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TO: Taiwan Army Chief of Staff HIGUCHI

FROM: Vice Minister of War KAWABARA Naolchi
Riku A Mitsu 1456 Secret.
6 May 1942

You are notified by order of the decisions made concerning the arrangements for Prisoners of War which are in the attached sheet.

Inclosure.

Top Secret.

Summary of the arrangements for POW's.

The Policy:

1. So that they can be used for the enlargement of our production and as military labor, white POW's will be confined successively in Korea, Formosa and Manchuria. Those who are not suitable for this purpose will be confined in Prisoner of War Camps which will be built immediately on the spot.
2. As for other than white POW's, those for whom there is no necessity for internment will as much as possible be put to practical use on the spot after they have been released on oath.

The Outline:

3. First, by the end of August, this year, a part of the white POW's in Singapore will be confined in Korea, Formosa and other places. The number will be fixed separately.

Other than those necessary on the spot, superior technicians and high ranking officers (Colonels and above) will be included among the POW's confined in Formosa.

4. The remainder will immediately be confined in POW camps organized and built on the spot.
5. For the purposes of control and security in the POW camp organization, it is planned to assign special units organized of Koreans and Formosans. Moreover, the POW camps will be a lumped organization in each army and each army will consider the proper division it can make.

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I hereby certify that this is a true translation from Taiwan
Army HQ Staff Files concerning Prisoners of War, Vol. 1, entry No. 15.

Signed: Stephen H. Green
STEPHEN H. GREEN

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This is Exhibit marked "H", referred to in the Affidavit of
JAMES THOMAS NEHEMIAH CROSS,

Sworn before me this 19th day of September 1946.

/s/ P. A. L. Vine
Major, R. M.

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俘虜處理要領

方針

一、白人俘虜之ヲ我生産擴充並ニ軍事上、勞務ニ利用スル如ク逐次朝鮮、臺灣、滿洲支那等ニ收容シ當分ノ間其ノ自途立ヲカスルノ現地ニ於テ速ニ俘虜收容所ニ開設シ之ニ收容ス
二、白人以外ノ俘虜ニテ抑留ノ要トキ者ハ速ニ宣正ヲ解放シテ後成ルベク現地ニ於テ之ヲ活用ス

要領

三、先ヨ本邦八月末迄ニ朝鮮、臺灣等ニ昭南島ニ在ル白人俘虜ノ部ヲ收容ス之カ人員ハ別ニ定ム
臺灣ニ收容スル俘虜ハ現地ニ於テ必要トスル以外ノ優秀技術者及上級將校(大佐以上)ヲ含マシム
四、殘餘ハ速ニ現地ニ收容所ヲ編成用設シ之ニ收容ス
五、俘虜收容所編成ニ方テ之カ警戒取締ヲ朝鮮人及臺灣人ヲ以テ編成スル特殊部隊ノ充當ヲ豫定ス
又俘虜收容所ハ各軍毎ニ括編成シ之ヲ各軍ニ於テ適宜分別シ得ル如ク考慮ス

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