCAP memorandum, AG 411.1 (23 May 46)PH, SCAPIN 1319-A, subject: Establishment of an Effective System for Narcotic Control in Japan.
2. Transmitted herewith are reports on thirty-six (36) cases of violation of narcotic control regulations as prepared by the Attorney General's Office.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(T. Yoshioka)
Chief of Liaison Section,
Liaison Bureau,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

1 Incl
Report, AGO No. 53(2A).

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昭和廿四年九月八日

TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.
FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
SUBJECT: Documents Regarding SAMESHIMA, Harumi.

FOM No. 798(LGR) 8 September 1949

1. Reference:
 - a. Check Sheet of Diplomatic Section (Yokohama Division), 10 August 1949, subject: Harumi SAMESHIMA.
 - b. FOM letter No. 721(LGR), 30 August 1949, subject as above.
 - c. FOM letter No. 751(LGR), 2 September 1949, subject as above.
2. Transmitted herewith is a copy of the formal record concerning the subject's Heiseki (Military career), certified by the Chief of the Kagoshima Prefectural Assistance Section. The present copy is more complete than that submitted under reference b letter.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(T. Yoshioka)
Chief of Liaison Section,
Liaison Bureau,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

1 Incl
A copy of Heiseki
in Japanese.

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TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.
FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
SUBJECT: Employment of Canute Mitsuyuki OTA.

FCM No. 799(LGR)

8 September 1949

1. Reference: Check Sheet of Diplomatic Section (Yokohama Division), GHO, SCAP, 22 August 1949, subject as above.
2. Transmitted herewith is a report of the Japanese National Railways on the subject matter.
3. The certificate in Japanese on Mitsuyuki OTA is returned herewith as requested in reference check sheet.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(T. Yoshioka)
Chief of Liaison Section,
Liaison Bureau,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

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1. Report as indicated above (in quadruplicate).
2. A certificate in Japanese.

0123

昭和十四年九月八日

TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.
FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
SUBJECT: Application for Permission to Repair Six Petroleum Storage Tanks.

FCM No. 800(TID)

8 September 1949

1. Reference: SCAP memorandum, AG 678 (30 Nov 46)ESS/IND, SCAPIN 1920, 9 July 1948, subject: Petroleum Storage Tank Facilities.
2. Transmitted herewith is the subject application of the Ministry of International Trade and Industry, addressed to the Economic and Scientific Section, General Headquarters, Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(T. Yoshioka)
Chief of Liaison Section,
Liaison Bureau,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

- 1 Incl
Application L.C. No. 42
in triplicate.

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TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.
FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
SUBJECT : Transmittal of Applications for Extension of Stay of Sixty Day Visitors.

FCM No. 801(GRP) 8 September 1949

1. Reference: SCAP memorandum, AG 680.2 (21 Jul 49)GA, SCAPIN 2031, subject: Extension of Sixty Day Visit to Visit Relatives and Friends.
2. The Japanese Government has duly recognized that the 5 people listed in attached roster are eligible for extension of stay in Japan in accordance with the provisions of reference memorandum.
3. Transmitted herewith are copies, each in duplicate, of the applications of the above persons for approval of the General Headquarters, Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(Eiji Wajima)
Director, Bureau of Control,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

2 Incls

1. 5 Applications (Nos. 75 thru 79).
2. Roster in triplicate.

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TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.
FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
SUBJECT: Periodic Report on Repatriates from Soviet-Occupied Area.

FCM No. 802(LSR)

8 September 1949

1. Reference: Check Sheet of G-2, Order of Battle P & E, 3 February 1947, subject: Request for Periodic Reports.
2. The subject report No. 260 as of 7 September 1949 is transmitted herewith.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(T. Yeshioka)
Chief of Liaison Section,
Liaison Bureau,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

1 Incl

A report in table in triplicate.

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TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.
FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
SUBJECT: Information on Matsutaro Kajikawa.

FOM No. 803(CJ)

8 September 1949

1. Reference: Check sheet of Diplomatic Section, GHQ, SCAP, 22 August 1949, subject: OAP Case of Matsutaro Kajikawa.
2. In compliance with the request by reference check sheet, a document required is enclosed herewith which shows the following facts.
 - a. Matsutaro Kajikawa died on 4 March 1946 at Midorii-mura, Asa-gun, Hiroshima Ken.
 - b. The name of the person who is entitled to participate in the distribution of Matsutaro's estate is Norito Kajikawa, Matsutaro's fourth son. Norito's present address is 1079 Martle st., Palo Alto, Calif., U.S.A.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(Torao Ushiroku)
Chief of Overseas Japanese Section,
Bureau of Control,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

1 Incl
A copy of family register
of Matsutaro and Norito.

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昭和廿四年九月九日

TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.
FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
SUBJECT: Statement from KUME, Misao.

FOM No. 804(LCR)

8 September 1949

1. Reference: Check sheet of Legal Section, GHQ, SCAP, 10 August 1949, subject: Request for Statement from KUME, Misao.
2. Transmitted herewith is a statement in Japanese made by the subject person on 15 August 1949 as to the incident of murder of American Prisoners, forwarded by the Attorney-General's Office.
3. Meanwhile, the said office has received a report that subject KUME, Misao was killed on 24 August 1949 by a convict OTA, Toshitaki in the Kochi Prison as a result of a quarrel.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(T. Yoshioka)
Chief of Liaison Section,
Liaison Bureau,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

1 Incl
A statement of KUME in Japanese.

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TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.
FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
SUBJECT : Activities in Shanghai of Masami TAOKA.

FOM No. 805(LCR)

8 September 1949

1. Reference: Check sheet of Yokohama Division, Diplomatic Section, GHQ, SCAP, 17 August 1949, subject as above.

2. The Ministry of Foreign Affairs reports on the subject matter as follows:

a. Despite investigations conducted by the said Ministry, the Demobilization Bureau, Repatriation Relief Agency, and the Second Demobilization Bureau Liquidation Division, no record concerning the subject person is found. Inquiries made of the persons formerly attached to the Japanese Government agencies at Shanghai have also failed to produce any clue to the desired information.

b. The position of Japanese inspector serving the Shanghai Municipal Council was not open only to Japanese nationals nor was he considered a Japanese Government official.

3. The Demobilization Bureau, Repatriation Relief Agency reports that no record concerning the service in the Japanese Army of the subject person is found in the documents of the said Bureau, the Hiroshima Prefectural Assistance Section, and the Hiroshima City Office. It is inconceivable that any other government agencies should keep such record in their custody.

4. The Second Demobilization Bureau Liquidation Division reports that no record concerning the service in the Japanese Navy of the subject person is found in the documents in the custody of the said Division and all District Demobilization Liquidation Divisions.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(T.Yoshioka)
Chief of Liaison Section,
Liaison Bureau,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

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昭和廿四年九月九日

TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.
FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
SUBJECT: Application for Approval to Replace Main Engine of a Wooden Bonito-Fishing Vessel.

FOM No. 806(TRAK)

8 September 1949

Transmitted herewith is the subject application of the Ship Bureau, Ministry of Transportation, MOT-W No.547(VB), dated 7 September 1949, addressed to General Headquarters, Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(T. Yoshioka)
Chief of Liaison Section,
Liaison Bureau,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

1 Incl
Application as stated above,
in triplicate.

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TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.
FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
SUBJECT: Application for Approval to Reconstruct "No.16 Tamon Maru"
at Iino Maisuru Shipyards.

FOM No. 807(TRAN)

8 September 1949

1. Reference: Memorandum of Commander Naval Forces, Far East, serial 3643, 14 October 1948, subject: Salvage Operation, Authorization for.
2. Transmitted herewith is the subject application of the Ship Bureau, Ministry of Transportation, MOT-W No. 530(VB), dated 6 September 1949, addressed to General Headquarters, Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(T. Yoshioka)
Chief of Liaison Section,
Liaison Bureau,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

1 Incl
Application as stated above,
in triplicate.

昭和廿四年九月九日

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TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.
FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
SUBJECT: Earthquake Reports and Tidal Wave Forecasts.

FOM No. 808(GMO)

9 September 1949

1. Reference: SCAP memorandum, AG 000.92(27 Dec 48)GC-O, SCAPIN 1957, 6 January 1949, subject as above.
2. Transmitted herewith is a report of Central Meteorological Observatory on the subject matter, addressed to General Headquarters, Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(T. Yoshioka)
Chief of Liaison Section,
Liaison Bureau,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

1 Incl
A report as stated above,
GMO 49-385 (G-W), in
triplicate.

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TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.
FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
SUBJECT : Petitions for Ex-Major YASUDA, Naobumi, Convicted War Criminal.

FOM No. 809(LCR)

9 September 1949

Transmitted herewith are three petitions for ex-Major YASUDA, Naobumi who was sentenced to fifteen years' imprisonment by the U.S. Military Commission in Yokohama and is now detained in Sugamo Prison.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(T.Yoshioka)
Chief of Liaison Section,
Liaison Bureau,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

3 Incls
Three petitions as stated above
with two copies each of the
English translations thereof.

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TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.
FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
SUBJECT: Information Concerning Former Japanese Consulate-General at Vienna, Austria.

FOM No. 810(PC)

9 September 1949

1. Reference: Check Sheet of Diplomatic Section, GHO, SCAP, 31 August 1949, subject: Letter concerning Japanese Legation at Vienna.

2. It is informed that the Japanese Government has no authority to deal with the matter included in the request of Mrs. Anna LOICHEL, as the building and the site of the former Japanese Consulate-General at Vienna (due to the unification of Germany and Austria, the Japanese Legation had become the Japanese Consulate-General) are not Japanese property but have been rented on the basis of contract by the Japanese Government since July 2, 1937.

3. It is added for further reference that the other party of the above contract was Dr. Franz BEINBREKLER, residing at Habsburgergasse No. 5, Vienna I, Austria, who was the agent of the owner of the building concerned, Mr. Ivan Graf DRASKOVICH, residing in Baranya-Sellye, Hungary.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(Katsumi Ohno)
Director, Bureau of Political Affairs,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

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TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.
FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
SUBJECT: Information on Iwao Nakayama.

FOM No. 811(GJ)

9 September 1949

1. Reference: Check sheet of Diplomatic Section, GHQ, SCAP, 8 August 1949, subject: CAP Case of Iwao Nakayama.
2. In compliance with the request by reference check sheet, a document required is enclosed herewith which shows the following facts
 - a. Iwao Nakayama is alive now.
 - b. Iwao's present address is No. 1 of 793, Shinohara, Oshino-mura, Nagaoka-gun, Kochi-Ken.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(Torao Ushiroku)
Chief of Overseas Japanese Section,
Bureau of Control,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

1 Incl
An abstract of Iwao's family register.

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昭和廿四年九月九日

TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.
FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
SUBJECT: Report on Disposition of Goods Confiscated from Those Engaged in Illegal Trade.

FOM No. 812(FIM)

10 September 1949

1. Reference: Paragraph 6, SCAP memorandum, AG 091.31 (4 Jun 46)ESS/FC, SCAPIN 996, subject: Illegal Import and Export Trade.
2. Transmitted herewith is a summary report of the Ministry of Finance for the month of July, 1949, regarding measures taken by Customs Houses on the subject matter.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(T. Yoshioka)
Chief of Liaison Section,
Liaison Bureau,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

1 Incl
Report as stated above in triplicate.

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TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.
FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
SUBJECT: Reports on Illegal Trade (793-835).

FOM No. 813(FIN)

10 September 1949

1. Reference: Paragraph 5, SCAP memorandum, AG 091.31(4 Jun 46)ESS/FC, SCAPIN 996, subject: Illegal Import and Export Trade.
2. Transmitted herewith are the subject reports of the Ministry of Finance, Q/R serial Nos.793 through 835, addressed to the General Headquarters, Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(T. Yoshioka)
Chief of Liaison Section,
Liaison Bureau,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

1 Incl
Forty-three (43) reports
as stated above.

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TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.
FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
SUBJECT: Application for Approval to Construct Two (2) Steel Miscellaneous Vessels.

FOM No. 814(TEAM)

10 September 1949

1. Reference: Memorandum of Commander Naval Activities Japan, serial 2197, 6 December 1946, subject: Conversion of Double Bottoms of Ex-Naval Vessels into Pontoons.
2. Transmitted herewith is the subject application of the Ship Bureau, Ministry of Transportation, MOT-W No.548(VB) 7 September 1949, addressed to General Headquarters, Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(T. Yoshioka)
Chief of Liaison Section,
Liaison Bureau,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

1 Incl
Application as stated above,
in triplicate.

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TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.
FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
SUBJECT : Application for Approval to Resume Construction of a Tug
Boat and to Convert It into an Oil Tanker.

FOM No. 815(TRAM)

10 September 1949

Transmitted herewith is the subject application of the Ship Bureau,
Ministry of Transportation, MOT-W No. 531(VB), 7 September 1949, addressed
to General Headquarters, Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(T.Yoshioka)
Chief of Liaison Section,
Liaison Bureau,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

1 Incl
Application as stated above,
in triplicate.

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TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.
FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
SUBJECT : Restitution of Four Vehicles to the Government of the
Republic of China.

FOM No. 816(RBC)

10 September 1949

1. Reference is made to the following SCAP memoranda:

- a. AG 451 (20 Nov 48)CPC/PLD, SCAPIN 6767-A, 5 August 1949, subject
as above.
- b. AG 451 (20 Nov 48)CPC/PLD, SCAPIN 6767-A/1, 18 August 1949, sub-
ject as above.

2. Transmitted herewith is a letter of the Civil Property Division,
Reparations Board on the subject matter, addressed to the Civil Property
Custodian, General Headquarters, Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(T.Yoshioka)
Chief of Liaison Section,
Liaison Bureau,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

1 Incl
Letter of Civil Property Division,
Reparations Board (R.B.C. No. 545
(LS)) in quadruplicate.

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昭和四十四年九月拾日

TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.
FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
SUBJECT : Information on Shozo Tomoeda.

FCM No. 817(CJ)

10 September 1949

1. Reference: Check sheet of Diplomatic Section, GHQ, SCAP, 15 July 1949, subject: OAP Case of Shozo Tomoeda.

2. The request by reference check sheet was referred to Kumamoto-ken Office for investigation, which has lately replied to the following effect:

- a. The Office has failed to identify and locate Shozo Tomoeda in spite of its investigations through advertisements on papers, radio broadcasting and check of pertinent documents.
- b. The Office is further continuing investigation.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(Torao Ushiroku)
Chief of Overseas Japanese Section,
Bureau of Control,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

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TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.
FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
SUBJECT: Request for Transmittal of Note Verbale to Swedish Diplomatic Mission.

FCM No. 818(CJ)

10 September 1949

1. Reference: Memorandum of Diplomatic Section GHQ, SCAP, AG 311.1 (20 Aug 49)DS, subject: Transmittal of Note from Swedish Diplomatic Mission.

2. The Japanese Government wishes to request the General Headquarters, Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers, to be good enough to transmit to the Swedish Diplomatic Mission in Japan the enclosed Note Verbale of the Japanese Ministry of Foreign Affairs, concerning regulations regarding the Mexican citizenship of individuals of Japanese origin.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(Eiji Wajima)
Director, Bureau of Control,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

1 Incl
Note Verbale of the Japanese
Ministry of Foreign Affairs,
CJ No. 40, dated 9 September
1949.

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TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.
FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
SUBJECT: Application for Approval of Acquisition of Property Abroad
through Inheritance.

FOM No. 819(FIM)

12 September 1949

1. Reference: SCAP memorandum, AG 130 (22 Sep 45)ESS, SCAPIN 45,
subject: Control of Financial Transactions.
2. Transmitted herewith is a letter of the Ministry of Finance on the
subject matter, addressed to the Economic and Scientific Section, General
Headquarters, Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(T. Yoshioka)
Chief of Liaison Section,
Liaison Bureau,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

1 Incl
Letter of Finance Ministry
(FCO 2353/49 FI/FE) in tri-
plicate.

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TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.
FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
SUBJECT: Application for Approval of Transfer of Foreign Exchange
Account.

FOM No. 820(FIM)

12 September 1949

1. Reference: SCAP memorandum, AG 130(22 Sep 45)ESS, SCAPIN 45, subject:
Control of Financial Transactions.
2. Transmitted herewith is a letter of the Ministry of Finance on the sub-
ject matter, addressed to the Economic and Scientific Section, General Head-
quarters, Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(T. Yoshioka)
Chief of Liaison Section,
Liaison Bureau,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

1 Incl
Letter of Finance Ministry
(FCO 2357/49 FI/FE) in
triplicate.

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TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.
FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
SUBJECT : Application for Permission to Change Name of Depositor
and Import and Export Monetary Instrument Therefor.

FOM No. 821(FIM)

12 September 1949

1. Reference is made to the following SCAP memoranda:

- a. AG 130 (22 Sep 45)ESS, SCAPIN 45, subject: Control of Financial Transactions.
- b. AG 091.3 (22 Sep 45)ESS, SCAPIN 44, subject: Controls over Exports and Imports of Gold, Silver, Securities and Financial Transactions.

2. Transmitted herewith is a letter of the Ministry of Finance on the subject matter, addressed to the Economic and Scientific Section, General Headquarters, Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(T.Yoshioka)
Chief of Liaison Section,
Liaison Bureau,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

1 Incl
Letter of Finance Ministry
(FCO 2355/49 FI/FE) in
triplicate.

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TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.
FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
SUBJECT : Application for Approval of Payment in Japan on Behalf of
Foreign Resident.

FOM No. 822(FIM)

12 September 1949

1. Reference:

- a. SCAP memorandum, AG 130 (22 Sep 45)ESS, SCAPIN 45, subject: Control of Financial Transactions.
- b. ESS memorandum, 072 (14 Mar 49)ESS/ST, subject: Collection of Royalties for Production of D.D.T. in Japan.

2. Transmitted herewith is a letter of the Ministry of Finance on the subject matter, addressed to the Economic and Scientific Section, General Headquarters, Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(T.Yoshioka)
Chief of Liaison Section,
Liaison Bureau,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

1 Incl
Letter of Finance Ministry
(FCO 2384/49 FI/FE) in
triplicate.

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TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.
FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
SUBJECT : Application for Approval of Export of Power of Attorney and Remittance etc.

FOM No. 823(FIN) 12 September 1949

1. Reference is made to the following SCAP memoranda:
 - a. AG 091.3 (22 Sep 45)ESS, SCAPIN 44, subject: Controls over Exports and Imports of Gold, Silver, Securities and Financial Instruments.
 - b. AG 130 (22 Sep 45)ESS, SCAPIN 45, subject: Control of Financial Transactions.
2. Transmitted herewith is a letter of the Ministry of Finance on the subject matter, addressed to the Economic and Scientific Section, General Headquarters, Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(T.Yoshioka)
Chief of Liaison Section,
Liaison Bureau,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

1 Incl
Letter of Finance Ministry
(FCO 2381/49 FI/FE) in
triplicate.

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TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.
FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
SUBJECT: Transmittal of Applications for Extension of Stay of Sixty Day Visitors.

FOM No. 824(CRP) 12 September 1949

1. Reference: SCAP memorandum, AG 680.2 (21 Jul 49), SCAPIN 2031, subject: Extension of Sixty Day Visit to Visit Relatives and Friends.
2. The Japanese Government has duly recognized that 7 people listed in attached roster are eligible for extension of stay in Japan in accordance with the provisions of reference memorandum.
3. Transmitted herewith are copies, each in duplicate, of the subject applications of the above persons for approval of the General Headquarters, Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(Eiji Wajima)
Director, Bureau of Control,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

- 2 Incls
1. 7 Applications (Nos. 80 thru 86).
 2. Roster in triplicate.

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TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.
FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
SUBJECT: Return of Bank of Korea Notes Deposited as Money to Be Carried
by Korean Repatriates.

FCM No. 825(FIM)

12 September 1949

1. Reference is made to the following SCAP memoranda:
- AG 091.31 (30 Mar 46)ESS/FI, SCAPIN 854-A, subject: Conversion of Currency for Korean Repatriates.
 - AG 123.7 (20 Jan 47)ESS/FI, SCAPIN 304B-A, subject as a above.
 - AG 123.7 (27 Mar 47)ESS/FI, SCAPIN 3510-A, subject: Exchange of Korean Currency for Japanese Yen.
 - AG 130 (18 Jan 49)ESS/FIN, SCAPIN 1966, subjects: Property Individuals are Authorized to Carry on Entering and Leaving Japan.
2. Transmitted herewith is a letter of the Ministry of Finance on the subject matter, addressed to the Economic and Scientific Section, General Headquarters, Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(T. Yoshioka)
Chief of Liaison Section,
Liaison Bureau,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

1 Incl
Letter of Finance Ministry
(FCO 2385/49 FI/FE) in tri-
plicate.

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TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.
FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
SUBJECT: Interview with FUKUSHIGE, Aikichi.

FCM No. 826(LGR)

12 September 1949

1. References:
- GLCO letter No.664, 10 March 1949, subject as above.
 - Legal Section's Check Sheet No.20692, 22 August 1949, subject: Interview.
2. The National Rural Police Headquarters reports that FUKUSHIGE, Aikichi cannot be identified because the roster of members of the 16th Field Kenpeitai as of 1943 is not in the keeping of the Demobilization Bureau.
3. The same Headquarters further reports that the following two persons bearing the same family name were found in the existing roster of the said unit.
- FUKUSHIGE, Takao, former Sergeant of Kenpei, 5047 Tagami-machi, Kagoshima-shi, Kagoshima-ken.
 - FUKUSHIGE, Yasuji, former Leading Private of Kenpei, 100-1 Nakaube, Ube-shi, Yamaguchi-ken.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(T. Yoshioka)
Chief of Liaison Section,
Liaison Bureau,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

昭和四年九月拾日

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TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.

FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

SUBJECT: Interview with IIZUKA, Katsushi.

FOM No. 827(LCR)

12 September 1949

1. Reference: Legal Section's Check Sheet No. 20699 LS-Z, 23 August 1949, subject: Interview.

2. The National Rural Police Headquarters reports that former Lieutenant IIZUKA, Katsushi could be identified neither in the roster of the members of the unit designated in the reference Check Sheet, nor in the list of the commissioned officers of the Army, made as of 1944.

The same Headquarters also reports that according to information furnished by the Demobilization Bureau, the persons mentioned below are believed to be best acquainted with the internal conditions of the 5th Infantry Regiment of the KONGU Division:

NAKANUMA, Toyokichi, a former Captain and Adjutant of the above Regiment. Permanent Domicile: 621 Kurosu, Toyoda-machi, Iruma-gun, Saitama-ken.

ASAI, Jiro, a former Captain and Adjutant of the same Regiment. Permanent Domicile: 658-2 Tomita, Kawashiro-mura, Ogasa-gun, Gunma-ken.

AKIYAMA, Tomichige, a former Warrant Officer and staff member of the Headquarters of the said Regiment. Permanent Domicile: 614 Akiyama, Ochiai-mura, Nakakoma-gun, Yamanashi-ken.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(T. Yoshioka)
Chief of Liaison Section,
Liaison Bureau,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

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TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.

FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

SUBJECT: Interview with MATSUMOTO, Fukujiro and MURATA, (FNU).

FOM No. 828(LCR)

12 September 1949

1. Reference: Legal Section's check sheet No. 20682 LS-Z, 19 August 1949, subject: Interview.

2. The National Rural Police Headquarters reports that former Lieutenant MATSUMOTO, Fukujiro could be identified neither in the roster of members of the unit designated in the reference check sheet nor in the list of the commissioned officers of the former Japanese Army, and that the person who has a similar name is MATSUMOTO, Fukuichi, former Captain, who was a member of 6th Field Kempeitai from 1943 to 1947. Permanent Domicile: Hyogo-ken (details unknown).

3. In regard to MURATA, (FNU), the same Headquarters reports that there are four MURATA's who are all former Kempeitai members. Their names, ranks and addresses are respectively:

- a. MURATA, Seichi, former Warrant Officer of Kempei, Ishikawa-ken, Kanazawa-shi, Sugiura-cho 15.
- b. MURATA, Jingi, former Sergeant Major of Kempei, Kagoshima-ken, Satsuma-gun, Kamikoshiki-mura, Heira 181.
- c. MURATA, Katsukichi, former Sergeant Major of Kempei, Nagasaki-ken, Nagasaki-shi, Hirato Koyamachi 267.
- d. MURATA, Hisashi, former Sergeant Major of Kempei, Nagano-ken, Sarashina-gun, Ooka-mura.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(T. Yoshioka)
Chief of Liaison Section,
Liaison Bureau,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

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TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.
FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
SUBJECT: Notification Relating to Concentration etc. of Foreign Exchange.

FOM No. 829(FIM)

12 September 1949

Transmitted herewith is a letter of the Ministry of Finance on the subject matter, addressed to the Economic and Scientific Section, General Headquarters, Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(T. Yoshioka)
Chief of Liaison Section,
Liaison Bureau,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

1 Incl
Letter of Finance Ministry
(FCO 2386/49 FI/FE) in tri-
plicate.

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TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.
FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
SUBJECT: Application for Approval to Replace Main Engine of a Wooden Vessel.

FOM No. 830(TRAN)

12 September 1949

Transmitted herewith is the subject application of the Ship Bureau, Ministry of Transportation, MOT-W No.556(VB), 10 September 1949, addressed to General Headquarters, Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(T. Yoshioka)
Chief of Liaison Section,
Liaison Bureau,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

1 Incl
Application as stated above,
in triplicate.

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TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.
FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
SUBJECT : Notices to Mariners.

FOM No. 831(MSB) 12 September 1949

1. Reference: SCAP memorandum, AG 040 (26 Dec 45)CE, subject: Operation of Japanese Hydrographic Department.
2. Five (5) copies of the pamphlet, entitled "Notices to Mariners" for the week ending 10 September 1949, as prepared by the Maritime Safety Board, Ministry of Transportation are transmitted herewith.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(T. Yoshioka)
Chief of Liaison Section,
Liaison Bureau,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

1 Incl
Pamphlet as stated above,
in quintuplicate.

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TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.
FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
SUBJECT: Report (No. 1) on Present Aspects of Sale and Disposition of Released Goods.

FOM No. 832(FIM) 12 September 1949

1. Reference: SCAP memorandum, AG 400.12 (31 Mar 48)GD, SCAPIN 1872-7, 28 February 1949, subject: Disposition of Supplies, Equipment and Materials Released to the Japanese Government.
2. Transmitted herewith is a letter of the Ministry of Finance on the subject matter, addressed to the Economic and Scientific Section, General Headquarters, Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(T. Yoshioka)
Chief of Liaison Section,
Liaison Bureau,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

1 Incl
Letter of Finance Ministry
(FO 2393/49 FI/2SF) in tri-
plicate.

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FOR THE MINISTER:

(T. Yoshioka)
Chief of Liaison Section,
Liaison Bureau,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.
FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
SUBJECT: Replacements for Resigning Japanese.

FOM No. 833(LCR)

13 September 1949

1. Reference:

- a. Legal Section's check sheet 000.5 LS-2, 12 August 1949, subject as above.
- b. FOM letter No. 643(LCR), 22 August 1949, subject as above.

2. The names of four (4) interpreters and one (1) Buddhist Priest to be despatched to Manila as replacements for the Japanese personnel resigned are as follows:

a. Interpreters.

<u>Name</u>	<u>Address</u>
NAGOSHI, Saburo	c/o Takeya, Yorozu-cho, Yokai- ichiba-machi, Sufusa-gun, Chiba-ken.
MORIMOTO, Tadashi	No. 600, Shimosoyanagi, Yamato- machi, Koza-gun, Kanagawa-ken.
SUZUKI, Hiroshi	No. 46, 1-chome, Omiyama, Suginami-ku, Tokyo.
TANEMURA, Shintaro	No. 60, Yamato-cho, Nakano-ku, Tokyo.

b. Buddhist Priest.

<u>Name</u>	<u>Address</u>
KAGAO, Shunin	c/o Tokyo Branch Temple of Koyasan Temple, No. 15, 2-chome, Nihononoki, Shiba, Minato-ku, Tokyo.

3. It is requested that the General Headquarters, Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers be good enough to give the clearance of the above personnel for their departure from Japan at an early date.

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TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS;
FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
SUBJECT: Interview with YAMAGUCHI, Seichi.

FOM No. 834(LCR)

13 September 1949

1. Reference: Legal Section's check sheet No. 20194 LS-Z, 26 March 1949, subject: Request for Interview.

2. The National Rural Police Headquarters reports that the subject person was killed in action on 27 May 1945, as shown in the enclosed certified copy of the entry of Koseki Tohon (Family Register), regarding his death.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(T. Yoshioka)
Chief of Liaison Section,
Liaison Bureau,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

1 Incl
A certified copy as indicated above
with its English translation.

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TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.
(Attn: Utilities and Fuels Division, ESB)
FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
SUBJECT : Request for Amendment of Procurement Demand for Electricity
Supply Service and General Provisions to Be Attached Thereto.

FOM No. 835(SPD)

13 September 1949

Transmitted herewith is a letter of the Special Procurement Board on the subject matter, addressed to the General Headquarters, Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(T. Yoshioka)
Chief of Liaison Section,
Liaison Bureau,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

1 Incl
Letter of Special Procurement
Board, SPB No. 99(TSP) in
triplicate.

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TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.
FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
SUBJECT : Disposition of Telephone Services and Rights Formerly Owned
by the Germans.

FOM No. 836(TEM)

13 September 1949

1. Reference: SCAP memorandum, AG 676.3 (29 Jul 49)CPC/PLD, SCAPIN 6743-A,
subject: Disposition of Telephone Services and Rights.
2. Transmitted herewith is a letter of the Ministry of Telecommunications
on the subject matter, addressed to Civil Property Custodian, General
Headquarters, Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(T.Yoshioka)
Chief of Liaison Section,
Liaison Bureau,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

1 Incl
A letter of Telecommunications
Ministry in triplicate.

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TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.
(Attn: Civil Property Custodian.)
FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
SUBJECT: Transmission of Ex-Minister Shichida's Appeal for Reimbursement
of His Private Funds Advanced.

FOM No. 837(MAC)

13 September 1949

1. Motoharu Shichida, formerly Japanese Minister of Afghanistan, de-
livered to Allied representatives in compliance with the Allied directive
given all the public funds and property in the Japanese Legation at Kabul
immediately after the termination of the war in August, 1945. It was
found later that there was a balance of the Legation expenditure account
still outstanding, amounting to Afghanis 55,450.45, and the payment of
the debt was demanded. Shichida requested the Allied representatives to
defray the amount out of the public funds previously delivered to them,
but, in reply to such request, the American Minister at Kabul, represen-
tative of the Allied side, ordered Shichida to meet the indebtedness for
the time being by his own private funds, stating that it would be so ar-
ranged that the private funds advanced for such purpose should be reimbursed
by the Japanese Government to Shichida on his return to Japan. Accordingly,
he defrayed the above-mentioned amount from his own private funds to settle
all those outstanding debts. Under such circumstances, Shichida filed an
appeal with this Ministry some time ago for the reimbursement of the said
amount, Afghanis 55,450.45, equivalent of U. S. dollar 4,821.78 - at the
exchange-rate of 1 dollar to 11.50 Afghanis, and he now requests the trans-
mission of the purport of his appeal to the Civil Property Custodian.

2. On the part of this Ministry, a demand of the above-mentioned kind
cannot be readily complied with, because of the various legal restrictions
concerning the disposition of credit and debit accounts abroad. It would
be more convenient if the corresponding amount could be released, through
the good offices of the General Headquarters, Supreme Commander for the
Allied Powers, from the Japanese Government's public funds previously
delivered to the Allied representatives in Afghanistan and refunded to
Shichida. His appeal, therefore, is transmitted herewith to the Civil
Property Custodian for its examination, and a favorable consideration is
earnestly requested in the matter so that ex-Minister Shichida's desire
may be realized.

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FOR THE MINISTER:

(Koh Chiba)
Chief of Accounts Section,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

2 Incls

1. Petition of ex-Minister Shichida.
2. Statement with Annexes
 - a. List of expenditures.
 - b. Allied Directive of Dec. 21, 1945.
 - c. Representation by Shichida to the Allied Representatives.
 - d. American Minister's reply.
 - e. Legal character of expenditures.
 - f. Chronological list.

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TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.
(Attn: Construction, Shipyard and Utilities Branch, Ind.,
Div., ESS)

FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

SUBJECT: Application for Approval on New Installation of One Set of
Crane on Chikko Plant of Hitachi Shipyard Co., Ltd.

FOM No. 838(TEAM)

13 September 1949

Transmitted herewith is a letter of the Ministry of Transportation
on the subject matter, addressed to the General Headquarters, Supreme
Commander for the Allied Powers.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(T. Yoshioka)
Chief of Liaison Section,
Liaison Bureau,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

1 Incl

Letter of Transportation Ministry,
MOT No. 576(VA) in triplicate.

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M.O.F. No. 576 (VA)

9 September, 1949

To : Industry Division, Economic & Scientific Section,
G.H.Q., SCAP (Attn. Construction, Shipyard &
Utilistic Branch)

Through: Liaison Bureau, Ministry of Foreign Affairs

From : Ship Bureau, Ministry of Transportation

Subject: Application for Approval on New Establishment of
One Set of Crane on Chikko (Harbor Construction)
Plant of Hitachi Shipyard Co., Ltd.

1. This application is for installing the following one set of the travelling tower-type crane, and it being considered really necessary and appropriate in view of the undermentioned points, your special approval on the subject matter is earnestly requested.
2. The above plant is at present employing locomotive cranes only, and quite inefficient and often repeats dangerous work.
3. If this travelling tower-type crane is installed, by the reduction of manpower of transportation, it increases efficiency of repairing work, and benefits the plant considerably from the viewpoint of the prevention of danger as well as contributes to the rationalization of it.
4. The expenses required for this work are to be accommodated with own fund, and the necessary materials are all to be allotted from the stocks of the shipyard, except only cement requiring allocation.

- The following -

- | | | |
|---------------------------|------------------|---------|
| (1) Installing facilities | travelling crane | one set |
| (2) Craning capacity | 16 tons | |
| (3) Maximum radius | 31 meters | |
| (4) Minimum " | 6 " | |
| (5) Travelling distance | 160 " | |

S. Amori
Ship Bureau,
Ministry of Transportation.

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TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.

FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

SUBJECT : Request for Transmittal of Note Verbale to the Swedish Diplomatic Mission.

FOM No. 839(PG)

14 September 1949

1. Reference is made to the following memoranda of Diplomatic Section, GHQ, SCAP:
 - a. AG 311.18 (6 Sep 49)DS, subject: Transmittal of Note From Swedish Diplomatic Mission.
 - b. AG 311.18 (6 Sep 49)DS, subject: Transmittal of Notes Verbales from Swedish Diplomatic Mission.
2. The Ministry of Foreign Affairs wishes that its Note Verbale, enclosed herewith, be transmitted to the Swedish Diplomatic Mission in Japan through the good offices of the General Headquarters, Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(Katsumi Ohno)
Director, Bureau of Political Affairs,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

昭和廿四年九月拾四日

1 Incl.
Note Verbale of the Ministry
of Foreign Affairs, PG No. 41,
12 September 1949, with 6
copies.

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TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.
FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
SUBJECT: Transmittal of Rosters of Former Army and Navy Career Officers Retired from Governmental Service During August 1949.

FOM No. 840(LCR)

14 September 1949

1. Reference: FOM letter No. 504(LCR), 5 August 1949, subject: Transmittal of Rosters of Retired Ex-Officers from Governmental Service during July 1949.
2. Transmitted herewith are the following six (6) rosters of former Army and Navy career officers retired from demobilization and demilitarization agencies of the Japanese Government during the month of August 1949:
 - a. Roster of Ex-Army Career Officers Retired during August 1949 (Relative to Demobilization Offices).
 - b. Roster of Ex-Army Career Officers Retired during August 1949 (Relative to Prefectural Assistance Sections).
 - c. Roster of Ex-Navy Career Officers Retired during August 1949 (Relative to Second Demobilization Bureau, Liquidation Division and District Demobilization Liquidation Divisions).
 - d. Roster of Ex-Navy Career Officers Retired during August 1949 (Relative to Local Assistance Sections).
 - e. Roster of Ex-Navy Career Officers Retired during August 1949 (Relative to Maritime Safety Board, Ministry of Transportation).
 - f. Roster of Ex-Military and Ex-Navy Career Officers Retired during August 1949 (Relative to Repatriation Relief Bureau, Repatriation Relief Agency).

FOR THE MINISTER:

(T. Yoshioka)
Chief of Liaison Section,
Liaison Bureau,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

6 Incls
Six (6) rosters in triplicate
as indicated in para 2. above.

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TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.
FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
SUBJECT : Interview with ENDO, Toshio and Three Others.

FOM No. 841(LCR)

14 September 1949

1. Reference: Legal Section's check sheet No. 20696 LS-Z, 23 August 1949, subject: Interview.
2. The National Rural Police Headquarters reports that ENDO, Toshio, former 2nd Lieutenant, and three others could be identified neither in the nominal rolls of the units designated in the reference check sheet, nor in the list of commissioned officers of the former Japanese Army, despite close investigation made by the Demobilization Bureau.
3. The said Headquarters further reports that the persons found to have similar names are:
 - (a) HARA, Shichiro, former Lieutenant attached to 64th Infantry Regiment. Permanent Domicile: Kobe-shi.
 - (b) ENDO, Toshio, former Captain attached to 2nd Air Meteorological Survey Corps. Permanent Domicile: Miyagi-ken, Sendai-shi, Yoshimachi 5.
 - (c) ENDO, Toshio, former 1st Lieutenant attached to the 385th Independent Mixed Battalion. Permanent Domicile: Hokkaido.
4. At the request of the same Headquarters, the Ministry of Foreign Affairs hereby transmits additional information that the persons believed to be best acquainted with the internal conditions of the 3rd and 5th Regiments of KONOE Division are:
 - (a) HYOTANI, Shinnosuke, former Warrant Officer, Personnel Section, Hq. 3rd Regiment. Permanent Domicile: Akita-ken, Hiraga-gun, Masuda-machi, Masuda Sekiguchi 125.
 - (b) TANIKAWA, Seiugo, former Lieutenant and adjutant of 3rd Regiment. Inquiry is to be made at: Niigata-ken, Nakakanbara-gun, Kobayashi-mura, Tokashira 753.
 - (c) NAKAMURA, Toyokichi, former Captain and Adjutant of Hq. 5th Regiment. Permanent Domicile: Saitama-ken, Iruma-gun, Toyoda-machi, Kurosu 621.

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- (d) ASAI, Jiro, former Captain, attached to Hq. 5th Regiment.
Permanent Domicile: Shizuoka-ken, Ogasa-gun, Kawashiro-
mura, Tomita 658.
- (e) AKIYAMA, Tomishige, former Warrant Officer attached to
Hq. 5th Regiment. Permanent Domicile: Yamanashi-ken,
Nakakoma-gun, Ochiai-mura, Akiyama 614.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(T. Yoshioka)
Chief of Liaison Section,
Liaison Bureau,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

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TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.
FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
SUBJECT: Information on 20th Engineer Regiment.

FCM No. 842(LCR)

14 September 1949

1. Reference: Legal Section's Check Sheet No. 20697 LS-Z, 23 August 1949, subject: Request for Information.
2. Transmitted herewith are the lists of all the officers and of the surviving officers of the 20th Engineer Regiment, as prepared by the Demobilization Bureau, Repatriation Relief Agency.
3. The following explanations have been given by the said Bureau to the attached lists.
 - a. The engineer regiment of the 20th Division was called the 20th Engineer Regiment.
 - b. No entries concerning appointments had been made in the related documents.
 - c. It is not ascertained whether or not the surviving officers presently reside at the addresses shown in the enclosed list.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(T. Yoshioka)
Chief of Liaison Section,
Liaison Bureau,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

2 Incls

1. Officers' list of 20th Engineer Regiment.
2. Surviving officers' list of 20th Engineer Regiment.

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TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.
FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
SUBJECT: Interview with TAKIZAWA, Yoshio.

FCM No. 843(LGR) 14 September 1949

1. Reference: Legal Section's check sheet No. 20667 LS-Z, 11 August 1949, subject: Interview.
2. The National Rural Police Headquarters reports that the subject person was killed in action on 2 December 1944, as shown in the enclosed certificate of death.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(T. Yoshioka)
Chief of Liaison Section,
Liaison Bureau,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

- 1 Incl
A certificate of death and a copy
of notice of death with their English
translation.

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TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.
FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
SUBJECT: Marriage of Wallace T. KOROKI.

FCM No. 844(LGR) 14 September 1949

1. Reference: Check sheet of Diplomatic Section (Yokohama Division), GHQ, SCAP, 14 July 1949, subject: Request for Record of Marriage of Wallace T. KOROKI.

2. Transmitted herewith is a report of the Attorney-General's Office, AGO No. 68 (30), 13 September 1949, on the subject matter.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(T. Yoshioka)
Chief of Liaison Section,
Liaison Bureau,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

- 1 Incl
Report as above
(in quadruplicate).

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TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.
(Attn: Economic and Scientific Section)

FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

SUBJECT: Disbursement from Termination of War Funds of Charges for
Warehousing of Materials under LD.

FORM No. 845(SPB)

15 September 1949

1. Reference: SCAP memorandum, AG 400.12(22 Aug 49)GD, SCAPIN 6808-A,
subject: Interpretation of SCAPIN 1872/7.

2. Transmitted herewith is a letter of the Special Procurement Board on
the subject matter, addressed to the General Headquarters, Supreme
Commander for the Allied Powers.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(T. Yoshioka)
Chief of Liaison Section,
Liaison Bureau,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

1 Incl
Letter of Special Procurement
Board, SPB No.107(TSD) in
triplicate.

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TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.

FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

SUBJECT : Death Certificate and Naval Biography of AZUMA (FNU).

FORM No. 846(LCR)

15 September 1949

1. Reference: Legal Section's check sheet No. 20668 19-Z, 11 August
1949, subject: Request for Information.

2. At the request of the National Rural Police Headquarters, the Ministry
of Foreign Affairs hereto transmits the enclosed certificate of death.
The required biography will be submitted as soon as it is obtained through
the Second Demobilisation Bureau Liquidation Division.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(T. Yoshioka)
Chief of Liaison Section,
Liaison Bureau,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

1 Incl
A certificate of death with its
English translation.

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TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.

FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

SUBJECT: Organization Reports.

FOM No. 847(LLE)

15 September 1949

1. Reference:

a. SCAP memorandum, AG 019(17 Nov 45)GS, SCAPIN 292, subject as above.

b. CIO letter No. 953(1.1), 8 December 1945, subject as above.

2. The monthly report on the changes in organizations and personnel of the Japanese Government as of 1 September 1949 is submitted herewith.

3. The report is typed on stencil sheets and it is requested that twenty (20) mimeographed copies thereof be delivered to this Ministry.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(T. Yoshioka)
Chief of Liaison Section,
Liaison Bureau,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

1 Incl

A report typed on stencil sheets.
(Submitted directly to GS, GHQ.)

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TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.

FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

SUBJECT: Application for Permission to Construct Two (2) Steel Tankers.

FOM No. 848(TRAM)

15 September 1949

Transmitted herewith is the subject application of the Ship Bureau, Ministry of Transportation, MOT-W No. 573(VB), 13 September 1949, addressed to General Headquarters, Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(T. Yoshioka)
Chief of Liaison Section,
Liaison Bureau,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

1 Incl

Application as stated above,
in triplicate.

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TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.
FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
SUBJECT: Report on Approval for Release of Segregation and Custody of Foreign Exchange Assets.

FOM No. 849(FIM)

15 September 1949

1. Reference: SCAP memorandum, AG 122.2(25 May 48)ESS/PI, SCAPIN 96/1, subject: Report of Foreign Exchange Assets and Related Matters.
2. Transmitted herewith is a letter of the Ministry of Finance on the subject matter, addressed to the General Headquarters, Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(T. Yoshioka)
Chief of Liaison Section,
Liaison Bureau,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

1 Incl
Letter of Finance Ministry
(FOO 2398/49 FI/CO) in
triplicate.

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TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.
FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
SUBJECT: Application of Showa Oil Co., Ltd. for Permission to Install Petroleum Storage Tank Facilities.

FOM No. 850(FIM)

15 September 1949

1. Reference: SCAP memorandum, AG 678(30 Nov 46)ESS/IND, SCAPIN 1920, 9 July 1948, subject: Petroleum Tank Facilities.
2. Transmitted herewith is a letter of the Ministry of International Trade and Industry on the subject matter, addressed to the Economic and Scientific Section, General Headquarters, Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(T. Yoshioka)
Chief of Liaison Section,
Liaison Bureau,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

1 Incl
Letter of International Trade
and Industry Ministry, LO No.43
in triplicate.

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TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.
FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
SUBJECT: Request for Release of "Hino Range Site" Requisitioned
by United States Air Force.

FOM No. 851(SPB)

15 September 1949

1. Reference: PD, JPNR - 4159.
2. Transmitted herewith is a letter of the Special Procurement Board on the subject matter, addressed to the General Headquarters, Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(T. Yoshioka)
Chief of Liaison Section,
Liaison Bureau,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

- 1 Incl
Letter of Special Procurement Board,
SPB No. 105 (TPD) in triplicate.

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TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.
FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
SUBJECT: Application for Approval to Designate General Busan Kaisha's
Sakurajima Depot as an Import Terminal.

FOM No. 852(TIM)

15 September 1949

1. Reference: SCAP memorandum, AG 678(30 Nov 46)ESS/IND, SCAPIN 1920,
9 July 1948, subject: Petroleum Storage Tank Facilities.
2. Transmitted herewith is a letter of the Ministry of International Trade and Industry on the subject matter, addressed to the Economic and Scientific Section, General Headquarters, Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(T. Yoshioka)
Chief of Liaison Section,
Liaison Bureau,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

- 1 Incl
Letter of International Trade
and Industry Ministry, IO No. 44
in triplicate.

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TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.
FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
SUBJECT: Request for Transmittal of a Note Verbale to Swedish
Diplomatic Mission.

FOM No. 853(PG)

15 September 1949

1. Reference: Memorandum of Diplomatic Section, GHO, SCAP, AG 311.1
(9 Sep 49)DS, subject: Transmittal of Note Verbale from Swedish Diplo-
matic Mission.

2. The Ministry of Foreign Affairs wishes that its Note Verbale, en-
closed herewith, be transmitted to the Swedish Diplomatic Mission in
Japan through the good offices of the General Headquarters, Supreme
Commander for the Allied Powers.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(Katsumi Ohno)
Director, Bureau of Political Affairs,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

1 Incl
Note Verbale of the Ministry
of Foreign Affairs, PG No. 42,
15 September 1949, with 6
copies.

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TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.
FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
SUBJECT : Shipment of Funeral Urns of Deceased Ryukyans.

FOM No. 854(CRF)

15 September 1949

1. Reference: SCAP memorandum, AG 014.33 (29 Mar 47)GD, SCAPIN 3527-A/2,
19 July 1949, subject: Shipment of Funeral Urns and Personal Belongings
of Deceased Ryukyans.

2. In accordance with paragraphs 2 and 5 of the reference memorandum,
the following lists and bills of lading are submitted herewith enclosed:

- a. List of funeral urns of deceased Ryukyans formerly attached to
the Japanese army (Incl. 1.).
- b. List of funeral urns of deceased Ryukyans formerly attached to
the Japanese navy. (Incl. 2)
- c. List of funeral urns of deceased natives of Amami-Oshima formerly
attached to the Japanese army. (Incl. 3).
- d. List of funeral urns of deceased natives of Amami-Oshima formerly
attached to the Japanese navy. (Incl. 4).
- e. Bill of lading of funeral urns of deceased Ryukyans formerly
attached to the Japanese army and navy. (Incl. 5).
- f. Bill of lading of funeral urns of deceased natives of Amami-Oshima
formerly attached to the Japanese army and navy. (Incl. 6).

3. The name and the expected date of departure from Sasebo and arrival
at Naha and Naze of the vessel assigned are reported as follows:

Name of vessel	: Tachibana-maru.
Date of departure from Sasebo	: 26 September 1949
Date of arrival at Naze	: 28 September 1949

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Date of arrival at Naha : 29 September 1949

FOR THE MINISTER:

(Eiji Wajima)
Director, Bureau of Control,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

6 Incls
As indicated in Para. 2 above.

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TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS,
CIVIL PROPERTY CUSTODIAN.

FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

SUBJECT: Procedure of Release of Some Precious Metal Articles in
Custody of the Allied Forces in Exchange for Gold or
Silver Bullions.

FOM No. 855(RBC)

15 September 1949

1. Reference is made to the following SCAP memoranda:
 - a. AG 410.2(28 Apr 49)CPC/CD, SCAPIN 6687-A, 5 July 1949, subject:
"Gold, Silver, Platinum and Platinum Family Metals for Domestic
Consumption in the Third Quarter of 1949.
 - b. AG 386.7(29 Jan 49)CPC/CD, SCAPIN 6756-A, 2 August 1949, sub-
ject: "Release of Items to Custody and Control of Japanese
Government.
2. Transmitted herewith is a letter of the Ministry of Finance, FOO
2501/49 (FI/CO), on the subject matter, addressed to General Headquar-
ters, Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers, Civil Property Custodian.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(T. Yoshioka)
Chief of Liaison Section,
Liaison Bureau,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

1 Incl
Letter as stated above
in quadruplicate.

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TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.
FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
SUBJECT: Report on Death of Foreign Residents in Japan.

FOM No. 856(AGO)

15 September 1949

1. Reference: SCAP memorandum, AG 293(26 Aug 46)G, SCAPIN 2066-A, subject as above.
2. Transmitted herewith are reports on the subject matter concerning ten (10) persons listed below, as prepared by the Attorney General's Office.

<u>Serial Number of Death Reports:</u>	<u>Name of Deceased:</u>	
391	Luan, Tsu, Siang	(樂子湘)
392	Makarov Boris	
393	Yuen, Ma, Chen	(袁慕貞)
394	Ting, Shui, He	(丁瑞鶴)
395	Hu, Ching, Hsi	(胡慶喜)
396	Wu, Min, Yu	(吳明玉)
397	Han, Tien, Ying	(韓天英)
398	Chiu, Chin, Fa	(朱全法)
399	Wang, Min, Tsu	(翁明子)
400	Pania Sujuki	

FOR THE MINISTER:

(T. Yoshioka)
Chief of Liaison Section,
Liaison Bureau,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

1 Incl
Reports, AGO No. 54(36),
10 September 1949 in
quadruplicate.

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TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.
FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
SUBJECT: Petition for Ex-Lt. General OKADA, Tasuku, Convicted War Criminal.

FOM No. 857(LCR)

15 September 1949

Transmitted herewith is a petition for ex-Lt. General OKADA, Tasuku who was sentenced to death by hanging by the U. S. Military Commission in Yokohama and is now detained in Sugamo Prison.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(T. Yoshioka)
Chief of Liaison Section,
Liaison Bureau,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

1 Incl
A petition as stated above with
two copies of English translation
thereof.

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TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.
FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
SUBJECT: Petitions for Ex-1st-Lieutenant NAKAMURA, Tomoki, Convicted War Criminal.

FCM No. 858(LCR)

15 September 1949

Transmitted herewith are two petitions for ex-1st Lieutenant NAKAMURA, Tomoki who was sentenced to imprisonment for eleven years and two months by the U.S. Military Commission in Yokohama and is now detained in Sugamo Prison.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(T. Yoshioka)
Chief of Liaison Section,
Liaison Bureau,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

2 Incls

1. A petition in English submitted by the subject person himself (in duplicate).
2. A petition submitted by NAKAMURA, Shisuko, wife of the subject person, with two copies of English translation thereof.

0187

TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.
FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
SUBJECT: Petition for Ex-MP Major NAKAHARA, Tokio, Suspected War Criminal

FCM No. 859(LCR)

15 September 1949

1. The Ministry of Foreign Affairs requests that the General Headquarters, Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers be good enough to transmit a petition, as enclosed herewith, for ex-MP Major NAKAHARA, Tokio to the competent Australian authorities.
2. NAKAHARA, Tokio who was assigned to 6th Field Kempei-tai, 18th Army, New Guinea, has been detained in Sugamo Prison since December 1947 awaiting trial.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(T. Yoshioka)
Chief of Liaison Section,
Liaison Bureau,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

1 Incl

A petition as stated above with two copies of English translation thereof.

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TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.
FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
SUBJECT: Reports on Illegal Trade (836-892).

FOM No. 860(FIM)

16 September 1949

1. Reference: Paragraph 5, SCAP memorandum, AG 091.31 (4 Jun 46)ESS/PC, SCAPIN 996, subject: Illegal Import and Export Trade.
2. Transmitted herewith are the subject reports of the Ministry of Finance, Q/R serial Nos. 836 through 892, addressed to the General Headquarters, Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(T. Yoshioka)
Chief of Liaison Section,
Liaison Bureau,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

1 Incl
Fifty-seven (57) reports
as stated above.

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TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.
FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
SUBJECT : Information on ITAGAKI, Moichiro.

FOM No. 861(LCR)

16 September 1949

1. Reference: Memorandum of Japanese Liaison Section, GHQ, SCAP, 13 September 1949, subject: Request for Information on ITAGAKI, Moichiro.
2. The Attorney-General's Office reports to this Ministry on the subject matter as follows:

- a. It is difficult to obtain information on the subject person on the only data furnished by reference memorandum.
- b. It will be possible to obtain required information if at least any of the following factors are made available: his permanent domicile, the name of the court he was tried or the fact as to whether he was incarcerated or not.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(T.Yoshioka)
Chief of Liaison Section,
Liaison Bureau,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

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TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.
FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
SUBJECT: Service in Japanese Navy of KANEDA, Kei.

FOM No. 862(LCR)

16 September 1949

1. Reference:

- a. Check sheet of Diplomatic Section (Yokohama Division), 18 August 1949, subject: Military Service of Kei KANEDA.
- b. FOM letter No. 389 (LCR), 19 July 1949, subject as above.

2. The Second Demobilization Bureau Liquidation Division reports on the subject matter as follows:

- a. The original document describing the military history of KANEDA, Kei which had been in the custody of the Maizuru District Demobilization Liquidation Division was delivered to the Chief of CIC at Maizuru in compliance with his request and it has not yet been returned to the said District Division. The copy of the above document, however, is retained by the same Division.
The record of his military service described in the said copy is identical with that submitted to the Diplomatic Section under reference 1b letter. It is to be noted that in the copy there is no description relating to his service during the period between 1 September and 15 September 1944, and, therefore, it is hardly possible to furnish additional information on this point.
- b. The said Division is now directed to contact the Chief of CIC at Maizuru for the original document in order to ascertain whether there is the least error in the copy. The result of the investigation will be reported as soon as possible.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(T. Yoshioka)
Chief of Liaison Section,
Liaison Bureau,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

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TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.
FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
SUBJECT: Application for Approval to Replace Main Engine of a Wooden Vessel.

FOM No. 863 (TRAM)

16 September 1949

- 1 Transmitted herewith is the subject application of the Ship Bureau, Ministry of Transportation, MOT-W No.577(VB), 13 September 1949, addressed to General Headquarters, Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(T. Yoshioka)
Chief of Liaison Section,
Liaison Bureau,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

- 1 Incl
Application as stated above,
in triplicate.

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TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.

FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

SUBJECT : Reports on Administrative Measures Taken on Illegal Trade
Case Q/R No. 63 and 34 Other Cases.

FOM No. 864(FIM)

16 September 1949

1. Reference:

- a. Paragraph 6, SCAP memorandum, AG O91.31 (4 Jun 46)ESS/PC, SCAPIN 996, subject: Illegal Import and Export Trade.
- b. CLCO and FOM letters as undermentioned, subjects: Reports on Illegal Trade.

Case No. (Q/R)	Letter No.	Date
63	CLCO 978	11 April 1949
162	" 1279	13 May "
167	" "	" " "
188	" 1371	21 " "
189	" "	" " "
193	" "	" " "
196	" "	" " "
202	" 1413	26 " "
203	" "	" " "
277	FOM 37	4 June "
288	" "	" " "
300	" 78	10 " "
414	" 232	29 " "
430	" 271	5 July "
431	" "	" " "
444	" "	" " "
453	" 279	6 " "
465	" 293	7 " "
467	" "	" " "
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500	" "	" " "
503	" 329	12 " "
505	" "	" " "
518	" 399	20 " "
534	" "	" " "

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Case No. (Q/R)	Letter No.	Date
536	FOM 438	25 July 1949
550	" "	" " "
554	" "	" " "
556	" "	" " "
560	" "	" " "
563	" 502	5 August "
569	" "	" " "
601	" "	" " "
606	" "	" " "

2. Transmitted herewith are the reports of the Ministry of Finance on the administrative measures taken against the offenders involved in the illegal trade cases as reported by the reference b letters, addressed to the General Headquarters, Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(T. Yoshioka)
Chief of Liaison Section,
Liaison Bureau,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

1 Incl
35 reports as stated above.

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TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.
(Attn: Diplomatic Section)

FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

SUBJECT : Request to the Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers to Take Necessary Steps in Order to Lodge a Protest with the Chinese Government regarding the Sinking of "No. 105 Akashi Maru", and Seizure of Other Japanese Vessels.

FOM No. 865(PG)

16 September 1949

1. The Ministry of Foreign Affairs was duly informed by the Director-General, Maritime Safety Agency, of the sinking of "No. 105 Akashi Maru" on June 10, 1949; of the detention of steam-trawlers "Miho Maru" and "Tokai Maru" on May 12, 1949; of the detention of steam-trawlers "Kasho Maru No.5", "Zenshin Maru No.5" and "No.3" on June 10, 1949. The report of abovecases are enclosed herewith.
2. Although the report with regard to the sinking of "Akashi Maru" does not specify the nationality of the vessel in offensive, it is logical and reasonable to assume from the circumstances in which the other ships were seized that the vessel in question is of Chinese origin. The report reveals that "No. 105 Akashi Maru" was ordered to steam alongside by a warship of unknown origin on June 10, 1949 while sailing the East China Sea. The vessel attempted to escape, but was forced to stop after receiving a threatening gunfire. From this point on she was towed by the warship by means of a cable. However, the cable broke off and although the vessel was following the warship at full speed as ordered, she was suddenly fired upon and sank eventually. Four members of the crew were killed and four others are still missing.
3. According to the report received by the Maritime Safety Agency, the point where Akashi Maru met the warship is clearly within the limits set forth by the SCAP Memorandum dated June 22, 1946 concerning the area authorized for Japanese fishing and whaling. The Ministry of Foreign Affairs considers it logical to conclude that it is implied in the Memorandum that no attack will be made by the Allied warships upon a Japanese vessel peacefully engaged in fishing within the authorized area.
4. It appears, however, that the Chinese authorities claim that this incident occurred within the territorial waters of China. But even in the territorial waters, it constitutes a flagrant violation of the established rules of international law, in war or peace, to have recourse to armed attack upon a peaceful vessel in the circumstances in question.

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5. According to the investigations by the Maritime Safety Agency, those Japanese vessels seized by the Chinese authorities make a total of thirty-two, including two sunken ones, and the interned members of the crew thereof are two hundred and eight in all. These vessels and crew have been illegally seized and interned by Chinese warships, while they were fishing within the limits of the so-called MacArthur Line. (Reference: The list of vessels detained, (1) China, enclosed herewith.)

6. It is the opinion of this Ministry that the case of "No. 105 Akashi Maru" together with other similar incidents deserves full attention on the part of the Japanese Government and that a strong protest should be lodged with the Chinese Government in regard thereto. It will be highly appreciated, therefore, if the Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers take necessary steps to protest to the Chinese Government on behalf of the Japanese Government and to duly notify the Chinese Government so that adequate measures be taken to prevent any recurrence of similar incidents in the future.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(Ichiro Ohta)
Vice Minister.

3 Incls

1. Report on No.105 AKASHI Maru.
2. Report on vessels seized by Chinese.
3. List of detained vessels.

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TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.
FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
SUBJECT: Information on Chiyoko TAKAHASHI.

FOM No. 866(CJ)

16 September 1949

1. Reference: Check Sheet of Diplomatic Section, GHQ, SCAP, 9 June 1949, subject: OAP Case of Chiyoko TAKAHASHI.
2. In compliance with the request by reference check sheet, the following facts are hereby informed.
 - a. Chiyoko TAKAHASHI (her present name is Chiyoko Ishida) is alive now.
 - b. Chiyoko's present address is 52 Honan-cho, Suginami-ku, Tokyo.
 - c. Unzo TAKAHASHI, Chiyoko's father, died on 9 October 1938.
 - d. The name of the person who is entitled to participate in the distribution of Unzo's estate is Umon TAKAHASHI. His present address is 97 Izumi-cho, Suginami-ku, Tokyo.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(Torao Ushiroku)
Chief of Overseas Japanese Section,
Bureau of Control,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

2 Incls

1. A copy of Chiyoko's family register.
2. A copy of family register of Unzo and Umon.

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TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.
FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
SUBJECT: Information on KAWANO Tai.

FOM No. 867(LCR)

16 September 1949

1. Reference: Legal Section's check sheet No. 20706 LS-Z, 25 August 1949, subject: Request for Information.
2. The Second Demobilization Bureau Liquidation Division reports on the subject matter as follows:
 - a. No nominal roll of the KAWANO Tai is found among the documents kept by the said Division, nor is there any description relating to the said Tai in the original service records of the members of the 16th Naval Guard Unit.
 - b. Investigation is now being made by the Sasebo District Demobilization Liquidation Division of KAWANO, Masao former Sub-Lieutenant who is likely to have been the commander of the KAWANO Tai, in order to compile the required roster on the basis of his statement. The result of the investigation will be reported as soon as possible.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(T. Yoshioka)
Chief of Liaison Section,
Liaison Bureau,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

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TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.

FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

SUBJECT: Ko-toku Kaikan (Naigai Building).

FOM No. 868(FIM)

16 September 1949

1. Reference: SCAP memorandum, 095 (30 Jul 49)CFC/FP, 31 August 1949, subject as above.
2. Transmitted herewith is a letter of the Ministry of Finance on the Subject matter, addressed to the Civil Property Custodian, General Headquarters, Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(T. Yoshioka)
Chief of Liaison Section,
Liaison Bureau,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

1 Incl
Letter of Finance Ministry
(FCO 2505/49 FI/FE) in
triplicate.

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TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.

FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

SUBJECT: Information on Tokuya SAKURAUCHI.

FOM No. 869(GJ)

16 September 1949

1. Reference: Check sheet of Diplomatic Section, GHQ, SCAP, 31 August 1949, subject: OAP Case of Tokuya SAKURAUCHI.
2. In compliance with the request by reference check sheet, the following facts are hereby informed.
 - a. Tokuya SAKURAUCHI died on 3 October 1945.
 - b. Taka, Tokuya's widow, is alive. Taka's present address is 60, 4-chome, Mejiro-machi, Toshima-ku, Tokyo.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(Torao Ushiroku)
Chief of Overseas Japanese Section,
Bureau of Control,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

2 Incls

1. An abstract of Tokuya's family register.
2. An abstract of Taka's family register.

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TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.
FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
SUBJECT: Semi-Monthly Report on Fertilizer.

FOM No. 870(TIM-AM)

16 September 1949

1. Reference: SCAP memorandum, AG 464.6(17 May 46)ESS/IN, SCAPIN 962, subject: Production, Distribution and Use of Fertilizer.
2. Transmitted herewith is the subject report of the Ministry of International Trade and Industry and the Ministry of Agriculture and Forestry, No. 79 for the second half of August 1949, addressed to the General Headquarters, Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(T. Yashiki)
Chief of Liaison Section,
Liaison Bureau,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

1 Incl
Report as stated above
(in triplicate)

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TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.
FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
SUBJECT : Request for Transmittal of a Note Verbale to Swedish Diplomatic Mission.

FOM No. 871(PG)

16 September 1949

1. Reference: Memorandum of Diplomatic Section, GHQ, SCAP, AG 311.1 (10 Sep 49)DS, subject: Transmittal of Note Verbale from Swedish Diplomatic Mission.
2. The Ministry of Foreign Affairs wishes that its Note Verbale, enclosed herewith, be transmitted to the Swedish Diplomatic Mission in Japan through the good offices of the General Headquarters, Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(Katsumi Ohno)
Director, Bureau of Political Affairs,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

1 Incl
Note Verbale of the Ministry
of Foreign Affairs, PG No. 43,
16 August 1949, with 6 copies.

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TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.
FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
SUBJECT: Interview with HASHIMOTO, Hiroshi.

FOM No. 872(LGR)

16 September 1949

1. Reference: Legal Section's check sheet No. 20681 LS-Z, 18 August 1949, subject: Interview.
2. The National Rural Police Headquarters reports that the subject person died of illness at the front in West New Guinea on 24 April 1946, as shown in the enclosed death certificate and Koseki Tohon (Family register).

FOR THE MINISTER:

(T. Yoshioka)
Chief of Liaison Section,
Liaison Bureau,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

2 Incls

1. Death certificate with its English translation.
2. Family register with its English translation.

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TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.
FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
SUBJECT: Application for Release of Looted Vehicle.

FOM No. 873(RBO)

16 September 1949

1. Reference: CPC memorandum, 451(24 Jan 49)CPC/PLD, 24 January 1949, subject: "Centralization of Looted Vehicles."
2. Transmitted herewith is a letter of the Civil Property Division, Reparations Board on the subject matter, addressed to the Civil Property Custodian, General Headquarters, Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(T. Yoshioka)
Chief of Liaison Section,
Liaison Bureau,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

1 Incl

Letter of Civil Property Division,
Reparations Board (R.B.C. No. 604)
in quadruplicate.

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TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.
FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
SUBJECT: Submission of Receipt for Restitution of the Panamanian
Vessel S.S. "Ramona".

FOM No. 874(RBC)

17 September 1949

1. Reference: SCAP memorandum, AG0560(22 Oct 47)CPC/PLD, SCAPIN 6762-A,
4 August 1949, subject: "Restitution of the Panamanian Vessel SS "Ramona".
2. Transmitted herewith is a letter of the Civil Property Division, Repa-
rations Board on the subject matter, addressed to the Civil Property Custodian,
General Headquarters, Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(T. Yoshioka)
Chief of Liaison Section,
Liaison Bureau,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

1 Incl
Letter of Civil Property Division,
Reparations Board (R.B.C. No.601(IS))
in quadruplicate.

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TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.
FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
SUBJECT: Disposition of Foreign Currencies Formerly Held by Japanese
Repatriates.

FOM No. 875(FIM)

17 September 1949

1. Reference is made to the following SCAP memoranda:
 - a. AG 130(18 Jan 49)ESS/FIM, SCAPIN 1966, subject: Property Indi-
viduals are Authorized to Carry on Entering and Leaving Japan.
 - b. AG 130(22 Sep 45)ESS, SCAPIN 45, subject: Control of Financial
Transactions.
 - c. AG 091.3(22 Sep 45)ESS, SCAPIN 44, subject: Controls over Exports
and Imports of Gold, Silver, Securities and Financial Instruments.
2. Transmitted herewith is a letter of the Ministry of Finance on the
subject matter, addressed to the Economic and Scientific Section, General
Headquarters, Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(T. Yoshioka)
Chief of Liaison Section,
Liaison Bureau,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

1 Incl
Letter of Finance Ministry
(FCO 2506/49 FI/FE)
in triplicate.

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TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.

FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

SUBJECT: Earthquake Reports and Tidal Wave Forecasts.

COM No. 876(CMO)

17 September 1949

1. Reference: SCAP memorandum, AG 000.92(27 Dec 48)GC-0, SCAPIN 1957, 6 January 1949, subject as above.
2. Transmitted herewith is a report of Central Meteorological Observatory on the subject matter, addressed to General Headquarters, Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(T. Yoshida)
Chief of Liaison Section,
Liaison Bureau,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

1 Incl
A report as stated above,
COM 49-402 (C-W), in
triplicate.

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TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.

FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

SUBJECT: Report on Registration of Sales of Automobiles Privately Owned by Allied Nationals.

COM No. 877(TRAM)

17 September 1949

1. Reference: SCAP memorandum, AG 451(8 Feb 49)GA, SCAPIN 1970, 10 February 1949, subject: Sale and Resale of Privately Owned Automobiles.
2. Transmitted herewith is the subject monthly report for August 1949, Fisha No. 327, dated 14 September 1949, as prepared by the Highway Transportation Bureau, Ministry of Transportation, in compliance with paragraph 3 of the above reference memorandum.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(T. Yoshida)
Chief of Liaison Section,
Liaison Bureau,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

1 Incl
Report as stated above,
in triplicate.

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TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.
FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
SUBJECT: Transmittal of Applications for Extension of Stay of Sixty Day Visitors.

FOM No. 878(CRP) 19 September 1949

1. Reference: SCAP memorandum, AG 680.2 (21 Jul 49)GA, SCAPIN 2031, subject: Extension of Sixty Day Visit to Visit Relatives and Friends.
2. The Japanese Government has duly recognized that 6 people listed in attached roster are eligible for extension of stay in Japan in accordance with the provisions of reference memorandum.
3. Transmitted herewith are copies, each in duplicate, of the applications of the above persons for approval of the General Headquarters, Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(Eiji Wajima)
Chief, Bureau of Control,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

- 2 Incls
1. 6 Applications (Nos. 87 thru 92).
 2. Roster in triplicate.

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TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.
FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
SUBJECT: Training for Air Traffic Control Personnel.

FOM No. 879(TEM) 19 September 1949

1. Reference: SCAP memorandum, AG 311.1(2 Sep 48)CCS, SCAPIN 5985-A, 9 September 1948, subject: Report of Joint Investigation Committee on Organizational Matters Within the Ministry of Communications.
2. Transmitted herewith is a letter of the Ministry of Telecommunications on the subject matter, addressed to General Headquarters, Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(T. Yoshioka)
Chief of Liaison Section,
Liaison Bureau,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

- 1 Incl
Letter, Den-bun 290,
13 Sep 49, in triplicate.

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TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.
FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
SUBJECT : Petition for Partial Release of Requisitioned Warehouse-Site.

FOM No. 880(SPB)

19 September 1949

1. Reference: FD JPNR 2797-B.
2. Transmitted herewith is a letter of the Special Procurement Board on the subject matter, addressed to the General Headquarters, Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(T.Yoshioka)
Chief of Liaison Section,
Liaison Bureau,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

1 Incl
Letter of Special Procurement
Board, SPB No. 111(TPD) in
triplicate.

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TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.
FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
SUBJECT: Information on Shinichiro Hasegawa.

FOM No. 881(CJ)

19 September 1949

1. Reference: Check sheet of Diplomatic Section, GHQ, SCAP, 9 August 1949, subject: OAP Case of Shinichiro Hasegawa.
2. In compliance with the request by reference check sheet, the following facts are hereby informed.

- a. Shinichiro Hasegawa died on 7 January 1942.
- b. Saku, Shinichiro's wife, is alive now.

Saku's present address is 6642 Kugenuma Kaigan, Fujisawa-shi,
Kanagawa Ken.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(Torao Ushiroku)
Chief of Overseas Japanese Section,
Bureau of Control
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

- 2 Incls
1. An abstract of Shinichiro's family register.
 2. An abstract of Saku's family register.

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TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.
FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
SUBJECT: Report Relating to Resumption of Manufacture of Biologicals.

FOM No. 882(WEM)

19 September 1949

Transmitted herewith is a letter of the Ministry of Welfare on the subject matter, addressed to the Public Health and Welfare Section, General Headquarters, Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(T. Yoshioka)
Chief of Liaison Section,
Liaison Bureau,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

1 Incl
Letter of Welfare Ministry,
LSMW No.228 in triplicate.

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TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.
FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
SUBJECT: Petitions for Ex-M.P. Warrant Officer YAMAMOTO, Torao, Convicted War Criminal.

FOM No. 883(LGR)

19 September 1949

The Ministry of Foreign Affairs hereby requests that the General Headquarters, Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers be good enough to transmit to the competent Netherlands authorities three petitions, as enclosed herewith, for ex-M.P. Warrant Officer YAMAMOTO, Torao who was sentenced to ten years' imprisonment by the War Crimes Tribunal in Batavia.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(T. Yoshioka)
Chief of Liaison Section,
Liaison Bureau,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

3 Incls
Three petitions as stated above
with each two copies of English
translations thereof.

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TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.
FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
SUBJECT: Petition for Ex-Lt. General YOKOYAMA, Isamu and Ex-Col. AKITA, Hiroshi,
Convicted War Criminals.

FOM No 884(LCR)

19 September 1949

Transmitted herewith is a petition for ex-Lt. General YOKOYAMA, Isamu and
ex-Colonel AKITA, Hiroshi who were sentenced to death by hanging and life
imprisonment respectively by the U. S. Military Commission in Yokohama and
are now detained in Sugamo Prison.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(T. Yoshioka)
Chief of Liaison Section,
Liaison Bureau,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

1 Incl

A petition as stated above
with two copies of English
translation thereof.

昭和十四年九月十日

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TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.
FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
SUBJECT: Petition for Ex-M.P. Sergeant KURASHINA, Hakuji, Convicted
War Criminal.

FOM No. 885(LCR)

19 September 1949

1. Transmitted herewith is a petition for ex-M.P. Sergeant KURASHINA,
Hakuji together with the copies of Indictment, Written Reply, Explanatory
Plea and a certificate.
2. The subject person was sentenced to life imprisonment by the Chinese
War Crimes Tribunal in Shanghai and is now detained in Sugamo Prison.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(T. Yoshioka)
Chief of Liaison Section,
Liaison Bureau,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

2 Incls

1. A petition together with four
documents as stated above.
2. Each two copies of English
translations thereof.

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TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.
FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
SUBJECT: Petition for Release of Captured Fishing Vessels and Crews.

FOM No. 886(AM)

19 September 1949

1. Transmitted herewith is a letter of the Ministry of Agriculture and Forestry on the subject matter addressed to the Natural Resources Section, General Headquarters, Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers.
2. It is requested that General Headquarters, Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers be good enough to give favorable consideration to this petition.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(T. Yoshioka)
Chief of Liaison Section,
Liaison Bureau,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

1 Incl
Letter of Agriculture and
Forestry Ministry, MAF No.
143 - 1949, in triplicate.

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TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.
FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
SUBJECT: Installation and Erection of Oil Storage Tank of Standard Vacuum-Oil Company.

FOM NO. 887(TIM)

19 September 1949

1. Reference: SCAP memorandum, AG 678 (30 Nov 46)ESS/IND, SCAPIN 1920, 9 July 1948, subject: Petroleum Storage Tank Facilities.
2. Transmitted herewith is a letter of the Ministry of International Trade and Industry on the subject matter, addressed to the Economic and Scientific Section, General Headquarters, Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(T. Yoshioka)
Chief of Liaison Section,
Liaison Bureau,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

1 Incl
Letter of International Trade
and Industry Ministry, LO No.
45 in triplicate.

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TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.
(Attn: Diplomatic Section)

FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

SUBJECT: Transmittal of Letter.

FOM No. 888(L)

20 September 1949

1. Reference: Memorandum of Diplomatic Section, AG 454(13 Sep 49)DS, subject as above.
2. Inclosed herewith is a reply to a letter of 8 September addressed to the Prime Minister by the Acting Head of the Indian Liaison Mission in Japan stating that the Prime Minister is happy to participate in a public function for the presentation of an elephant to the children of Japan on any date after 26 September.
3. It will be appreciated if the Diplomatic Section, will be good enough to transmit the above reply to the Indian Liaison Mission in Japan.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(T. Yoshioka)
Chief of Liaison Section,
Liaison Bureau,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

1 Inclosure
Letter as stated above.

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TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.

FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

SUBJECT : Censorship Liaison Representatives.

FOM No. 889(LLI)

20 September 1949

1. Reference: SCAP memorandum, AG 311.7 (20 Sep 45)CI, subject as above.
2. At the request of the Ministry of Telecommunications it is informed that the new Censorship Liaison Representative of the said ministry as requested in paragraph 1 of reference memorandum will be SUGIYAMA, Eizo, Chief of the Document Section, Minister's Secretariat, Ministry of Telecommunications.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(T.Yoshioka)
Chief of Liaison Section,
Liaison Bureau,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

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TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.
FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
SUBJECT: Notices to Mariners.

FCM No. 890(MSA)

20 September 1949

1. Reference: SCAP memorandum, AG 040(26 Dec 45)CE, subject: Operation of Japanese Hydrographic Department.
2. Five (5) copies of the pamphlet, entitled "Notices to Mariners" for the week ending 17 September 1949, as prepared by the Maritime Safety Agency, Ministry of Transportation are transmitted herewith.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(T. Yoshioka)
Chief of Liaison Section,
Liaison Bureau,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

1 Incl
Pamphlet as stated above,
in quintuplicate.

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TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.
FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
SUBJECT : Earthquake Reports and Tidal Wave Forecasts.

FCM No. 891(CMO)

20 September 1949

1. Reference: SCAP memorandum, AG 000.92 (27 Dec 48)GC-O, SCAPIN 1957, 6 January 1949, subject as above.
2. Transmitted herewith is a report of Central Meteorological Observatory on the subject matter, addressed to General Headquarters, Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(T.Yoshioka)
Chief of Liaison Section,
Liaison Bureau,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

1 Incl
A report as stated above,
CMO 49-408 (C-W), in
triplicate.

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TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.

FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

SUBJECT: Request for Transmittal of a Note Verbale to the Swedish Diplomatic Mission in Japan.

FCM No. 892(CJ)

20 September 1949

The Japanese Government wishes to request the General Headquarters, Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers, to be good enough to transmit to the Swedish Diplomatic Mission in Japan the enclosed Note Verbale of the Japanese Ministry of Foreign Affairs concerning notifications of changes in personal status of Japanese nationals abroad and the certificate of U. S. nationality to be attached to a notification of renunciation of Japanese nationality.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(Eiji Wajima)
Chief, Bureau of Control,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

1 Incl

Note Verbale of the Foreign Office
CJ No. 44, dated 19 September 1949,
together with 6 copies thereof.

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TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.

FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

SUBJECT: Acknowledgment of Receipt of a Copy of Note Informing Deposit of the Instrument of Ratification by Norway of Protocol Amending International Convention Relating to Economic Statistics.

FCM No. 893(TT)

20 September 1949

1. Reference: Diplomatic Section's Memorandum, 9 September 1949, subject: Protocol Amending the International Convention Relating to Economic Statistics.
2. The Ministry of Foreign Affairs acknowledges receipt on 13 September 1949 of the memorandum referred to in the preceding paragraph with inclosure, which informed the Japanese Government of the ratification by the Government of Norway of the Protocol Amending the International Convention relating to Economic Statistics signed at Geneva on 14 December 1928.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(K. Nishimura)
Chief, Bureau of Treaties,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

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TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.
FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
SUBJECT: Request for Procurement Release of Exchange Hotel.

FOM No. 894(SPB)

20 September 1949

1. Reference:

- a. PD JPNR-1404.
- b. Procurement Release JPNR-1404-A.

2. Transmitted herewith is a letter of the Special Procurement Board on the subject matter, addressed to the General Headquarters, Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(T. Yoshioka)
Chief of Liaison Section,
Liaison Bureau,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

1 Incl
Letter of Special Procurement
Board, SPB No. 116(TPD) in
triplicate.

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TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.
FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
SUBJECT: Periodic Report on Repatriates from Soviet-Occupied Area.

FOM No. 895(LGR)

20 September 1949

1. Reference: Check Sheet of G-2, Order of Battle P & E, 3 February 1947, subject: Request for Periodic Reports.

2. The subject report No. 261 as of 19 September 1949 is transmitted herewith.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(T. Yoshioka)
Chief of Liaison Section,
Liaison Bureau,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

1 Incl
A report in table in triplicate.

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TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.

FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

SUBJECT: Acknowledgment of Receipt of a Copy of Note Informing Deposit of the Instrument of Acceptance by India of Protocol Amending International Convention Relating to Economic Statistics.

FOM No. 896(TT)

20 September 1949

1. Reference: Diplomatic Section's Memorandum, 9 September 1949, subject: Protocol Amending the International Convention Relating to Economic Statistics.

2. The Ministry of Foreign Affairs acknowledges receipt on 13 September 1949 of the memorandum referred to in the preceding paragraph with inclosure, which informed the Japanese Government of the acceptance by the Government of India of the Protocol Amending the International Convention relating to Economic Statistics signed at Geneva on 14 December 1928.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(K. Nishimura)
Chief, Bureau of Treaties
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

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TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.

FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

SUBJECT : Report on Removal of Restrictions on Political, Civil and Religious Liberties.

FOM No. 897(LLE)

21 September 1949

1. Reference is made to the following SCAP memoranda:

- a. SCAPIN-93, 4 October 1945, subject: Removal of Restrictions on Political, Civil and Religious Liberties.
- b. AG 000.76 (27 Sep 45)CI, SCAPIN-66, subject: Further Steps toward Freedom of Press and Speech.
- c. AG 000.76 (8 Oct 45)CI, SCAPIN-146, 16 October 1945, subject: Elimination of Japanese Government Control of the Motion Picture Industry.

2. There is nothing to report on the subject matter for the first half of September 1949.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(T.Yoshioka)
Chief of Liaison Section,
Liaison Bureau,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

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TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.

FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

SUBJECT: Traveling Expenses for Witnesses Called by the Occupation Forces.

FOM No. 898(LGR)

21 September 1949

1. Reference:

- a. SCAP Memorandum, AG 248(31 Mar 48)GD, SCAPIN 1872/6, 28 December 1948, subject: Payment of Expenses of Non-Military Witnesses Called by Occupation Forces.
- b. Procurement Demand, JPNS-3, dated 1 April 1949.
- c. SCAP Memorandum, AG 248(31 Mar 48)GD, SCAPIN 1872/9, 14 March 1949, subject: Payment of Expenses of Non-Military Witnesses Called by Occupation Forces During Period 1 April 1948 to 1 February 1949.
- d. FOM Letter No.315(LGR), 11 July 1949, subject as c above.

2. The Ministry of Foreign Affairs hereby wishes to inform the General Headquarters, Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers that the amount of expenses paid or expected to be payable in accordance with reference 1b Procurement Demand to witnesses called by the Counter Intelligence Corps is assessed as follows:

a. Expenses paid from June to August 1949:

June	¥ 262,008.00
July	¥ 263,713.00
August (Approximate amount)	¥ 300,000.00
Total	¥ 825,721.00

b. Expenses expected to be payable from September to December 1949:

Required through Kochi Prefecture (For September and October)	¥ 930,000.00
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Required through Ehime Prefecture (Up to the end of December)	¥ 2,675,500.00
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Required through Fukushima Prefecture (For 200 witnesses called from 25 July to 8 August)	¥ 310,000.00
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Others (Approximately ¥300,000 per month)	¥ 1,200,000.00
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Total	¥ 5,115,500.00
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c. Grand Total	¥ 5,941,221.00
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3. Though notification will be made to Procurement Section, Headquarters Eighth Army, by the Japanese Government as soon as the actual expenditures equal 80 per cent of ¥ 6,000,000 designated in the fiscal limitation clause of said Procurement Demand, it is felt necessary to submit this interim report in consideration of the probability that the expenses should exceed the designated sum by the end of this year.

4. In this connection, the Ministry of Foreign Affairs feels bound to invite the attention of the competent authorities to the fact that the local Japanese Government authorities have been eagerly waiting for the General Headquarters to provide for implementation of retroactive payment, the principle of which has been enunciated in paragraph 2 of the reference 1c SCAP Memorandum dated 14 March 1949.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(T. Yoshioka)
Chief of Liaison Section,
Liaison Bureau,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

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TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.
FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
SUBJECT: Restitution of Two Vehicles to the Netherlands Government.

FOM No. 899(REC)

21 September 1949

1. Reference: SCAP memorandum, AG 451 (15 Mar 49)CPC/PLD, SCAPIN 6830-A, 3 September 1949, subject as above.
2. Transmitted herewith is a letter of the Civil Property Division, Reparations Board on the subject matter, addressed to the Civil Property Custodian, General Headquarters, Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(T. Yoshioka)
Chief of Liaison Section,
Liaison Bureau,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

1 Incl
Letter of Civil Property Division,
Reparations Board (R.B.C. No. 623
(LS)) in quadruplicate.

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TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.
FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
SUBJECT: Additional Application in Correction of Errors Made in Application for Temporary Use and Designation of Former Navy Oil Storage Facilities.

FOM No. 900(TIM)

21 September 1949

1. Reference:
 - a. SCAP memorandum, AG 678(30 Nov 46)ESS/IND, SCAPIN 1920, 9 July 1948, subject: Petroleum Storage Tank Facilities.
 - b. FOM letter No. 567(TIM), 13 August 1949, subject: Application for Permission of Temporary Use of Maizuru Former Navy Oil Storage Facilities and Designation of Same as Oil Import Base.
2. Transmitted herewith is a letter of the Ministry of International Trade and Industry on the subject matter, addressed to the Economic and Scientific Section, General Headquarters, Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(T. Yoshioka)
Chief of Liaison Section,
Liaison Bureau,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

1 Incl
Letter of International Trade
and Industry Ministry,
IO No. 46 in triplicate.

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TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.
FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
SUBJECT : Request for Repatriation of TOYOOKA, Eijiro, Convicted War Criminal.

FOM No. 901(LCR)

21 September 1949

1. Reference:

- a. SCAP memorandum, AG 000.5 (9 Sep 46)LS-A, SCAPIN-1190, subject: Results of War Crimes Trials.
- b. Legal Section's check sheet 000.5 LS-R, 1 March 1948, subject: Repatriation of Japanese War Criminals.
- c. Legal Section's check sheet 000.5 LS-R (Appre), 11 March 1948, subject: Suspension of Sentence and Repatriation of SWC.
- d. CLGO letter No. 1019(3WC), 29 March 1948, subject: Treatment of TOYOOKA, Eijiro (CHIU, Jung).
- e. CLGO letter No. 2703(3WC), 28 July 1948, subject as d. above.

2. TOYOOKA, Eijiro, a Formosan who is former Japanese military civilian, was sentenced to 15 years' penal servitude on 14 January 1946 at the Australian War Crimes Court at Rabaul. He returned to Japan on 6 March 1948, however, his sentence having been suspended for the reason of ill health, and was delivered to the custody of the Japanese Government. He was placed in the National Tokyo First Hospital at No. 1, Toyama-machi, Shinjuku-ku, Tokyo, on 10 March 1948 in order to receive proper medical treatment for stomach ulcer. He has been in the said hospital since then, except when he had been placed for some time in summer of 1948 in the National Atami Hospital at Atami City, Shizuoka Prefecture, for adequate recuperation after the operation on stomach which he underwent on 23 April 1948. His medical report has been monthly submitted to the Legal Section, General Headquarters, Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers.

3. Although TOYOOKA is still physically unfit for excessive movement at present, there is no particular medical treatment for him even if he remains in hospital, as shown in the attached medical certificate by the doctors in charge at the above-mentioned hospital. Presumably it takes some time in natural recuperation before he can be restored to full

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health. Furthermore, TOYOOKA himself is anxious for repatriation to Formosa in order to receive treatment at home, having neither relatives nor acquaintances in Japan. He is considered in the doctors' opinions to be able to withstand a journey.

4. Such being the case, the Ministry of Foreign Affairs solicits the good offices of the General Headquarters, Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers for his repatriation and home treatment.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(T.Yoshioka)
Chief of Liaison Section,
Liaison Bureau,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

1 Incl
Medical certificate of TOYOOKA,
Eijiro with its English translation.

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TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.
FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
SUBJECT: Information concerning Marriage of Tayeko TOMINAGA.

FOM No. 902(LGR)

21 September 1949

1. Reference: Check sheet of Diplomatic Section (Yokohama Division), 12 August 1949, subject: Request for Information re marriage of Tayeko TOMINAGA.

2. The required information is submitted herewith, as received from the Governor of Nagasaki Prefecture and other authorities concerned.

3. As a result of investigations, it is revealed that the above person was once intimate with FUJII, Yoshihiro, then proprietor of a hotel in Fukuoka City, in 1940 or 1941. Their affairs lasted until they parted each other in July or August 1945. Their illegitimate daughter to whom she had given birth on 9 March 1945 was registered in the mother's KOSEKI (family register), as usually done in similar cases. She has remained unmarried.

4. FUJII now lives at Nishifura, Kitasaki-mura, Itoshima-gun, Fukuoka-ken, which is the place of his wife, whom he had married before he knew Tayeko TOMINAGA.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(T. Yoshioka)
Chief of Liaison Section,
Liaison Bureau,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

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TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.
FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
SUBJECT: Application for Approval to Replace Main Engines of Sixteen (16) Steel Fishing Vessels.

FOM No. 903 (TRAM)

21 September 1949

Transmitted herewith is the subject application of the Ship Bureau, Ministry of Transportation, MOT-W No. 602 (VB), 20 September 1949, addressed to General Headquarters, Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(T. Yoshioka)
Chief of Liaison Section,
Liaison Bureau,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

1 Incl
Application as stated above,
in triplicate.

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TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.
FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
SUBJECT: Application for Approval to Construct Four (4) Steel Fishing Vessels.

FOM No. 904 (TRAM)

21 September 1949

Transmitted herewith is the subject application of the Ship Bureau, Ministry of Transportation, MOT-W No. 601 (VB), 20 September 1949, addressed to General Headquarters, Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(T. Yoshioka)
Chief of Liaison Section,
Liaison Bureau,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

1 Incl
Application as stated above,
in triplicate.

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TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.
FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
SUBJECT: Petition of the Yuhikaku Publishing Company concerning Publishing of Organization Chart of GHQ, SCAP.

FOM No. 905(LCO)

21 September 1949

1. At the request of the Yuhikaku Publishing Company, as shown in the attached English translation of the petition addressed to the Chief of Liaison Bureau, Ministry of Foreign Affairs, transmitted herewith is a draft of the organization chart of GHQ, SCAP, which the said Company prepared for the use of the law students in their "Annual Bulletin on Laws and Ordinances."

2. The Ministry would appreciate if the General Headquarters, Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers would be good enough to inform the Ministry whether there is any objection to the publishing of this chart.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(T. Yoshioka)
Chief of Liaison Section,
Liaison Bureau,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

1 Incl
English translation
of petition with chart
as stated above.

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TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.
FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
SUBJECT: Restitution of Quinine Removed from French Indo-China.

FOM No. 906(FHC)

22 September 1949

1. Reference: SCAP memorandum, AG 386.6(11 Aug 49)CPG/FLD, SCAPIN 6836-A, 6 September 1949, subject, as above.
2. Transmitted herewith is a letter of the Civil Property Division, Reparations Board on the subject matter, addressed to the Civil Property Custodian, General Headquarters, Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(T. Yoshioka)
Chief of Liaison Section,
Liaison Bureau,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

- 1 Incl
Letter of Civil Property Division,
Reparations Board (R.B.C. No.625(LS))
in quadruplicate.

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昭和廿四年九月廿二日

TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.
FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
SUBJECT: Report on Receipts and Disbursements of Treasury Funds for July 1949.

FOM No. 907(FIM)

22 September 1949

Transmitted herewith is a letter of the Ministry of Finance on the subject matter, addressed to the Economic and Scientific Section, General Headquarters, Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(T. Yoshioka)
Chief of Liaison Section,
Liaison Bureau,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

- 1 Incl
Letter of Finance Ministry
(FCO 2528/49 FI/TR) in
triplicate.

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TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.
FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
SUBJECT: Application for Approval to Act on Behalf of Foreign Firm in Marine Claim Adjustment.

FOM No. 908(FIM)

22 September 1949

1. Reference is made to the following SCAP memoranda:

- a. AG 091.3(22 Sep 45)ESS, SCAPIN 44, subject: Control over Exports and Imports of Gold, Silver, Securities and Financial Instruments.
- b. AG 130(22 Sep 45)ESS, SCAPIN 45, subject: Control of Financial Transactions.
- c. AG 160(30 Oct 45)ESS/FI, SCAPIN 211, subject: Contracts by Persons in Japan with Foreign Concerns.

2. Transmitted herewith is a letter of the Ministry of Finance on the subject matter, addressed to the Economic and Scientific Section, General Headquarters, Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(T. Yoshioka)
Chief of Liaison Section,
Liaison Bureau,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

1 Incl
Letter of Finance Ministry
(FCO 2521/49 FI/FE) in
triplicate.

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TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.
(Attn: Utility and Fuel Division, ESS)
FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
SUBJECT: Petition for Approval of Suigasaki Project (Serial No.39-1005).

FOM No. 909(TIM)

22 September 1949

Transmitted herewith is a letter of the Ministry of International Trade and Industry on the subject matter, addressed to the General Headquarters, Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(T. Yoshioka)
Chief of Liaison Section,
Liaison Bureau,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

1 Incl
Letter of International
Trade and Industry Ministry,
IO No.49 in triplicate.

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TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.
FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
SUBJECT: Application for Approval to Convert a Wooden Vessel into Oil Tanker.

FCM No. 910(TRAM)

22 September 1949

Transmitted herewith is the subject application of the Ship Bureau, Ministry of Transportation, MOT-W No.618(VB), 21 September 1949, addressed to General Headquarters, Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(T. Yoshioka)
Chief of Liaison Section,
Liaison Bureau,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

1 Incl
Application as stated above,
in triplicate.

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昭和廿四年九月廿二日

TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.
FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
SUBJECT: Application for Approval to Convert a Wooden Cargo Vessel into Water Supply Boat.

FCM No. 911(TRAM)

22 September 1949

Transmitted herewith is the subject application of the Ship Bureau, Ministry of Transportation, MOT-W No.597(VB), 20 September 1949, addressed to General Headquarters, Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(T. Yoshioka)
Chief of Liaison Section,
Liaison Bureau,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

1 Incl
Application as stated above,
in triplicate.

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TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.
FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
SUBJECT : Application for Approval to Replace Main Engines of Two (2)
Wooden Fishing Boats.

FOM No. 912(TRAM) 22 September 1949

Transmitted herewith is the subject application of the Ship Bureau,
Ministry of Transportation, MOT-W No. 609(VB), 21 September 1949, addressed
to General Headquarters, Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(T. Yoshioka)
Chief of Liaison Section,
Liaison Bureau,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

1 Incl
Application as stated above,
in triplicate.

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昭和廿四年九月廿五日

TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.
FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
SUBJECT: Information on KONO, Takaharu.

FOM No. 913 (LOR) 22 September 1949

1. Reference: Legal Section's check sheet No. 20719 LS-Z, 30 August 1949, subject: Request for Information.
2. Transmitted herewith is the military history of KONO, Takaharu, as prepared by the Demobilization Bureau, Repatriation Relief Agency.
3. The said Bureau adds that he never served at Rabaul in 1942, as shown in the said history.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(T. Yoshioka)
Chief of Liaison Section,
Liaison Bureau,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

1 Incl
A military history.

昭和廿四年九月廿五日

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TO : GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.

FROM : Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

SUBJECT: Information on HIGASHI, Matsuo.

FOM No. 914(LCR)

22 September 1949

1. Reference:

- a. Legal Section's Check Sheet No.20668 LS-Z, 11 August 1949, subject: Request for Information.
- b. FOM letter No.846(LCR), 15 September 1949, subject: Death Certificate and Naval Biography of AZUMA (FNU).

2. The Second Demobilization Bureau Liquidation Division reports on the subject matter as follows:

- a. The military history of HIGASHI, Matsuo referred to as AZUMA (FNU) in reference Check Sheet is enclosed herewith.
- b. Ranks and appointments held by him during the period from February 1945 to the date of his demobilization are mentioned in the said history.
- c. Neither titles of the platoons, companies and units in which he served nor names of his immediate superiors are kept in the records of the said Division.
- d. As the result of inquiries made of the persons who served in the 27th Special Base Force during the said period, the following information have been obtained:

(1) Titles of platoons, companies, units and headquarters in which he served:

- (a) He was the leader of the Headquarters Platoon of the 3rd Company, Kakiuchi Unit, 27th Special Base Force.
- (b) He served in the 3rd Platoon of the 3rd Company, Kakiuchi Unit, 27th Special Base Force.

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(c) He served in the 2nd Platoon of the Shiragishi Unit or Mitsuno Unit, Kakiuchi Unit, 27th Special Base Force.

(2) Names and addresses of his immediate superiors:

(a) 3rd Company Commander (Commander of Shiragishi Unit).

Sub-Lieutenant SHIRAGISHI, Hirao (killed in action on 30 June 1945).

(b) Commander of Mitsuno Unit.

Lieutenant-Commander MITSUNO, Tadao.

No.2960, Okamoto, Kuwayama-mura, Mitoyo-gun, Kagawa-ken.

FOR THE MINISTER:

(T. Yoshioka)
Chief of Liaison Section,
Liaison Bureau,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

1 Incl
A military history.

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