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AG 000.77 (6 Mar 47)GB

APD 500  
6 March 1947

MEMORANDUM TO: Norwegian Diplomatic Mission

SUBJECT : Availability of News Broadcasts over  
Norsk Radiopresse

1. Reference is made to Norwegian Diplomatic Mission letter, 3 March 1947, requesting information as to the availability of news broadcasts over Norsk Radiopresse, a Norwegian Radio News-bulletin, in Tokyo.

2. Broadcasts over Norsk Radiopresse are not heard nor received in Tokyo by the International Radio Branch of the Civil Communications Section nor the News Section of the Public Relations Office.

FOR THE SUPREME COMMANDER:

MEMO FOR RECORD:

DISTRIBUTION:

- CCS
- PRO
- AG Records
- G-2, Admin.
- G-2, Return Copy

1. Ltr Norwegian Diplomatic Mission, 3 Mar 47, requesting info whether Norsk Radiopresse broadcasts were rec'd in Tokyo and their availability.

2. Neither Mr. Cook, International Radio Br., CCS, nor Mr. Sirkin, News Section, PRO, have heard this broadcast, nor is it rec'd to their knowledge in Tokyo.

B.T.P. \_\_\_\_\_ 22668

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## NORWEGIAN DIPLOMATIC MISSION

The Norwegian Diplomatic Mission presents its compliments to the G-2 Section, General Headquarters, Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers.

Acting upon instructions received from its Government, the Mission begs to inquire whether Norsk Radiopresse, a Norwegian Radio News-bulletin, is received in Tokyo.

The bulletin is being transmitted all weekdays on the following wavelengths and at the following time:

GMT 1400 LCH	55.05 Kc	5450.00 m
" 1900 LCL	14550.00 "	20.62 "
" 2300 LCJ	9980.00 "	30.06 "
" 0900 LCJ	9980.00 "	30.06 "

In case the above mentioned stations are received, the Mission would be obliged to learn about their audibility. .

Tokyo, March 3rd, 1947.



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AG 014.331

DS/MWB/JDE/rf  
Norwegian Request for Specimen  
Japanese Diplomatic Passport.

DS

G-2/GL

13 Feb 47

1.
  1. Attached is copy of note from Norwegian Diplomatic Mission, 6 Feb 47, requesting assistance in obtaining from IJG a specimen Japanese Diplomatic passport, such as was formerly issued to members of the Japanese Foreign Service.
  2. This section has no objection to fulfillment of the request.
  3. Request that if G-2/FL likewise has no objection, G-2/JL obtain the document required from C.L.O.

Incl:  
Copy of note,  
as stated.

-----M. W. B.-----

2. From: G-2 To: Dip. Sec. Date: 6 Mar 1947

Forwarded herewith one specimen Japanese diplomatic passport, as per request Checknote #1. Japanese diplomatic passports, according to information from the Foreign Office, differ from ordinary Japanese passports only by the addition of the stamp imprint "Diplomatique" and (on inside front cover) the Japanese characters for "official business" (KOYO).

1 Incl:  
Jap. Dip.  
Passport.

-----C. A. W.-----

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NORWEGIAN DIPLOMATIC MISSION

The Norwegian Diplomatic Mission presents its compliments to the Diplomatic Section, General Headquarters, Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers, and has the honour to request the latter's kind intermediary in order to obtain from the Japanese Authorities concerned, a specimen of the diplomatic passports which used to be issued to such members of the Japanese foreign service, who were entitled to such travelling documents.

The Norwegian Foreign Ministry is at present contemplating an alteration of the forms used for Norwegian diplomatic passports and is therefore interested in obtaining specimens of such passports, used in other countries.

Tokyo, February 6th, 1947.



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# G-2, GHQ INTER - OFFICE MEMORANDUM

(For use within G-2 only)

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<b>File No:</b>		<b>Subject:</b>	Norwegian Request for Specimen Japanese Diplomatic Passport	<b>Date:</b>	25 Feb 47
<b>FROM:</b>	G/L	<b>TO:</b>	J/L	<b>PHONE:</b>	22668
				<b>NAME:</b>	Col. Pash

**Comment Number**

1.

1. In note from the Norwegian Diplomatic Mission, 6 Feb 1947, to the Diplomatic Section, request is made for assistance in obtaining from the Imperial Japanese Government a specimen Japanese diplomatic passport such as was formerly issued to members of the Japanese Foreign Service.

2. Neither the Diplomatic Section, nor G-2, General Liaison have any objections to fulfillment of this request.

3. It is requested that G-2, Japanese Liaison obtain the document requested from the Central Liaison Office and forward it to G-2, Foreign Liaison (European Section).

*[Signature]*  
-----B.T.P.-----

From: Japanese Liaison To: Foreign Liaison Date: 28 Feb 47  
(European Section)

2.

Forwarded herewith one specimen Japanese diplomatic passport, as required in 3, above. Japanese diplomatic passports, according to information from the Foreign Office, differ from ordinary Japanese passports only by the addition of the stamp imprint "Diplomatique" and (on inside front cover) the Japanese characters for "official business" (KOYO).

Incl -  
as cited

*[Signature]*  
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Diplomatic Section

DS/RWB/HR/JDE/AM

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The Diplomatic Section of General Headquarters, Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers, presents its compliments to the Norwegian Diplomatic Mission and has the honor in reference to the latter's note of February 10, 1947, to state that every effort will be made to permit Capt. Christiansen to retain his quarters in the Dai Ichi Hotel and that, in any event, he will not be asked to move from his present quarters until a single room is available in some other General Headquarters billet.

G-2/FL

Tokyo, March 3, 1947

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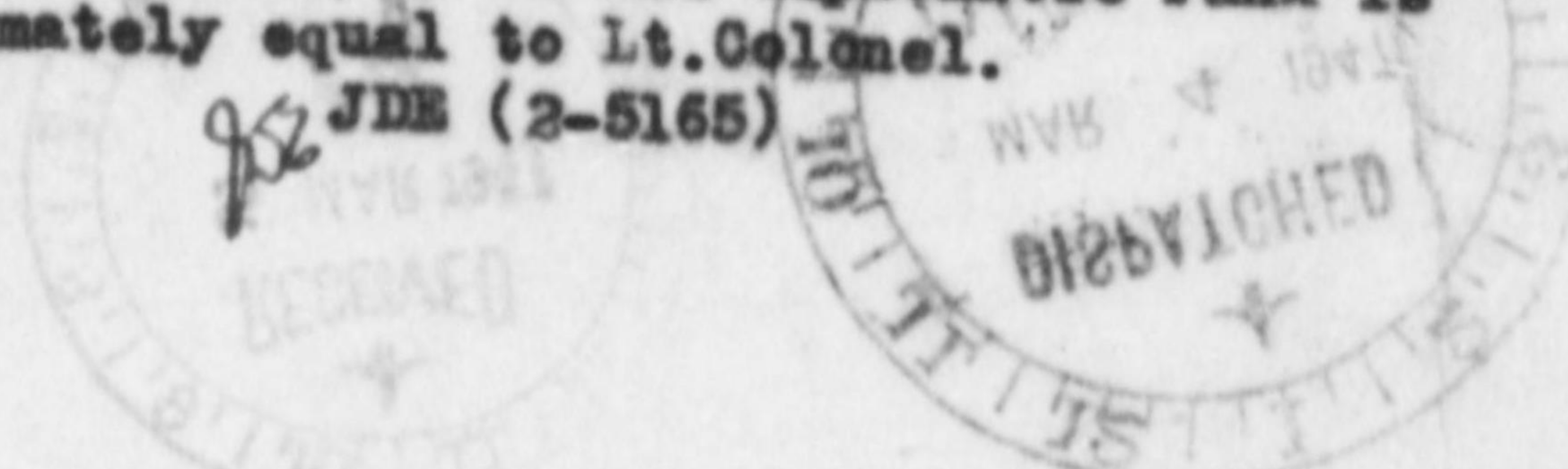
Info copies to:

G-4  
G-2/FL  
AG Records

M/R: 1. Based on check note 2, G-4 to DS, thru Headquarters Commandant, 17 Feb 47, in reply to DS check sheet to G-4/P&P, 13 Feb 47, subj: "Billeting for Capt. Christiansen of the Norwegian Diplomatic Mission".

2. Lt. Col. Rude, G-4/P&P, stated that he would pass on to Hdq. Comdt. the information received from Capt. Christiansen by DS, to the effect that Christiansen is not now military personnel, and has solely his rank as secretary of Mission. Mr. Edwards, DS, informed Lt. Col. Rude that, since Christiansen is a civilian, the military equivalent of his diplomatic rank is approximately equal to Lt. Colonel.

JDE (2-5165)



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S 701.9  
AG 091.112 (10 Feb 47)DS

DS/HWB/JPP/mf  
APO 500 *TD*  
10 February 1947

**SUBJECT:** Clearance for Entry Into Japan of Mr. Johan Brandt,  
Member of Norwegian Diplomatic Mission.

**TO :** Commanding General, Eighth Army, APO 343.  
**ATTENTION:** Legal Division, Military Government Section.

1. The person indicated below has been cleared for entry into Japan. There follows information required by Circular 8, 30 August 1946, subject: "Control of Entry and Exit of Individuals, Aircraft and Surface Vessels Into and From Japan," issued by General Headquarters, Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers:

a. Full name:	Johan Brandt
b. Date and place of birth:	26 Sept 1896, Oslo, Norway
c. Nationality:	Norwegian
d. Present occupation:	Business man
e. Explanation of purpose of visit to Japan and description of work to be performed:	To serve as Commercial Adviser to Norwegian Diplomatic Mission
f. Expected length of stay:	Two years
g. Desired date of entry:	February, 1947
h. Point of origin and final destination in Japan:	United States to Tokyo
i. Route and means of travel in Japan:	By sea
j. Number, date of issuance, issuing authority and validity of passport (if applicant is not traveling in uniform):	Unknown

2. This clearance is valid for sixty days.

3. The luggage of the above person is exempt from customs inspection.

4. The above clearance constitutes permission to travel in Tokyo-Yokohama area.

BY COMMAND OF GENERAL MacARTHUR:

MAILED 11 00 Feb 12 '47 AG-GHC  
JOHN B. COOLEY  
Colonel, AGD,  
Adjutant General

Info copies to: G-1, G-2/FL, AG Records

M/R: 1. Clearance requested in Norwegian Diplomatic Mission's letter, 14 Jan 47.  
2. Clearance concurred in by G-1, G-2/FL, and G-4.

JPP (2-5150)



Diplomatic Section

DB/MWB/JTP/mf

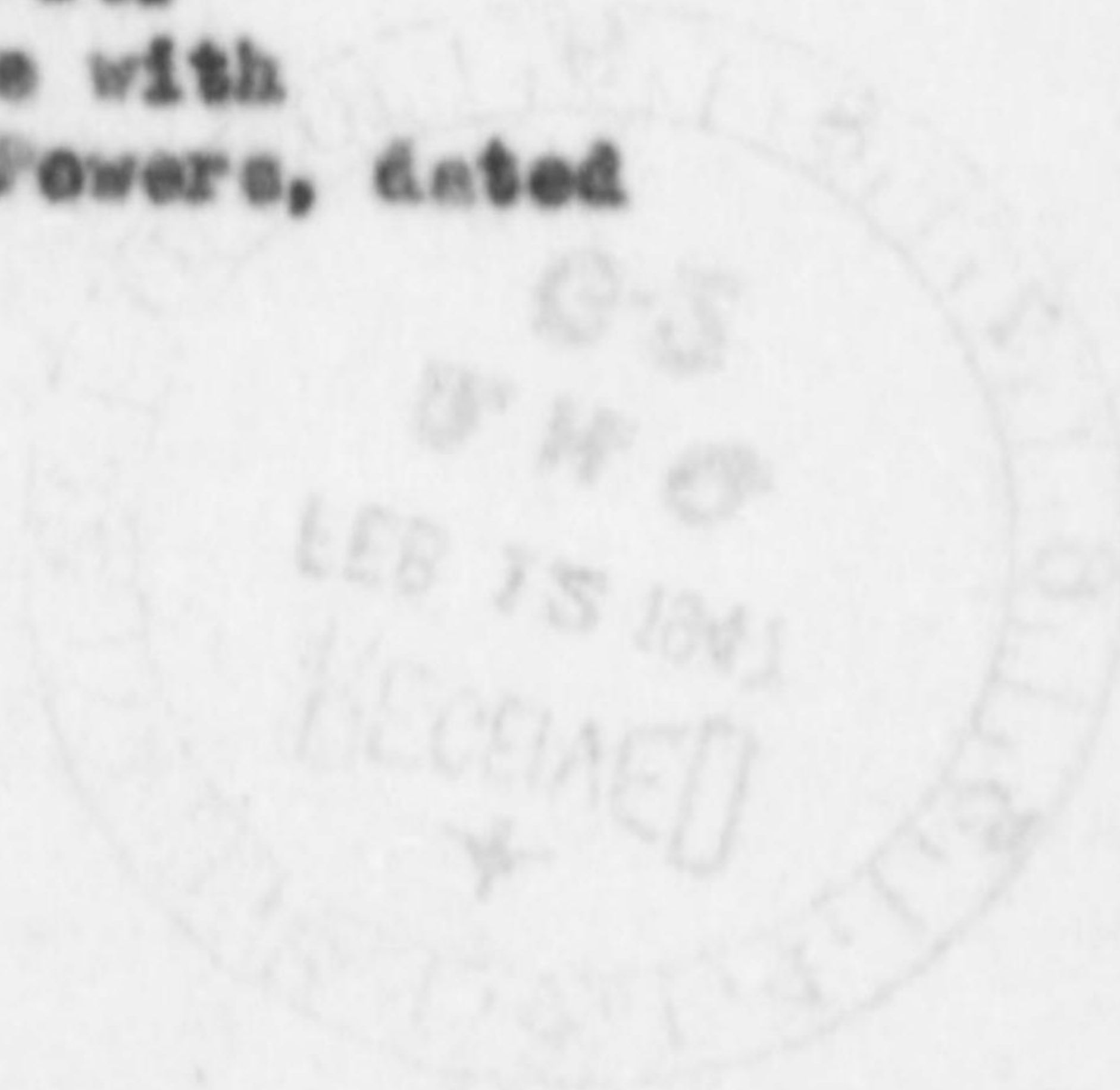
The Diplomatic Section of General Headquarters, Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers, presents its compliments to the Norwegian Diplomatic Mission in Japan and has the honor, with reference to the latter's note of January 14, 1947, to state that clearance is granted for the entry into Japan of Mr. Johan Brandt, Commercial Adviser to the Mission.

The Joint Chiefs of Staff, Washington, D. C., have been notified by cablegram of this action.

Before clearance for Mrs. Brandt can be granted it will be necessary for the Mission to make arrangements for accommodations from Japanese sources in accordance with Circular No. 9, Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers, dated September 18, 1946.

G-2/FL

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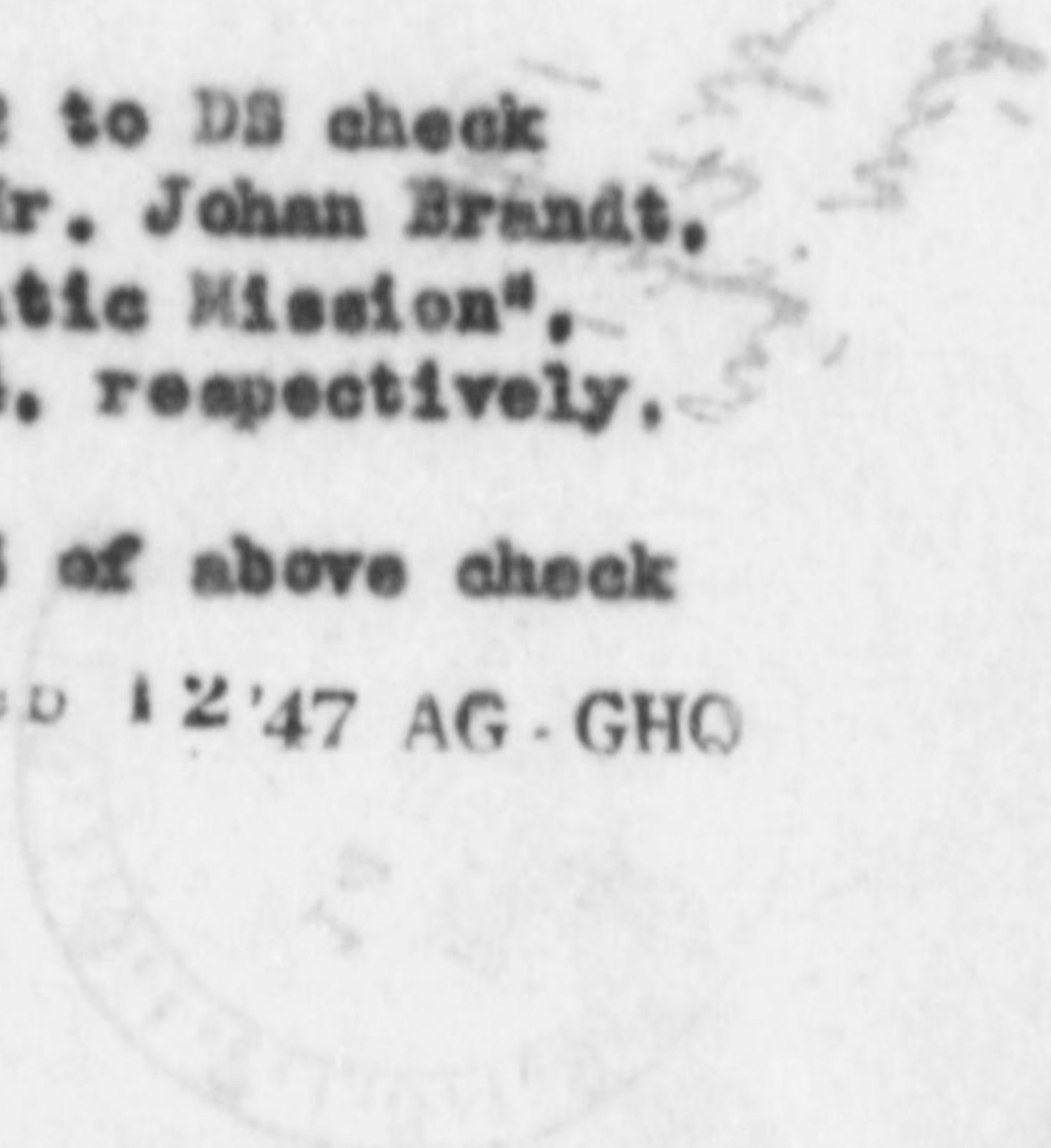
Tokyo, February 10, 1947.

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AG 091.117

Info copies to: G-1, G-2, G-4, G-2/FL, AG Records

- M/R: (1) Clearance concurred in by G-2 in note 2 to DS check sheet 21 Jan 47, subj: "Clearance for Mr. Johan Brandt, Commercial Adviser to Norwegian Diplomatic Mission", and by G-4 and G-1 in notes No. 3 and 4, respectively, to above check sheet.
- (2) Paragraph 2 above based on check note 3 of above check sheet.

MAILED 1100 FEB 12 '47 AG-GHQ  
JTP (2-5150)





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10 Feb 47  
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31, February 10, 1947.

Johan Brandt, proceeding to United States from Norway, cleared 7 February 1947 for entry Japan as Commercial Adviser to Norwegian Mission.

OFFICIAL:

APPROVED:

JOHN B. COOLEY,  
Colonel, AGD,  
Adjutant General

MAX W. BISHOP  
Acting Chief  
Diplomatic Section

Info copies to: G-1, G-2/FL, AG Records

M/R: Clearance concurred in by G-2 in C/N 2 to DS check sheet 21 Jan 47, subj: "Clearance for Mr. Johan Brandt, Commercial Adviser to Norwegian Diplomatic Mission", and by G-4 and G-1 in C/N 3 and 4, respectively, to above check sheet.

JPP (2-5150)

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NORWEGIAN DIPLOMATIC MISSION



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The Norwegian Foreign Ministry is at present contemplating an alteration of the forms used for Norwegian diplomatic passports and is therefore interested in obtaining specimens of such passports, used in other countries.

Tokyo, February 6th, 1947.





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AG 091.112 (10 Feb 47)DS

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10 February 1947SUBJECT: Clearance for Entry Into Japan of Mr. Johan Brandt,  
Member of Norwegian Diplomatic Mission.TO : Commanding General, Eighth Army, APO 343.  
ATTENTION: Legal Division, Military Government  
Section.

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a. Full name:	Johan Brandt
b. Date and place of birth:	26 Sept 1896, Oslo, Norway
c. Nationality:	Norwegian
d. Present occupation:	Business man
e. Explanation of purpose of visit to Japan and description of work to be performed:	To serve as Commercial Adviser to Norwegian Diplomatic Mission
f. Expected length of stay:	Two years
g. Desired date of entry:	February, 1947
h. Point of origin and final destination in Japan:	United States to Tokyo
i. Route and means of travel in Japan:	By sea
j. Number, date of issuance, issuing authority and validity of passport (if applicant is not traveling in uniform):	Unknown

2. This clearance is valid for sixty days.

3. The luggage of the above person is exempt from customs inspection.

4. The above clearance constitutes permission to travel in Tokyo-Yokohama area.

BY COMMAND OF GENERAL MACARTHUR:

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Diplomatic Section

RHS  
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The Diplomatic Section of General Headquarters, Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers, presents its compliments to the Norwegian Diplomatic Mission, and has the honor to refer to the latter's note verbale dated January 24, 1947, requesting shipment of an automobile to Japan by space available on a revenue basis.

Although there is no objection to shipment of the automobile under the circumstances set forth, the Mission is informed that loading cannot be effected in San Pedro but must take place in the Port of San Francisco. It is suggested that the Mission's agent consult with the United States Maritime Commission, San Francisco, with respect to exact details. He may refer to radio No. ZX 33732, dated February 3, 1947, from the Commander in Chief, Far East, to the Commanding General, San Francisco Port of Embarkation, authorizing the shipment.

Tokyo, February 10, 1947

S 701.9  
AG 091

Copy to: AG Records

- M/R: 1. Above based on info in cited Radio, and upon G-4's note 2, 3 Feb 47, to DS check sheet, 29 Jan 47, subj: "Shipment of Norwegian Diplomatic Representative's Automobile from United States to Japan".
2. Mission informed by phone that there is no objection, and that shipment must be made from San Francisco.
3. Mission (Mr. Reusch) states that Norwegian Embassy in Washington is supposed to be arranging import-export license.

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DS/GA/RHB/wdh

## Diplomatic Section

The Diplomatic Section of General Headquarters, Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers, presents its compliments to the Norwegian Diplomatic Mission and has the honor to enclose two copies of Circular No. 2, dated January 10, 1947, subject, "Registration of Motor Vehicles in Japan", and two copies of Circular No. 3, dated January 10, 1947, subject, "Regulations Governing Personnel in Japan on Official Business for Foreign Governments (Including United States Personnel)", both issued by General Headquarters, Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers.

With reference to paragraph 4 of the latter, "Registration of Civilian Personnel", it will be recognized that for the convenience and protection of all foreign personnel in Japan it is desirable to establish uniformity of identification. Therefore there is enclosed for the use of the Norwegian Diplomatic Representative a blank identification card numbered 544. This card should be completed in English, and in addition to a description of the bearer, should carry his signature. The inclusion of a photograph of appropriate size and of fingerprints will be optional. Upon completion of this card and its return, General Headquarters, Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers, will be glad to have it countersigned by the proper officials of the Occupation authorities and to have it permanently encased in a plastic holder. Thereupon it will be returned for the use of the individual concerned. It should be noted that the card is not valid until these formalities are completed.

The facilities of this Headquarters for photographing and fingerprinting are offered for the use of the Mission. Detailed arrangements in this regard should be made directly with the Diplomatic Section of General Headquarters, Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers.

## Enclosure:

Two copies of Circular No. 2  
Two copies of Circular No. 3  
Blank identity card numbered 544

## Memorandum for Record:

1. Above sent at request of G-1 Note 2, 10 Jan 47, and PM Note 3, 13 Jan 47, to G-1 check sheet, 21 Dec 46, subj: "Control and Conduct of Personnel".
2. Figures in paragraph 2 obtained by adding number of personnel in Mission, furnished by G-2/FL (Captain Huckaby, Capt. Senko, Lt. Lee) to number of dependents shown by DS records.

Tokyo, January 27, 1947

RHB 2-5165

Info copies to C/S, G-1, G-2/FL, PM, AG Records

G-2/FL



Diplomatic Section

DS/GA/JDE/mm

The Diplomatic Section of General Headquarters, Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers, presents its compliments to the Diplomatic representative of Norway and has the honor to refer to the latter's letter of December 15, 1946 regarding the question of office accommodations for the Norwegian Diplomatic Mission.

In view of the fact that General Headquarters will provide office space for the Mission, there would appear to be no need at present for giving further consideration to the question of a private lease on premises in the Kyobunkwan Building.

Tokyo, January 22, 1947.

Info copies to:  
G-2/FL  
AG Records.

S-701.9  
A-091

M/R: 1. Based on check sheet from G-4 to DS, 13 Jan 47, subj: "Office Space for Norwegian Mission (Kyobunkwan Bldg.)".  
2. Reference communication was routed from AG directly to G-4 and was referred by latter to DS, with information on which to base reply.

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G-2/FL





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DS/GA/JPP/mm  
Clearance for Mr. Johan Brandt, Commercial  
Adviser to Norwegian Diplomatic Mission.

From: DS

To: G-1  
Thru: G-2  
G-4

21 January 47

1

1. Attached is copy of letter from the Norwegian Diplomatic Mission dated 14 January 47, requesting clearance for entry into Japan of Mr. Johan Brandt, Commercial Advisor to the Mission, and his wife, Mrs. Elinor Louise Brandt.

2. DS recommends concurrence in granting of clearance for Mr. Brandt only, clearance of Mrs. Brandt depending on availability of dependent housing upon Mr. Brandt's arrival in Japan.

3. Request information on which to base reply to the Norwegian Diplomatic Mission.

Incl:

Copy of letter, as stated.

----- G.A. Jr. -----

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From: G-2

To: G-4

GB/CL/BTP/ld  
28 January 1947

G-2 concurs in par. 2, check note #1.

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----- C.A.W. -----

G-2, G/Ln file copy





Norwegian Diplomatic Mission.

Tokyo, January 14th, 1947.

Sir,

Acting upon instructions received from my Government, I have the honour to apply for your kind intermediary in order to obtain the necessary entry permit to Japan for the Norwegian subjects Mr. Johan Brandt and his wife, Mrs. Elinor Louise Brandt.

Mr. Brandt, who has been appointed Commercial Advisor to this Mission, is born in Oslo, Norway, on September 26th, 1896. His wife was born in Oslo on January 1st, 1906.

They intend to proceed to Tokyo from the West Coast of the United States about the 1st of February next. If possible, they will travel by ship directly to Japan. If not, they may have to travel via Shanghai.

I have the honour to be,

With the highest consideration,

Sir,

Your Excellency's obedient servant,

s/ Chr. P. Reusch

His Excellency  
The Honourable George Acheson, Jr.,  
Ambassador of the United States of America  
Chief of the Diplomatic Section of the  
General Headquarters of the Supreme Commander  
for the Allied Powers,  
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His Excellency  
The Honourable George Atcheson, Jr.,  
Ambassador of the United States of America  
Chief of the Diplomatic Section of the  
General Headquarters of the Supreme Commander  
for the Allied Powers,  
etc., etc., etc.

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Diplomatic Section

The Diplomatic Section of General Headquarters, Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers, presents its compliments to the Norwegian Diplomatic Mission and has the honor, with reference to the latter's aide-memoire of January 8, 1947, to state that the continued use of the sedan and driver loaned to that Mission by General Headquarters since its establishment in January has been approved on a daily-dispatch basis.

G-2/FL

When the Mission's automobile which has been purchased in the United States is delivered in Tokyo, information to that effect will be appreciated.

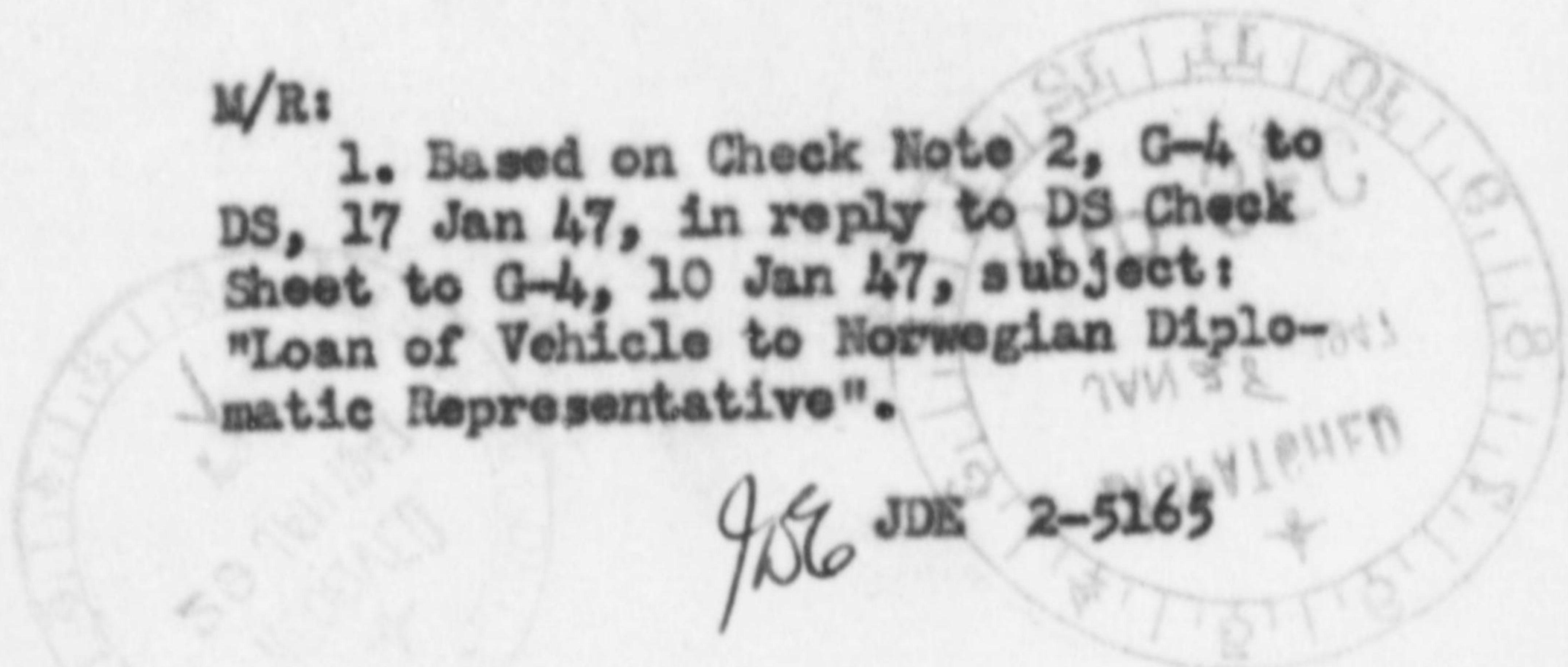
Tokyo, January 27, 1947.

Info copies to:  
G-4 Transp.  
G-2/FL  
AG Records

M/R:  
1. Based on Check Note 2, G-4 to DS, 17 Jan 47, in reply to DS Check Sheet to G-4, 10 Jan 47, subject: "Loan of Vehicle to Norwegian Diplomatic Representative".

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JDEdwards/blc

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GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, FAR EAST COMMAND

ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE

RADIO AND CABLE CENTER

INCOMING MESSAGE

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URGENT

FROM : SHANGHAI CHINA (GOVT BOAT)  
TO : CINCFE (FOR ATCHESON USPOLAD)  
NR : SHANGHAI SERIAL NBR 5 JAN 25

Following from Norwegian Consul General Shanghai for Reusch Norwegian Diplomatic Representative Tokyo "Christiansen leaving Shanghai 26 by ATC plane with 100 pounds baggage. Trying arrange remaining baggage sent beginning Feb by boat".

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DS/GA/JPP/mm  
Clearance for Mr. Johan Brandt, Commercial  
Advisor to Norwegian Diplomatic Mission.

DS

G-1

21 January 47

Thru: G-2

G-4

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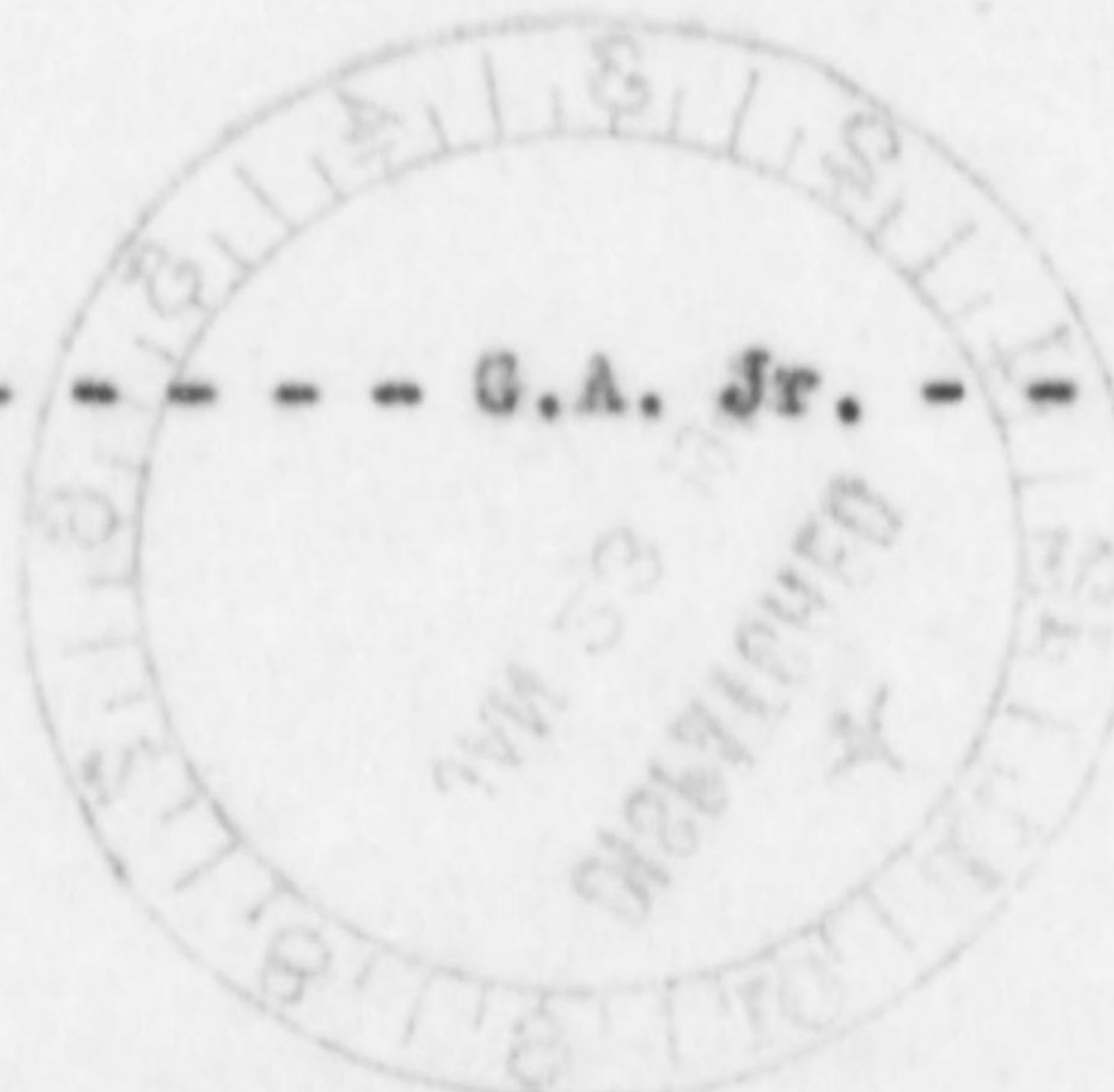
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3. Request information on which to base reply to the Norwegian Diplomatic Mission.

Incl:

Copy of letter, as stated.

----- G.A. Jr. -----



G-3



Norwegian Diplomatic Mission.

Tokyo, January 14th, 1947.

Sir,

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His Excellency  
The Honourable George Atcheson, Jr.,  
Ambassador of the United States of America  
Chief of the Diplomatic Section of the  
General Headquarters of the Supreme Commander  
for the Allied Powers,  
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**GENERAL HEADQUARTERS  
UNITED STATES ARMY FORCES, PACIFIC  
CHECK SHEET**

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File No.:

Subject: Request for NRS Reports.

8336

Note No. From: G-2 To: NRS Date: 15 Jan 1947

- 1. 1. The attached letter from the Norwegian Diplomatic Mission is forwarded as a matter pertaining to your section.
- 2. It is requested that a reply be made by your office to the Norwegian Diplomatic Mission, and an attached carbon file copy forwarded to G-2, Foreign Liaison.

1 Incl:  
Ltr. Norwegian Diplomatic Mission,  
dtd. 13 Jan 47.

*Jaw*  
for C. A. W.

From: NR To: G-2 HGS/FFR/ggb  
20 January 1947

- 2. 1. Attached hereto (Incl 2) is a carbon file copy of letter sent to Norwegian Diplomatic Mission forwarding requested reports.

2 Incls  
1. n/c  
Added 1 incl  
2. As indic in para 2

*for H. G. S.*

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Norwegian Diplomatic Mission.

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The Norwegian Diplomatic Mission present its compliments to the Foreign Liaison Sub-Section, G-2 Section, and begs to request to be furnished with 4 additional copies of each of the following reports, issued by the Natural Resources Section of GHQ, SCAP:

Report No. 28 of April 15th, 1946: "Estimate of the Pulpwood Situation in Japan".

Report No. 31 of April 25th, 1946: "The Japanese Salmon Industry".

Report No. 32 of April 26th, 1946: "Lumber Production in Japan".

Report No. 34 of May 8th, 1946: "Veneer and Plywood Manufacturing in Japan".

Report No. 57 of September 30th, 1946: "Nickel Deposits in Japan".

Report No. 62 of December 5th, 1946: "Ferroalloy Metallurgy of Japan".

The Mission is of the opinion that the contents of the above reports will be of interest to the Norwegian Government, and is therefore desirous of forwarding the requested additional copies to Norway.

Tokyo, January 13th, 1947.

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AG 461( )NR

SUBJECT: Transmittal of Reports

TO: Norwegian Diplomatic Representative, Tokyo, Japan

1. Reference is made to letter from Norwegian Diplomatic Mission, dated 13 Jan 47 requesting Natural Resources Reports.

2. Transmitted herewith are five copies each of Natural Resources Section Reports numbers 28, 31, 32, 34, 57, and 62.

FOR THE SUPREME COMMANDER:

30 Incls: As indicated above

*Included 1630  
Jan 21 47  
John B. Corley  
Colonel and  
Adjutant General*

G-2

NOTE FOR RECORD:

1. Letter from Norwegian Diplomatic Mission, subject: "Natural Resources Section Reports", dtd 13 Jan 47. Letter was forwarded from G-2 to Natural Resources Section by c/s dated 15 Jan 47 requesting that Natural Resources Section reply directly to Norwegian Diplomatic Mission.

2. Letter accompanying this Note for Record transmits requested reports.

3. Copy of letter furnished G-2, Foreign Liaison.

F.F.R. 23238



*Sheet 2*



GB/BTP/jwt

Request for NRS Reports.

G-2

NRS

15 Jan 1947

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1 Incl:

Ltr. Norwegian Diplomatic Mission,  
dtd. 13 Jan 47.

-----C. A. W.-----

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Norwegian Diplomatic Mission.

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Report No. 34 of May 8th, 1946: "Veneer and Plywood Manufacturing in Japan".

Report No. 57 of September 30th, 1946: "Nickel Deposits in Japan".

Report No. 62 of December 5th, 1946: "Ferroalloy Metallurgy of Japan".

The Mission is of the opinion that the contents of the above reports will be of interest to the Norwegian Government, and is therefore desirous of forwarding the requested additional copies to Norway.

Tokyo, January 13th, 1947.



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Diplomatic Section

DS/GA/HR/HR

The Diplomatic Section of General Headquarters, Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers, presents its compliments to the Norwegian Diplomatic Mission and has the honor to transmit herewith a specimen of Japanese diplomatic passport, as requested in the latter's Note dated February 6, 1947.

According to information from the Foreign Office, Japanese diplomatic passports differ from ordinary ones only by the addition of the stamp imprint "Diplomatique" and (on the inside front cover) the Japanese characters for "Official Business".

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Enclosure:

Specimen of Japanese Diplomatic Passport

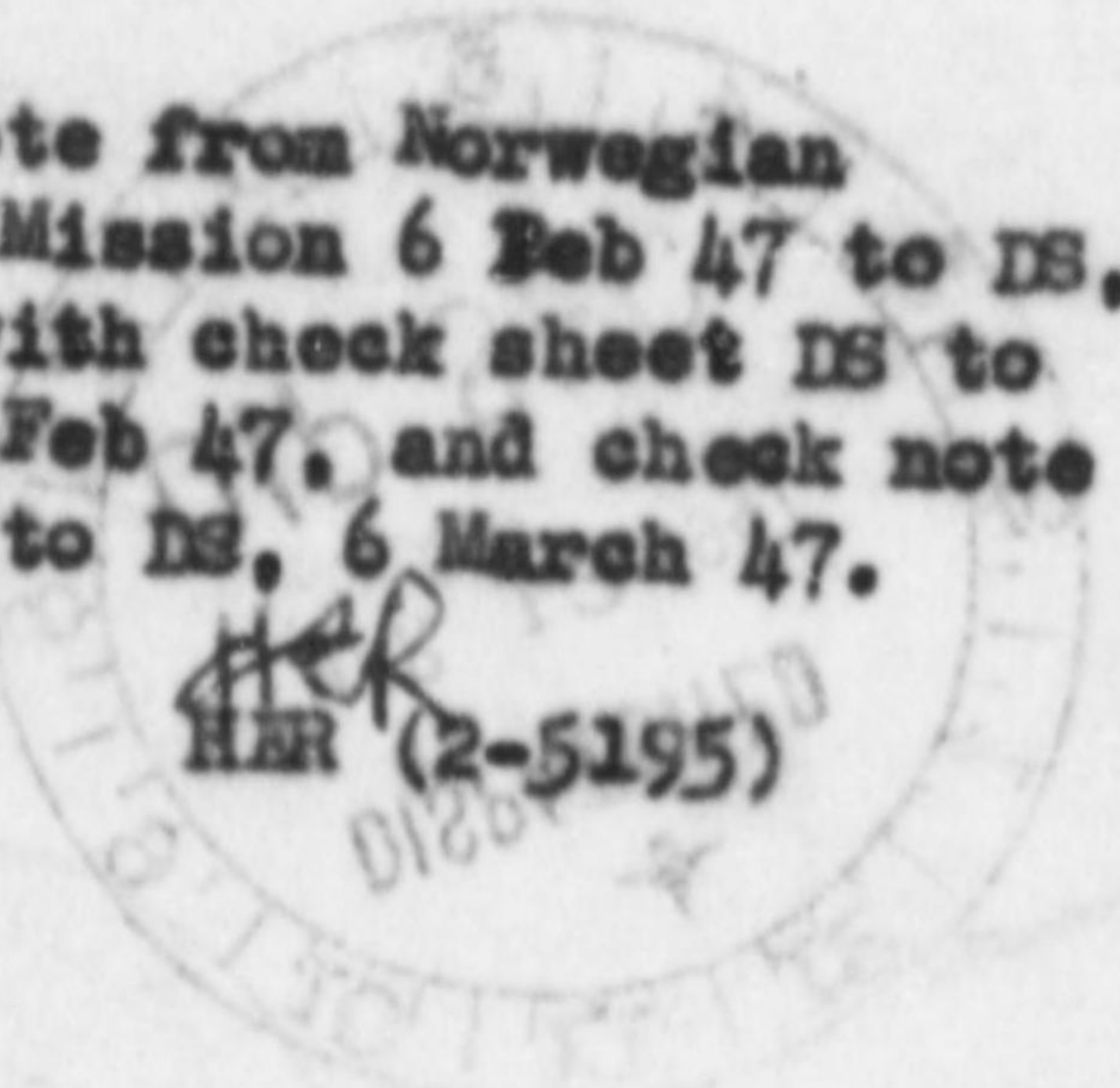
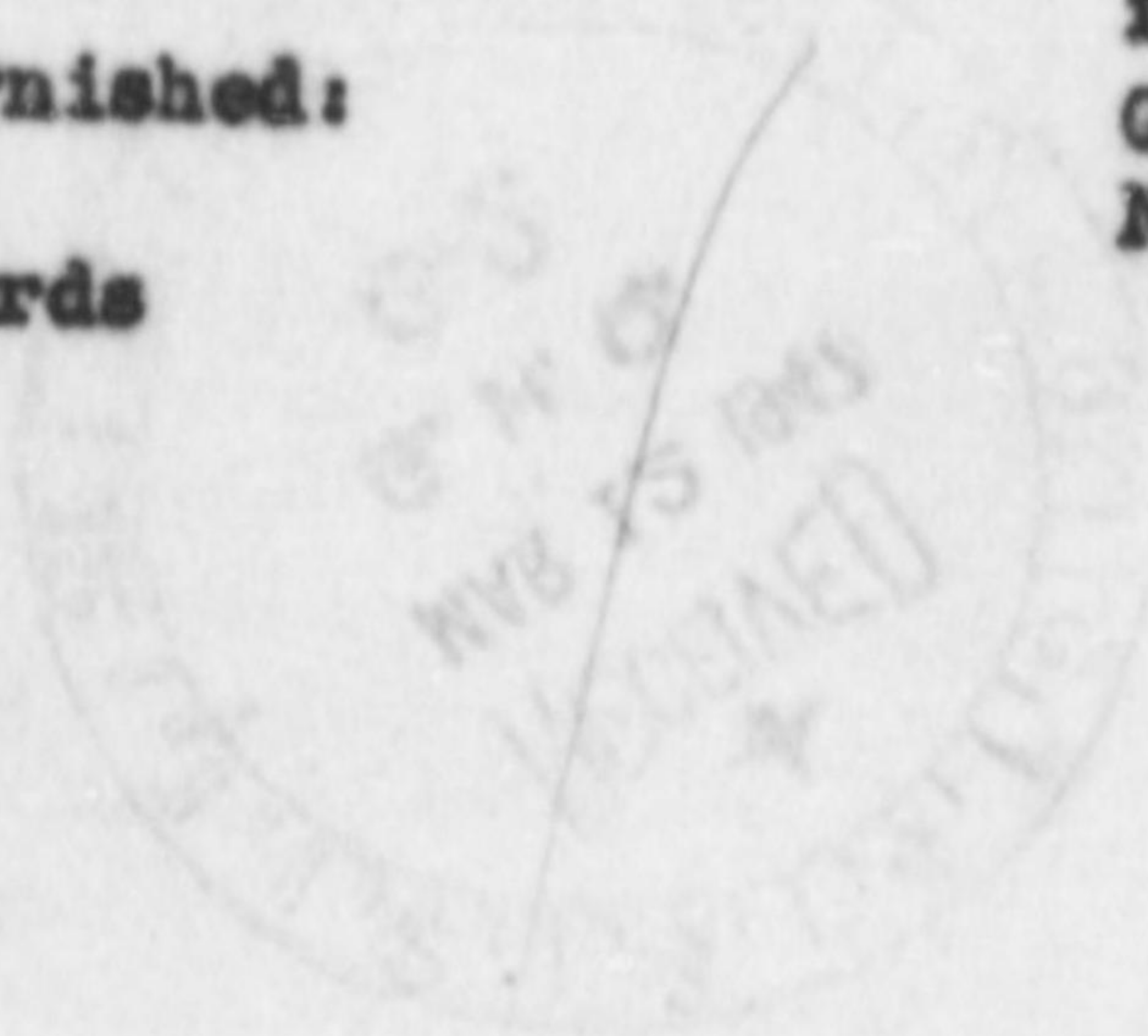
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HR (2-5195)





Diplomatic Section

DS/US/HER/DA

The Diplomatic Section of General Headquarters, Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers, presents its compliments to the Norwegian Diplomatic Mission and has the honor, in referring to the latter's note dated 4 March 1947, to state that, according to information received from the Japanese Bureau of Fisheries and from personal inspection of equipment on board whaling factory ships there is no new method of whale oil extraction being used by the Japanese.

The only oil extraction equipment on the factory ships are Hartman and Kvaerner boilers which use steam and water. It is believed that the process of extraction of oil by use of these boilers is known to the Norwegian whaling companies. Japanese operators learned the method of operation of Hartman and Kvaerner boilers from Norwegian technicians.

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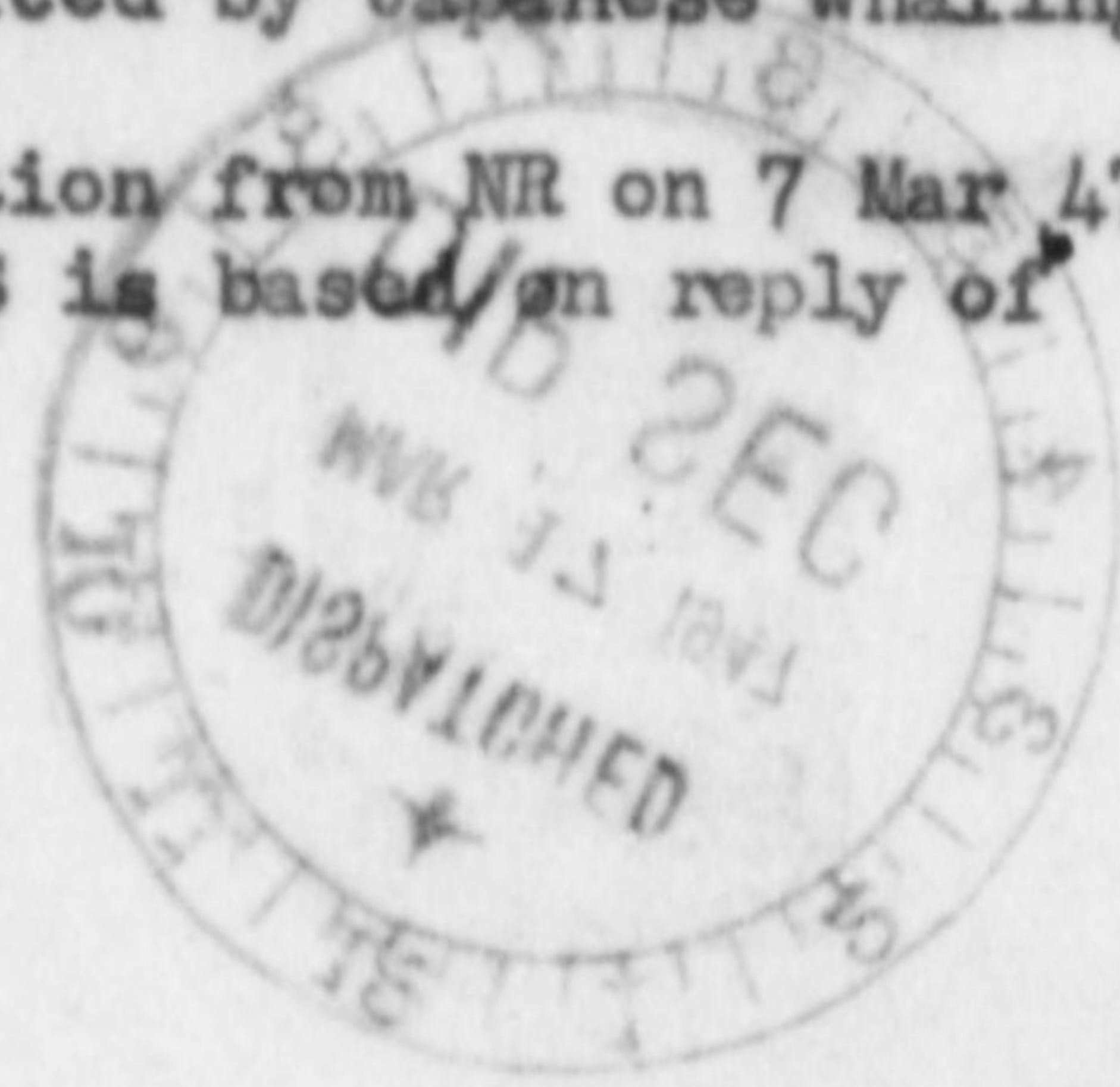
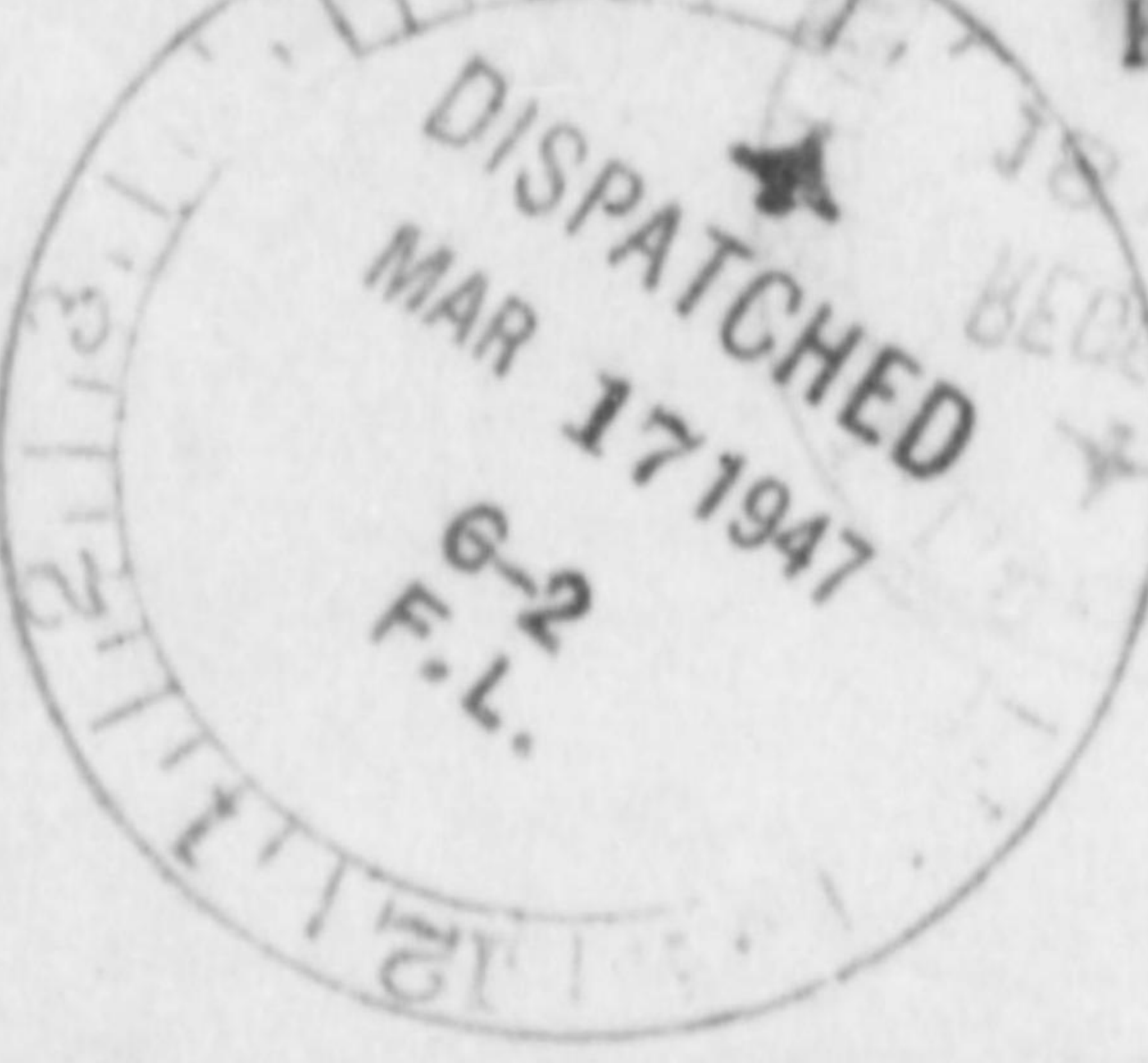
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- M/R: 1. Norwegian Note of Mar 4, 47 inquired concerning a new method of oil extraction allegedly practiced by Japanese whaling companies.
- 2. DS requested necessary information from NR on 7 Mar 47.
- 3. Information in above note of DS is based on reply of NR of 11 Mar 47.

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