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AG 461 (20 May 48) CCS
SCAPIN 1897

20 May 1948

MEMORANDUM FOR: JAPANESE GOVERNMENT

SUBJECT: Telephone Directories for Use of Non-Occupation Force
Personnel and Firms

1. The Japanese Government is authorized to print copies of occupation force telephone directories for sale, at central telephone offices, to commercial firms, agencies and individuals not authorized to receive communications services on occupation force procurement instruments.

2. Prices charged will be sufficient to cover all costs incurred in printing, publishing and distributing these directories, including administrative expenses.

3. Before selling occupation force directories, the Japanese Government will excise all instructions for placing long distance calls over military or Allied Forces toll systems, and for reporting telephone trouble calls to an army repair service number, and will stamp or print in some conspicuous place on the directories instructions for reaching the regular Japanese Toll, Information, and Telephone Repair Service switchboards.

4. Direct communication between Civil Communications Section, General Headquarters, Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers, and the Ministry of Communications within the scope of this memorandum is authorized.

FOR THE SUPREME COMMANDER:

for R. M. LEVY
R. M. LEVY,
Colonel, AGD,
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Info of General Application)

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MEMORANDUM

SUBJECT: Information of General Application Pertaining to Directive Number SCAPIN 1897, file AG 461 (20 May 48) CCS, this Headquarters, dated 20 May 1948, subject: Telephone Directories for use of Non-Occupation Force Personnel and Firms

1. With reference to subject memorandum, the following is published for the information of all concerned.
2. The subject directive authorizes the Japanese Government to print extra copies of occupation force telephone directories for sale to commercial firms, agencies and individuals not authorized to receive communications services on occupation force procurement instruments.
3. Requests for these directories have been received from many foreign traders, accredited firms, the foreign traders' hotels, Japanese Government agencies and Japanese nationals and firms having business with the occupation forces.
4. The Ministry of Communications is making a survey of the requirements for these directories, and will offer them for sale in their central telephone business offices. The copies for non-occupation force use will be printed at the same time as the occupation force editions are printed.
5. The occupation forces cannot properly pay for the printing and distribution of directories for use of non-occupation force persons or agencies, and in order to meet the demand for these directories it seems appropriate to have the Ministry of Communications handle this work as part of its normal function of offering telephone services.



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Major, IAGD
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DISTRIBUTION

Same as SCAPIN 1897
less Japanese Government

(See reverse for SCAPIN 1897)