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SWN-4557
17 July 1946

MEMORANDUM FOR THE SECRETARY OF WAR:

Subject: Division of German Naval Vessels

References: a. SWNCC 208/11
b. SWNCC 208/13
c. SWNCC 208/17



By informal action on 16 July 1946 the State-War-Navy Coordinating Committee approved, on behalf of the United States Government, the Second Supplement to the Report of the Tripartite Naval Commission.

The Navy Department has been requested to notify the U. S. member of the Tripartite Naval Commission of this approval.

The Report of the Proceedings of the Tripartite Naval Commission and the Second Supplement to the Report of the Tripartite Naval Commission have been forwarded to the Department of State for retention.

For the State-War-Navy Coordinating Committee:

J. H. HILLDRICK,
State Department Member



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SWN-4856
17 July 1946

MEMORANDUM FOR THE SECRETARY OF NAVY:

Subject: Division of German Naval Vessels

References: a. SWNCC 208/11
b. SWNCC 208/13
c. SWNCC 208/17


By informal action on 16 July 1946 the State-War-Navy Coordinating Committee approved, on behalf of the United States Government, the Second Supplement to the Report of the Tripartite Naval Commission.

It is requested that the U. S. member of the Tripartite Naval Commission notify the U.K. and the U.S.S.R. members of the Commission of the approval by the United States Government of the Second Supplement of their report.

The Report of the Proceedings of the Tripartite Naval Commission and the Second Supplement to the Report of the Tripartite Naval Commission have been forwarded to the Department of State for retention.

For the State-War-Navy Coordinating Committee:

J. H. HILLDRING,
State Department Member



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SWN-4555
18 July 1946

MEMORANDUM FOR THE SECRETARY, JOINT CHIEFS OF STAFF:

Subject: United States Policy in Regard to
the Adoption of a New Japanese
Constitution.

References: a. SWNCC 228/3
b. SWNCC 228/7

By informal action on 16 July 1946 the State-War-Navy Coordinating Committee approved the Appendix of SWNCC 228/7 as a United States policy in regard to the adoption of a new Japanese Constitution.

This policy was forwarded to the United States member on the Far Eastern Commission for his guidance in the preparation of a statement for the Commission regarding the adoption of a new Japanese Constitution.

A copy of this policy (SWNCC 228/8) is forwarded herewith for the information of the Joint Chiefs of Staff.

For the State-War-Navy Coordinating Committee:

A. D. REID,
Secretary

Enclosure:
Copy No. 49, SWNCC 228/8

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SWS-4554
18 July 1946

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MEMORANDUM FOR THE SECRETARY OF THE NAVY:

Subject: United States Policy in Regard to
the Adoption of a New Japanese
Constitution.

References: A SWSCC 228/3
B SWSCC 228/7

By informal action on 16 July 1946 the State-War-Navy Coordinating Committee approved the Appendix of SWSCC 228/7 as a United States policy in regard to the adoption of a new Japanese Constitution.

This policy was forwarded to the United States Member on the Far Eastern Commission for his guidance in the preparation of a statement for the Commission regarding the adoption of a new Japanese Constitution.

A copy of this policy (SWSCC 228/8) is forwarded herewith for information and guidance and, where appropriate, implementation.

For the State-War-Navy Coordinating Committee:

J. R. HILLBURN,
State Department Member

Enclosure:
Copy No. 83, SWSCC 228/8

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SWNCC-4553
16 July 1946

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MEMORANDUM FOR THE SECRETARY OF WAR

Subject: United States Policy in Regard to
the Adoption of a New Japanese
Constitution.

References: SWNCC 230/3
SWNCC 230/7

By informal action on 16 July 1946 the State-
War-Navy Coordinating Committee approved the
Appendix of SWNCC 230/7 as a United States policy
in regard to the adoption of a new Japanese Consti-
tution.

This policy was forwarded to the United States
Member on the Far Eastern Commission for his guid-
ance in the preparation of a statement for the
Commission regarding the adoption of a new Japanese
Constitution.

A copy of this policy (SWNCC 230/8) is for-
warded herewith for information and guidance and,
where appropriate, implementation.

For the State-War-Navy Coordinating Committee:

J. H. HILLDRING,
State Department Member

Enclosure:
Copy No. 52, SWNCC 230/8

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**SWN-4552
16 July 1946**

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MEMORANDUM FOR THE SECRETARY OF STATE:

**Subject: United States Policy in Regard to
the Adoption of a New Japanese
Constitution.**

**References: A. SWNOC 228/5
B. SWNOC 228/7**

By informal action on 16 July 1946 the State-War-Navy Coordinating Committee approved the Appendix of SWNOC 228/7 as a United States policy in regard to the adoption of a new Japanese Constitution.

It is requested that Copy No. 51 of the approved policy (SWNOC 228/8) be forwarded to the United States Member on the Far Eastern Commission for his guidance in the preparation of a statement for the Commission regarding the adoption of a new Japanese Constitution. Copy No. 50 of the approved policy is attached herewith for information and guidance of the Department of State and for appropriate implementation.

For the State-War-Navy Coordinating Committee:

**J. H. HILLBING,
State Department Member**

**Enclosure:
Copy Nos. 50 & 51,
SWNOC 228/8**

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SWNCC-4580
16 July 1946MEMORANDUM FOR THE STATE MEMBER, SWNCC
WAR MEMBER, SWNCC
NAVY MEMBER, SWNCC

SWNCC 328, dated 15 July 1946, is circulated for consideration by the Committee.

It is requested that you indicate your concurrence or comment hereon and return to the Secretariat, SWNCC.

A. D. REID,
Secretary

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SWN-4549
16 July 1946

MEMORANDUM FOR THE SECRETARY, JOINT CHIEFS OF STAFF:

Subject: Security of the Proposed Free Territory
of Trieste.The following has been received from the Acting State
Member, SWNCC:"Agreement was reached in the Council of Foreign
Ministers on July 3, 1946, as follows regarding
Trieste and the surrounding area:"(One) That all territory east of the line
known as the French line shall be ceded by
Italy to Yugoslavia and that a free territory
of Trieste shall be constituted within the
French line bounded on the north by a line
drawn from Duino to the French line."(Two) The integrity and independence of
this free territory shall be assured by the
Security Council of the United Nations."(Three) A special commission, representing
the four powers of the Council, shall be
immediately appointed to consult with repre-
sentatives of Yugoslavia and Italy, and to
examine the whole subject and present prelimi-
nary suggestions to the Peace Conference."(Four) The permanent statute should be
subject to the approval of the Security
Council which shall report it to the General
Assembly under Article Fifteen."(Five) Recommendations for a provisional
government and for the formation of a permanent
statute shall be made by the Peace Conference
of the 21 nations in conformity with the pro-
cedure established by decision of Moscow
Conference.

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'(Six) The Provisional Government and the permanent statute shall preserve the following general principles:

'(1) The Governor shall be appointed by the Security Council after consultation with Yugoslavia and Italy.

'(2) Legislative and Executive authority shall be established on democratic lines including universal suffrage.

'(3) Rights of citizens shall be protected in respect to human rights and fundamental freedoms, particularly including religion, language, press, schools and access to public services.

'(4) Annual reports shall be submitted by the Governor to the Security Council.'

"In this connection, it would be helpful to the Department of State to have the views of the Joint Chiefs of Staff regarding the military aspects of guarantees and arrangements which may be necessary to ensure the integrity and independence of the proposed Free Territory of Trieste. In particular, the Department would be grateful for the views of the Joint Chiefs of Staff regarding the establishment and maintenance of forces sufficient to ensure public order and to guard the frontiers of the territory."

It is therefore requested that the views of the Joint Chiefs of Staff be obtained in this matter and be forwarded to the Secretary, SWCC.

For the State-War-Navy Coordinating Committee:

A. D. REID,
Secretary

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It is therefore requested that the views of the Joint Chiefs of Staff be obtained in this matter and be forwarded to the Secretary, SWNCC.

For the State-War-Navy Coordinating Committee:

A. D. REID,
Secretary


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SWN-4548
15 July 1948MEMORANDUM FOR THE STATE MEMBER, SWNCC
WAR MEMBER, SWNCC
NAVY MEMBER, SWNCCSWNCC 501/1, dated 15 July 1948, is circu-
lated for consideration by the Committee.It is requested that you indicate your
concurrence or consent hereon and return to
the Secretariat, SWNCC.A. D. REID,
Secretary

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SWN-4547
15 July 1946MEMORANDUM FOR THE WAR MEMBER, SWNCC
NAVY MEMBER, SWNCCSWNCC 316, dated 13 July 1946, is circu-
lated for consideration by the Committee.It is requested that you indicate your
concurrence or comment hereon and return to
the Secretariat, SWNCC.A. D. REID,
Secretary

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SWN-4546
15 July 1946**MEMORANDUM FOR THE SECRETARY, JOINT CHIEFS OF STAFF:**

Subject: Consultation with the Supreme Commander
Regarding Release to Press of Policy State-
ment on Basic Principles for a New Japanese
Constitution.

The Department of State has advised the State-War-Navy Coordinating Committee that the Far Eastern Commission, acting under paragraph VI of its Terms of Reference, which provide that the Commission "may make such arrangements through the chairman as may be practicable for consultation with the Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers", requested its chairman on July 11, 1946 to consult with the Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers on the matter referred to in the enclosure.

It is therefore requested that the message in the attached enclosure be transmitted by the Joint Chiefs of Staff to the Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers.

For the State-War-Navy Coordinating Committee:

A. D. REID,
Secretary.

Encl.
Draft Memo from JCS to SCAP

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The substance of your recommendation that the Far Eastern Commission's policy decision on Basic Principles for a New Japanese Constitution should not be released to the press at this time was circulated by the Commission on July 10, 1946 and was considered by the Commission at its nineteenth meeting on July 11, 1946.

The Commission agreed to accept your recommendation not to release the policy statement at this time but it was also of the opinion that the statement should, as a matter of principle, be released at an early date and instructed its Chairman to consult with you with a view to determining the date when release to the press would be appropriate. You are therefore requested to advise in advance the date which you would approve for release of the policy decision.


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SNW-4546
15 July 1946

MEMORANDUM FOR THE SECRETARY OF STATE:

Subject: Strategic Areas and Trusteeships in the Pacific.

References: a. SWNCC 59/1
b. SWNCC 59/2
c. SWNCC 59/3

The Joint Chiefs of Staff have requested that the attached paper, SWNCC 59/2, which was prepared by the Joint Chiefs of Staff to express their views on the subject of strategic areas and trusteeships in the Pacific, be transmitted to you with the request that you present it to the President.

The State-War-Navy Coordinating Committee has under consideration a paper prepared by the Department of State, SWNCC 59/1, on the same subject which differs in certain respects from the paper of the Joint Chiefs of Staff. A copy of this paper, together with the comments of the Joint Chiefs of Staff thereon, SWNCC 59/3, are attached herewith.

The State-War-Navy Coordinating Committee has the problem under consideration and will forward its report at a later date.

For the State-War-Navy Coordinating Committee:

J. H. HILLDRING,
State Department Member

Encls.

Encl 1 - Copy No. 36, SWNCC 59/2
Encl 2 - Copy No. 61, SWNCC 59/1
Encl 3 - Copy No. 36, SWNCC 59/3

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SWN-4544
15 July 1946MEMORANDUM FOR THE WAR MEMBER, SWNCC
NAVY MEMBER, SWNCC

SWNCC 228/3 dated 11 June 1946 is referred to the Committee for consideration in the light of the changes proposed by the State Member in SWNCC 228/7.

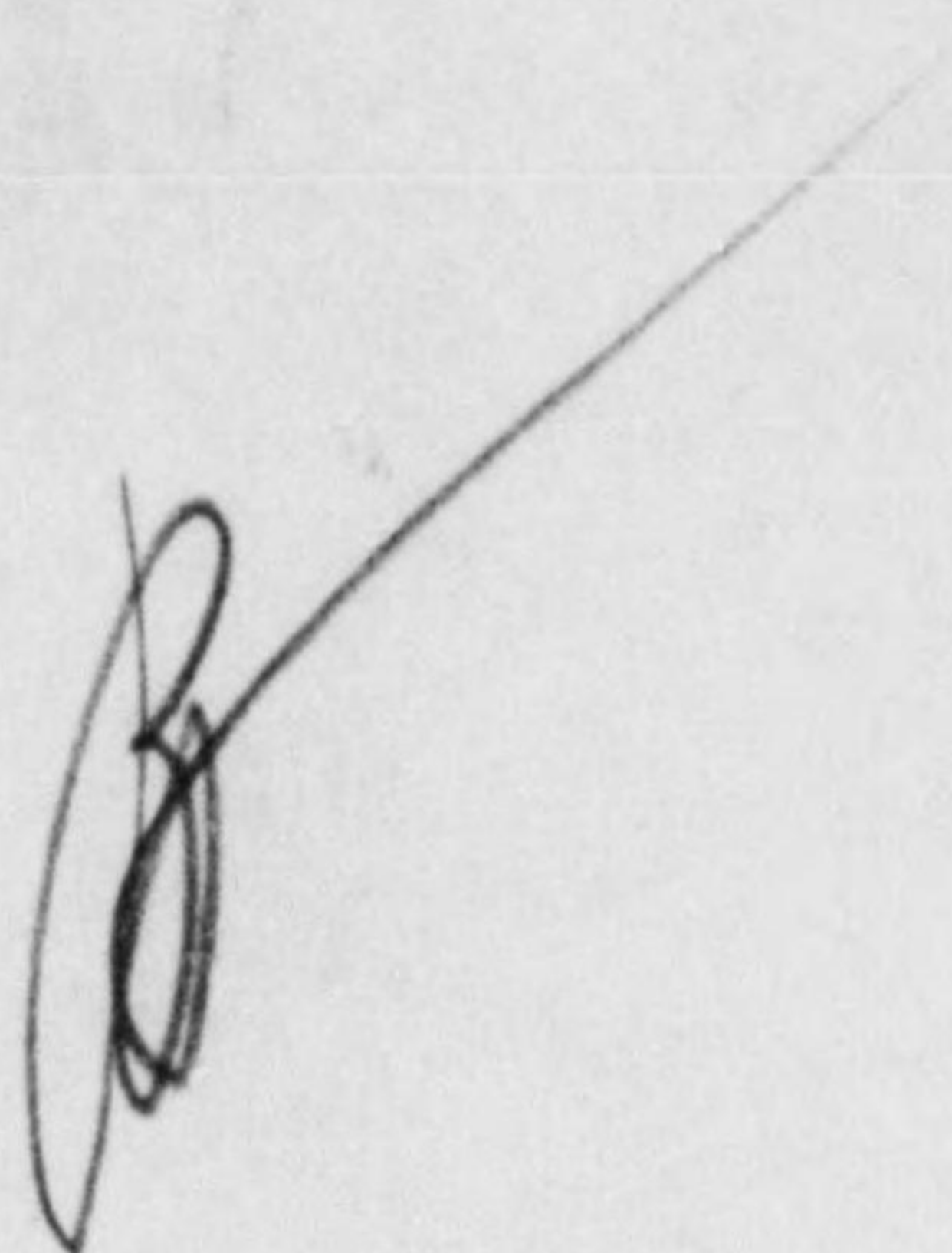

It is requested that you indicate your concurrence or comment hereon and return to the Secretariat, SWNCC.

This memorandum supersedes SWN-4404 of 11 June 1946.

A. D. REID,
Secretary

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SWN-4543
15 July 1946

MEMORANDUM FOR THE CHAIRMAN, MIG:

Subject: Report on SWNCC 206/17/D

1. The report of the MIG on SWNCC 206/17/D is returned herewith for preparation of recommendations to the Committee.
2. It is ~~suggested~~ ^{desired} that a report in form similar to the form of the attached draft be submitted in lieu of the memorandum originally submitted. This will enable the report to speak for itself and will present a clear-cut recommendation for consideration by the members of SWNCC.
3. It would appear from informal contact with the departments that there are divergent views as to how to approach the government of the U.K. in negotiating this agreement; i.e., through the JCS or through diplomatic channels. Inasmuch as SWNCC 206/16 envisages a complete rescission of all J.C.S. directives, it would seem that the military no longer will have any responsibility in this matter when SWNCC 206/16 becomes effective. In that event, the recommendations contained in the attached draft will require some revision. The above is offered for consideration by your Subcommittee in conjunction with their consideration of the basic report.
4. In the future, it is requested that reports submitted in response to SWNCC directives contain a statement indicating the concurrence or non-concurrence of the other Subcommittee members.

For the State-War-Navy Coordinating Committee:

Enclosures
MIG memo. dated 11 July 46
Draft report on SWNCC 206/17/D

A. D. REID,
Secretary

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SWN-4542
13 July 1946

MEMORANDUM FOR THE SECRETARY, JOINT CHIEFS OF STAFF:

Subject: Responsibility for Cost of Restitution of Property from Austria to Allied Nations and Ex-Enemy Nations.

References:

- a. SWNCC 204/2
- b. SWNCC 204/6
- c. SWNCC 204/13/D
- d. SWNCC 204/16


At their 42nd meeting the State-War-Navy Coordinating Committee approved SWNCC 204/16 after amending the draft message in the Appendix thereto.

Enclosed is a copy of the approved paper. It is requested that the Joint Chiefs of Staff transmit the draft message in the Appendix to the Commanding General, U.S. Forces in Austria.

For the State-War-Navy Coordinating Committee:

A. D. REID,
Secretary.

Encl.
Cpy No. 49, Decision
Amending SWNCC 204/16

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13 July 1946

Memorandum for the State Member, SWNCC.

With reference to SWN-4511 dated 10 July 1946 requesting approval of SWNCC 208/17, attached is Appendix "C" of SWNCC 208/17 a supplement to the report of the Tripartite Naval Commission.

It is requested that this supplement be returned to the Secretariat of the State-War-Navy Coordinating Committee when its use is no longer required by the Department of State.

A. D. REID,
Secretary

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SWN-4543
12 July 1946

MEMORANDUM FOR THE SECRETARY OF STATE:

Subject: War Booty

References: a. SWNCC 310
b. SWNCC 310/1


By informal action on 12 July 1946, the State-War-Navy Coordinating Committee approved SWNCC 310 after amending, a copy of which is enclosed.

It is requested that the Department of State reach an agreement with the Union of Soviet Socialist Republics on the conclusion in paragraph 4 b of the approved paper and that upon attaining such agreement, the Department of State request the United States member of the Far Eastern Commission to present the conclusion in paragraph 4 a to the Commission.

For the State-War-Navy Coordinating Committee:

J. R. HILLDRING,
State Department MemberEnclosure
Copy No. 80, SWNCC 310
w/ Decision Amending

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SWN-4540
12 July 1946**MEMORANDUM FOR THE SECRETARY, JOINT CHIEFS OF STAFF:****Subject: Interim Procedures for Supplying Yen to Representatives of Allied Governments in Japan.****References:** a. SWNCC 259
b. SWNCC 259/5
c. SWNCC 259/6


By informal action on 12 July 1946, the State-War-Navy Coordinating Committee approved SWNCC 259/6, copy of which is enclosed.

It is requested that the message in the Appendix thereto be transmitted to the Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers by the Joint Chiefs of Staff as an interim directive, providing they have no objection from a military point of view.

For the State-War-Navy Coordinating Committee:

A. D. REID,
Secretary.

Encl.
Copy No. 40, SWNCC 259/6


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SWN-4539
12 July 1946**MEMORANDUM FOR THE SECRETARY OF STATE:****Subject: Interim Procedures for Supplying Yen to Representatives of Allied Governments in Japan.****References:**
a. SWNCC 259
b. SWNCC 259/5
c. SWNCC 259/6

By informal action on 12 July 1946, the State-War-Navy Coordinating Committee approved SWNCC 259/6, copies of which are enclosed.


The Joint Chiefs of Staff have been requested to transmit the message in the Appendix thereto to SCAP as an interim directive, providing they have no objection from a military point of view.

It is requested that the enclosed Copy Number 53 of the approved paper be transmitted by the Department of State to the U.S. Member of the Far Eastern Commission for his information.

For the State-War-Navy Coordinating Committee:

J. H. HILLDRING,
State Department Member.

Encls.
Copy Nos. 52 and 53
of SWNCC 259/6

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SW-1538
12 July 1948

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MEMORANDUM FOR THE SENATE MEMBERS, SWNSC
MR. MICHAEL, SWNSC
NAVY MEMBERS, SWNSC

SWNSC 55/2 dated 11 July 1948 is circulated
for consideration by the Committee.

It is requested that you indicate your consent
or concurrence heron and return to the Secretariat,
SWNSC.

A. A. HED,
Secretary

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SWN-4537
12 July 1946

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MEMORANDUM FOR THE STATE MEMBERS, SWNCC
WAR MEMBERS, SWNCC
NAVY MEMBERS, SWNCC

SWNCC 36/40 dated 11 July 1946 is circulated
for consideration by the Committee.

It is requested that you indicate your comment
or concurrence hereon and return to the Secretariat,
SWNCC.

A. B. REID,
Secretary

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13 July 1946

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MEMORANDUM FOR THE STATE MEMBER, SWCC
WAR MEMBER, SWCC
NAVY MEMBER, SWCC

SWCC 25/26 dated 11 July 1946 is circulated for consideration by the Committee.

It is requested that you indicate your comment or concurrence hereon and return to the Secretariat, SWCC.

A. D. REID,
Secretary

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SWN-4535
112 JULY 1946

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MEMORANDUM FOR THE STATE MEMBERS, SWNCS
NAVY MEMBERS, SWNCS
NAVY MEMBERS, SWNCS

SWNCS 107/1 dated 131 June 1946 is referred to the Committee for consideration in light of the views of the Joint Chiefs of Staff contained in SWNCS 107/5

It is requested that you indicate your comment or concurrence herein and return to the Secretariat, SWNCS.

A. S. REID,
Secretary

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SWN-4534
12 July 1946

MEMORANDUM FOR THE SECRETARY OF STATE;
(Attention: Mr. J. K. Penfield - FE)


Subject: Directives Transmitted to SCAP
by the Joint Chiefs of Staff.

Enclosed are three copies of Directive, Serial
No. 54, transmitted to SCAP by the Joint Chiefs of
Staff. Copy No. 1 is for transmittal to the Far
Eastern Commission and Copies No. 2 and 3 are for
the files of the State Department.

For the State-War-Navy Coordinating Committee:

A. D. REID,
Secretary.

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Copy No. 1, 2, and 3
of Serial #54

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BWN-4535
12 July 1946

MEMORANDUM FOR THE SECRETARY OF NAVY

Subject: Division of German Naval Vessels

References: a. SWNCC 208/11
b. SWNCC 208/14
c. SWNCC 208/16

By informal action on 11 July 1946, the State-War-Navy Coordinating Committee approved, on behalf of the United States Government, the proposed plan as outlined in paragraph 2 of the attached enclosure.

It is requested the U. S. member of the Tripartite Naval Commission notify the U.K. and the U.S.S.R. members of the Commission of the approval by the U. S. Government of this compromise plan.

For the State-War-Navy Coordinating Committee:

J. H. HILLDRING,
State Department Member

Enclosure:
Copy No. 52, SWNCC 208/16

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JWL-4532
12 July 1946

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MEMORANDUM FOR THE DIRECTOR OF CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE,
Room 2166, New War Building

Subject: Request for SWHOC Papers.

Pursuant to your request of 11 July 1946, the Director of Central Intelligence has been placed on the distribution list for all SWHOC papers, effective immediately.

No attempt will be made by the Secretariat at this time to furnish back issues of papers; however, in the event that copies are needed for reference, they may be secured by calling the Secretariat of SWHOC on War Extension 75131 or Navy Extension 3181.

For the State-War-Navy Coordinating Committee:

A. D. REID,
Secretary

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By ed/mj NARS, Date OCT 20 1976

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21st and Virginia Avenue, N. W.
Washington, D.C.

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11 July 1946

MEMORANDUM FOR THE SECRETARIAT, STATE-WAR-NAVY
COORDINATING COMMITTEE

1. The President's letter of 22 January 1946, directing the establishment of the National Intelligence Authority, made the Director of Central Intelligence responsible for accomplishing the correlation and evaluation of intelligence relating to the national security, and the appropriate dissemination within the Government of the resulting strategic and national policy intelligence. The National Intelligence Authority subsequently directed the Central Intelligence Group to furnish strategic and national policy intelligence to the President and the State, War and Navy Departments, and, as appropriate, to the State-War-Navy Coordinating Committee, the Joint Chiefs of Staff, and other governmental departments and agencies having strategic and policy functions related to the national security.

2. To enable the Central Intelligence Group to produce adequate, accurate and timely intelligence pursuant to the above directives, it is axiomatic that the Director of Central Intelligence must at all times be aware of all policies, plans and activities related to the national security which are contemplated, in preparation, approved, or being executed.

3. It is therefore requested that the Director of Central Intelligence be placed upon the distribution list for all State-War-Navy Coordinating Committee papers.

/s/ Hoyt S. Vandenberg

HOYT S. VANDENBERG
Lieutenant General, USA
Director of Central Intelligence

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Authority NA 750065by CP/KMS NARS, Date OCT 0 1976

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12 July 1946**


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MEMORANDUM FOR THE STATE MEMBER, SWNCC:**Subject: Restitution of Hungarian Gold.**

In connection with your request of 3 July 1946 that the Joint Chiefs of Staff dispatch a message to COMUS on the above subject, attached is a copy of COMUS' reply, which is forwarded for the information of the Department of State at the request of the Joint Chiefs of Staff.

For the State-War-Navy Coordinating Committee:**A. D. REID,
Secretary**

Enclosure
Copy No. 47, SW-14-2042
(11 July 46)


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From: OMGUS Berlin, Germany sgd Clay
To: War Department for Joint Chiefs of Staff (WAR pls pass)
Info: WBS for Lewis; USFET for McNarney; USFA for Clark;
AGC Hungary for Key
Nr: CG 8592 9 July 1946

Re your WX-93530 and United States Legation
Budapest's 78.

We expect arrival Hungarian financial experts here
between 10 - 15 July pursuant to invitation from POLAD here
27th June.

Gold can be restituted promptly in Frankfurt upon
execution of proper receipts by those empowered to receive
gold.

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SWN-4530
12 July 1946

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MEMORANDUM FOR THE STATE MEMBER, SWNCC
MAR MEMBER, SWNCC
NAVY MEMBER, SWNCC


SWNCC 216/1 dated 20 February 1946 is referred to the Committee for consideration in light of the views of the Joint Chiefs of Staff in SWNCC 216/2/3 and the Subcommittee for Military Information Control in SWNCC 216/5.

It is requested that you indicate your consent or concurrence hereon and return to the Secretariat, SWNCC.

A. R. REID,
Secretary

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SWN-4829
11 July 1946**MEMORANDUM FOR THE SECRETARY, JOINT CHIEFS OF STAFF:****Subject: Decision Amending SWNCC 204/5.****References:** a. JCS 2899
b. SWNCC 204/5
c. SWNCC 204/15

By informal action on 21 June 1946, the State-War-Navy Coordinating Committee approved SWNCC 204/15 and agreed to amend SWNCC 204/5 accordingly.

Attached is Copy Number 49 of a decision amending SWNCC 204/5. It is requested that revised pages 21 and 24 attached thereto be substituted for the ones contained in Copy Number 48 of SWNCC 204/5 which was forwarded to your office on 20 February 1946.

For the State-War-Navy Coordinating Committee:

A. D. REID,
Secretary.

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Copy No. 49, Second Decision
Amending SWNCC 204/5

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11 July 1946

MEMORANDUM FOR STATE MEMBER, SWNCC
ARMY MEMBER, SWNCC
NAVY MEMBER, SWNCC

Subject: Summary SWNCC Activities for Period
1 - 10 July 1946.

During the period 1 - 10 July 1946, the State-War-Navy Coordinating Committee cleared informally four (4) papers. No formal meeting was held.

INFORMAL CLEARANCES

Control of German Scientists and Technicians (SWNCC 227/17)

The Committee concurred in the proposed reply by the Joint Chiefs of Staff to the British Chiefs of Staff that the U.S. Chiefs of Staff concur with the British Chiefs of Staff on the undesirability of exchanging lists of German scientists and technicians by all four occupying powers, as proposed by the French Delegate in the Naval Directorate for the Allied Control Authorities for Germany; and the Commanding General, U.S. Forces, European Theater, has been so informed for his guidance in event proposal is reconsidered.

Destruction of Captured German War Material (SWNCC 113/19)

The Committee approved the recommendation that the Joint Chiefs of Staff inform the Commanding General, U.S. Forces, European Theater, that he is authorized to resume immediately the destruction of all captured German air forces war material not susceptible of civilian use.

State-War-Navy Cryptographic System (SWNCC 220/1)

The Committee agreed that:

a. A common cryptographic system is desirable for future emergency use.

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b. The common system will be a strip cipher employing existing Joint Army-Navy procedures.

c. The Navy Department is designated as the preparing agency for system.

d. Distribution by each Department through its own channels, informing the other two of distribution made.

Applicability of Proposed Japanese Extraordinary Tax Laws to Non-Japanese Individuals and Corporations (SWPC 881/a)

The Committee approved the following:

a. No Japanese taxation shall discriminate against aliens.

b. No capital levy shall be imposed by the Japanese authorities on property in or outside of Japan owned by United Nations nationals. Any capital levy on corporations and unincorporated associations shall be so devised as to exempt from the effects of the levy the shares and interests in the said corporations and unincorporated associations held by United Nations nationals.

c. If in the opinion of the Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers exceptional circumstances justify the imposition of capital levy on specific United Nations national's property, he will refer the matter for consideration by the FEC.

d. There is no objection to proposed Japanese extraordinary tax laws, other than the capital levy, and which are designed to capture profits and other increments arising out of the war from being applicable to non-Japanese individuals and corporations, including property vested in the German External Property Commission, except that property, regardless of the nationality of its owners, the title of which rests with the SCAP and which will be removed from reparations, shall be exempted from the tax laws in question.

The U.S. Member of the FEC to present the above to that Commission for its consideration.

The Joint Chiefs of Staff to forward the above to SCAP as a statement of the U.S. Government's position.

A. D. REID,
Secretary.

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SWN-4528
11 July 1946

MEMORANDUM FOR THE SECRETARY OF THE NAVY:

Subject: Decision Amending SWNCC 204/5.

References: a. SWN-3903 dtd 20 Feb 46
b. SWNCC 204/5
c. SWNCC 204/15

By informal action on 21 June 1946, the State-War-Navy Coordinating Committee approved SWNCC 204/5 and agreed to amend SWNCC 204/5 accordingly.

Attached is Copy Number 71 of a decision amending SWNCC 204/5. It is requested that revised pages 21 and 24 attached thereto be substituted for the ones contained in Copy Number 71 of SWNCC 204/5, which was forwarded to your office as an enclosure to SWN-3903 on 20 February 1946.

For the State-War-Navy Coordinating Committee:

J. H. HILLDRING,
State Department Member.

Enclosure:
Copy No. 71, Second Decision
Amending SWNCC 204/5

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SWN-4527
11 July 1946**MEMORANDUM FOR THE SECRETARY OF WAR:****Subject: Decision Amending SWNCC 204/5.****References:** a. SWN-3902 494 20 Feb 46
b. SWNCC 204/5
c. SWNCC 204/15

By informal action on 21 June 1946, the State-War-Navy Coordinating Committee approved SWNCC 204/15 and agreed to amend SWNCC 204/5 accordingly.

Attached is Copy Number 70 of a decision amending SWNCC 204/5. It is requested that revised pages 21 and 24 attached thereto be substituted for the ones contained in Copy Number 70 of SWNCC 204/5, which was forwarded to your office as an enclosure to SWN-3902 on 20 February 1946.

For the State-War-Navy Coordinating Committee:**J. H. HILLDRING,**
State Department Member.**Encl.**
Cpy No. 70, Second Decision
Amending SWNCC 204/5**SECRET**

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SWN-4526.
11 July 1946**MEMORANDUM FOR THE SECRETARY OF STATE:****Subject: Decision Amending SWNGC 204/5.****References:** a. SWN-3901 dtd 20 Feb 46
b. SWNGC 204/5
c. SWNGC 204/15


By informal action on 21 June 1946, the State-War-Navy Coordinating Committee approved SWNGC 204/15 and agreed to amend SWNGC 204/5 accordingly.

Attached is Copy Number 69 of a decision amending SWNGC 204/5. It is requested that revised pages 21 and 24 attached thereto be substituted for the ones contained in Copy Number 69 of SWNGC 204/5, which was forwarded to your office as an enclosure to SWN-3901 on 20 February 1946.

For the State-War-Navy Coordinating Committee:

J. H. HILLBING,
State Department Member.

Encl.
Cpy No. 69, Second Decision
Amending SWNGC 204/5

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**SWN-4525
11 July 1946****MEMORANDUM FOR THE SECRETARY OF STATE:**

Subject: Over-All Examination of United States Requirements for Rights of Military Air Transit and Technical Stop in Foreign Countries.

**References: a. SWNCC 38/30
b. SWNCC 38/35
c. SWNCC 38/38**

By informal action on 11 July 1946, the State-War-Navy Coordinating Committee agreed to refer SWNCC 38/38 to the Department of State.

For the State-War-Navy Coordinating Committee:

**JOHN D. HICKENSON,
Acting Chairman.**

**Encl.
Copy No. 34, SWNCC 38/38**

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BWN-4524
11 July 1946

MEMORANDUM FOR THE SECRETARY, JOINT CHIEFS OF STAFF:


Subject: British Request for Publications
Regarding the Atomic Bomb Tests

References: a. SWNCC 248/5
b. SW-6151 dated
28 June 46

By informal action on 11 July 1946 the State-War-Navy Coordinating Committee approved the proposed reply to the British Joint Staff Mission contained in Enclosure "A" to reference b.

For the State-War-Navy Coordinating Committee:

A. D. REID,
Secretary

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SWN-4523
12 July 1946

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MEMORANDUM FOR THE STATE MEMBER, SWNCC
WAR MEMBER, SWNCC
NAVY MEMBER, SWNCC

SWNCC 307 dated 8 June 1946 is referred to the
Committee for consideration in the light of the
Joint Chiefs of Staff comments contained in SWNCC
307/L.


It is requested that you indicate your comment
or concurrence hereon and return to the Secretariat,
SWNCC.

A. D. REED,
Secretary

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SWN-4522
11 July 1946

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MEMORANDUM FOR THE SECRETARY OF STATE:

Subject: U. S. Representation on the Tripartite Naval Commission.

At the request of the Joint Chiefs of Staff, the following is furnished for your information and such action as is deemed appropriate:

On 3 April 1946 the Joint Chiefs of Staff requested the Secretary of State to confirm the designation of Vice Admiral W. A. Glasford, Jr. U.S.N., as the senior U. S. Representative on the Tripartite Naval Commission.

As Rear Admiral Roscoe E. Schuirmann, U.S.N., has relieved Vice Admiral Glasford of his naval duties in Germany, it is now requested that the designation of Rear Admiral Schuirmann as senior U. S. Representative on the Tripartite Naval Commission be confirmed and that the Department of State inform the other governments concerned of the change in the U. S. representation on the Commission and furnish Admiral Schuirmann, for his guidance, the agreed principles as listed in Article IV of the Protocol of the Conference of Berlin.

For the State-Navy-Mary Coordination Committee:

J. H. MILLERING,
State Department Member

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SWN-4521
10 July 1946


MEMORANDUM FOR THE STATE MEMBER, SWNCC:

Subject: Release of Statement of Policy Regarding Basic Principles for a New Japanese Constitution, approved by Far Eastern Commission on July 2, 1946.


Reference is made to your memorandum on the above subject dated 3 July 1946 and received by the Secretariat, SWNCC, on 9 July 1946.

The text of this memorandum and the enclosure thereto were transmitted to the Joint Chiefs of Staff for dispatch to SCAP on 9 July 1946 by the Secretary, SWNCC. However, by the time the memorandum had reached the Joint Chiefs of Staff, SCAP had replied to a cable transmitted by the War Department covering the same subject (CM-CWT 93288, July 1946). In view of this action, informal concurrence of the Department of State was obtained to the return without action by the Joint Chiefs of Staff of the above memorandum together with a copy of SCAP's comments.

Attached is a copy of a message containing SCAP's reply and a supplement thereto, which are forwarded for any action deemed necessary by the Department of State.

A. D. REID,
Secretary 

Enclosures:
HC-IN-54108 (9 Jul 46)
HC-IN-54704 (10 Jul 46)



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SWN-4520
10 July 1946

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MEMORANDUM FOR THE STATE MEMBER, SWNCC
WAR MEMBER, SWNCC
NAVY MEMBER, SWNCC

SWNCC 206/18 dated 10 July 1946 is circulated
for consideration by the Committee.

It is requested that you indicate your consent
or concurrence hereon and return to the Secretariat,
SWNCC.

A. D. REED,
Secretary

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SNW-4513
10 July 1946

MEMORANDUM FOR THE SECRETARY OF THE NAVY:

Subject: Gun Salutes and Honors.

Reference is made to SNW-4417 dated 14 June 1946 which transmitted a copy of SNWCC 308 and to SNW-4498 dated 3 July 1946 which transmitted a copy of a corrigendum thereto.

Enclosed herewith is a second corrigendum to SNWCC 308. It is requested that the second revision of the Appendix be substituted for the revised appendix transmitted with SNW-4498 on 3 July 1946.

For the State-War-Navy Coordinating Committee:

JOHN D. HICKINSON,
Acting ChairmanEnclosure:
Copy No. 57, Second
Corrigendum to SNWCC 308

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SWS-4218
10 July 1946

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MEMORANDUM FOR THE SECRETARY OF WAR

Subject: Gun Salutes and Honors.



Reference is made to SWS-4216 dated 14 June 1946 which transmitted a copy of SWNCC 308 and to SWS-4207 dated 3 July 1946 which transmitted a copy of a corrigendum thereto.

Enclosed herewith is a second corrigendum to SWNCC 308. It is requested that the second revision of the Appendix be substituted for the revised appendix transmitted with SWS-4207 on 3 July 1946.

For the State-War-Navy Coordinating Committee:

JOHN D. RICKERSON,
Acting Chairman

Enclosure:
Copy No. 56, Second
Corrigendum to SWNCC 308


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SWN-4817
10 July 1946

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MEMORANDUM FOR THE SECRETARY OF STATE:

Subject: Gun Salutes and Honors.

Reference is made to SWN-4815 dated 14 June 1946 which transmitted a copy of SWNCC 308 and to SWN-4806 dated 3 July 1946 which transmitted a copy of a corrigendum thereto.

Enclosed herewith is a second corrigendum to SWNCC 308. It is requested that the second revision of the appendix be substituted for the revised appendix transmitted with SWN-4806 on 3 July 1946.

For the State-War-Navy Coordinating Committee:

JOHN R. HICKELSON,
Acting Chairman

Enclosure:
Copy No. 56, Second
Corrigendum to SWNCC 308

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SWN-4516
10 July 1946**MEMORANDUM FOR THE SECRETARY, JOINT CHIEFS OF STAFF:****Subject: Removal of Synthetic Oil and Synthetic Rubber Industries from Japan****References: a. SWNCC 302
b. SWNCC 315**

1. Enclosed herewith is a copy of reference b, a study presented by the State Member, State-War-Navy Coordinating Committee.

2. It is requested that this paper be referred to the Joint Chiefs of Staff for their comment from a military point of view and that these comments, when obtained, be forwarded to the Secretary, SWNCC.

3. In view of the importance attached to this matter by the State Member (Enclosure "A") it is further requested that the Joint Chiefs of Staff consider this as a matter of priority.

For the State-War-Navy Coordinating Committee:

A. D. REID,
SecretaryEnclosure
Copy No. 49, SWNCC 315

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10 July 1946

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MEMORANDUM FOR THE SECRETARY OF THE NAVY:

Subject: State-War-Navy Cryptographic System.

By informal action on 8 July 1946 the State-War-Navy Coordinating Committee approved SWNCC 290/1.

In approving SWNCC 290/1 the Committee agreed that:

a. A common cryptographic system is desirable for future emergency use.

b. The common system will be a strip cipher employing existing Joint Army-Navy procedures.

c. The Navy Department is designated as the preparing agency for this common system.

d. Distribution will be effected by each of the departments through its own channels, each informing the other two of the distribution made.

A copy of the approved paper is forwarded herewith for information, guidance and, where appropriate, implementation.

A copy of this paper has been furnished the Joint Chiefs of Staff for information.

For the State-War-Navy Coordinating Committee:

JOHN D. HICKERSON,
Acting ChairmanEnclosure:
Copy No. 53, SWNCC 290/1

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10 July 1946

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MEMORANDUM FOR THE SECRETARY OF WAR:

Subject: State-War-Navy Cryptographic System.

By informal action on 8 July 1946 the State-War-Navy Coordinating Committee approved SWNCC 290/1.

In approving SWNCC 290/1 the Committee agreed that:

1. A common cryptographic system is desirable for future emergency use.

2. The common system will be a strip cipher employing existing joint Army-Navy procedures.

3. The Navy Department is designated as the preparing agency for this common system.

4. Distribution will be effected by each of the departments through its own channels, each informing the other two of the distribution made.

A copy of the approved paper is forwarded herewith for information, guidance and, where appropriate, implementation.

A copy of this paper has been furnished the Joint Chiefs of Staff for information.

For the State-War-Navy Coordinating Committee:

JOHN D. HICKERSON,
Acting ChairmanEnclosure:
Copy No. 52, SWNCC 290/1

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SWN-4513
10 July 1948 VFF:aj

MEMORANDUM FOR THE SECRETARY OF STATE:

Subject: State-War-Navy Cryptographic System

By informal action on 8 July 1948 the State-War-Navy Coordinating Committee approved SWNCC 290/1.

In approving SWNCC 290/1 the Committee agreed that:

- a. A common cryptographic system is desirable for future emergency use.
- b. The common system will be a strip cipher employing existing Joint Army-Navy procedures.
- c. The Navy Department is designated as the preparing agency for this common system.
- d. Distribution will be effected by each of the departments through its own channels, each informing the other two of the distribution made.


A copy of the approved paper is forwarded herewith for information, guidance and, where appropriate, implementation.

A copy of this paper has been furnished the Joint Chiefs of Staff for information.

For the State-War-Navy Coordinating Committee:

JOHN D. HICKERSON,
Acting Chairman

Enclosure:
Copy No. 51, SWNCC 290/1

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SWN-4012
10 July 1946

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MEMORANDUM FOR THE SECRETARY, JOINT CHIEFS OF STAFF:

Subject: State-War-Navy Cryptographic System.

By informal action on 8 July 1946 the State-War-Navy Coordinating Committee approved SWNCC 290/1.

In approving SWNCC 290/1 the Committee agreed that:


- a. A common cryptographic system is desirable for future emergency use.
- b. The common system will be a strip cipher employing existing joint Army-Navy procedures.
- c. The Navy Department is designated as the preparing agency for this common system.
- d. Distribution will be effected by each of the departments through its own channels, each informing the other two of the distribution made.

A copy of the approved paper is forwarded herewith for the information of the Joint Chiefs of Staff.

For the State-War-Navy Coordinating Committee:

A. B. REID,
Secretary

Enclosure:
Copy No. 49, SWNCC 290/1

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By LO/KF NARS, Date APR 2 1976

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10 July 1946**MEMORANDUM FOR THE STATE MEMBER, SWNCC;**

SWNCC 208/17, dated 10 July 1946, is circulated for consideration by the Committee.

It is requested that you indicate your concurrence or comment hereon and return to the Secretariat, State-War-Navy Coordinating Committee.

The Second Supplement to the Report of the Tripartite Naval Commission (Appendix "C" to SWNCC 208/17) has been furnished the War Member and will be forwarded to the State Member when its use is no longer required in consideration of SWNCC 208/17 by the War Department.

A. D. REID,
Secretary.

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10 July 1946

MEMORANDUM FOR THE WAR MEMBER, SWNCC:

SWNCC 208/17, dated 10 July 1946, is circulated for consideration by the Committee.

It is requested that you indicate your concurrence or comment hereon and return to the Secretariat, State-War-Navy Coordinating Committee.

Forwarded herewith is the Second Supplement of the Report of the Tripartite Naval Commission (Appendix "G" to SWNCC 208/17). It is requested that the report be forwarded to the State Member through the Secretariat, SWNCC, when its use is no longer required by the War Department in considering this paper.

A. D. REID,
Secretary.

Enclosure:
Supplement to the Report
of the Tripartite Naval
Commission (2nd)

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SWN-4508
9 July 1946

MEMORANDUM FOR THE SECRETARY OF STATE:

Subject: Applicability of Proposed Japanese Extraordinary Tax Laws to Non-Japanese Individuals and Corporations.

Reference: SWNCC 281 Series.

By informal action on 9 July 1946 the State-War-Navy Coordinating Committee approved SWNCC 281/4, copy of which is attached.

It is requested that the Department of State forward the Conclusions of this paper to the U.S. Member of the Far Eastern Commission for presentation to that Commission for its consideration.

The Joint Chiefs of Staff have been requested to forward the Conclusions, provided they have no objection from a military point of view, to the Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers as a statement of the U.S. Government's position in this matter.

For the State-War-Navy Coordinating Committee:

J. H. HILLDRING,
State Department Member.

Encl.
Copy No. 69, SWNCC 281/4

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SWN-4507
9 July 1946

MEMORANDUM FOR THE SECRETARY, JOINT CHIEFS OF STAFF:

Subject: Applicability of Proposed Japanese Extraordinary Tax Laws to Non-Japanese Individuals and Corporations.

Reference: SWNGC 281 Series.

By informal action on 9 July 1946 the State-War-Navy Coordinating Committee approved SWNGC 281/4, copy of which is enclosed.


It is requested that the Joint Chiefs of Staff forward the Conclusions, provided they have no objection from a military point of view, to the Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers as a statement of the U.S. Government's position in this matter.

The Department of State has been requested to forward the Conclusions of this paper to the U.S. Member of the Far Eastern Commission for presentation to that Commission for its consideration.

For the State-War-Navy Coordinating Committee:

A. D. REID,
Secretary.

Encl.
Copy No. 49, SWNGC 281/4

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SWN-4506
9 July 1946

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MEMORANDUM FOR THE SECRETARY, JOINT CHIEFS OF STAFF:

Subject: Release of Statement of Policy Regarding Basic Principles for a New Japanese Constitution, approved by Far Eastern Commission on July 2, 1946.

Reference: SWN-4501, 5 July 46.

The following has been received from the Department of State:

"In reference to the statement of policy regarding Basic Principles for a New Japanese Constitution (Enclosure to SWN-4501, 5 July 46) unanimously approved at the eighteenth meeting of the Far Eastern Commission on July 2, 1946, the Secretary General of the Far Eastern Commission has requested that the Supreme Commander be informed that in adopting this statement of policy, the Far Eastern Commission agreed that it would be released to the press, but expressed a desire that the Supreme Commander decide whether he would prefer to release the statement of policy himself in Tokyo or have it released by the Far Eastern Commission in Washington.

"The Secretary General stated that it would be appreciated if the Supreme Commander's decision could be made known to the Commission as soon as practicable."

It is requested that the Joint Chiefs of Staff transmit the enclosed communication to General MacArthur.

For the State-War-Navy Coordinating Committee:

A. D. REID,
Secretary

Enclosure:
Communication to
General MacArthur.

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COMMUNICATION TO GENERAL MACARTHUR REGARDING
RELEASE OF STATEMENT OF POLICY REGARDING
BASIC PRINCIPLES FOR A NEW JAPANESE CONSTITUTION

In reference to the statement of policy (FEC-031/19) regarding Basic Principles for a New Japanese Constitution unanimously approved at the eighteenth meeting of the Far Eastern Commission on July 2, 1946, the Secretary General of the Far Eastern Commission has requested that the Supreme Commander be informed that in adopting this statement of policy, the Far Eastern Commission agreed that it would be released to the press, but expressed a desire that the Supreme Commander decide whether he would prefer to release the statement of policy himself in Tokyo or have it released by the Far Eastern Commission in Washington.

The following is an excerpt from the minutes of the eighteenth meeting of the Far Eastern Commission:

MR. COLLINS moved and MAJOR PLINSOLL seconded the motion that the Commission approve FEC-031/19 with the understanding that the policy decision would not be released to the press until after the Supreme Commander had received the United States directive and had decided whether the policy should be released in Tokyo or in Washington. The motion was unanimously approved.

Your recommendations and comments on the above would be appreciated.

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SWN-4505
9 July 1946

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MEMORANDUM FOR THE STATE MEMBER, SWNCC
WAR MEMBER, SWNCC
NAVY MEMBER, SWNCC

SWNCC 291/1 dated 1 June 1946 is referred to
the Committee for consideration in light of comments
contained in SWNCC 291/2 dated 9 July 1946.

It is requested that you indicate your consent
or concurrence hereon and return to the Secretariat,
SWNCC.

A. B. REID,
Secretary

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SWN-4504
8 July 1946

MEMORANDUM FOR THE SECRETARY OF STATE:

Subject: Policy on Disposition of Puppet
Government Assets in Japan.**Reference:** SWNCC 255/8

Forwarded herewith are Copy Numbers 55 and 56 of the Corrigendum to SWNCC 255/8. Copy Numbers 55 and 56 of SWNCC 255/8 were forwarded to the State Department as enclosures to SWN-4480 dated 22 June 1946 with a request that Copy Number 55 be transmitted to the U.S. Member of the Far Eastern Commission for his information.

It is requested that Copy Number 56 of the Corrigendum to SWNCC 255/8 be forwarded to the U.S. Member of the Far Eastern Commission.

For the State-Navy Coordinating Committee:

J. H. HILLDRING,
State Department Member.

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Corrigendum to SWNCC 255/8

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8 July 1946

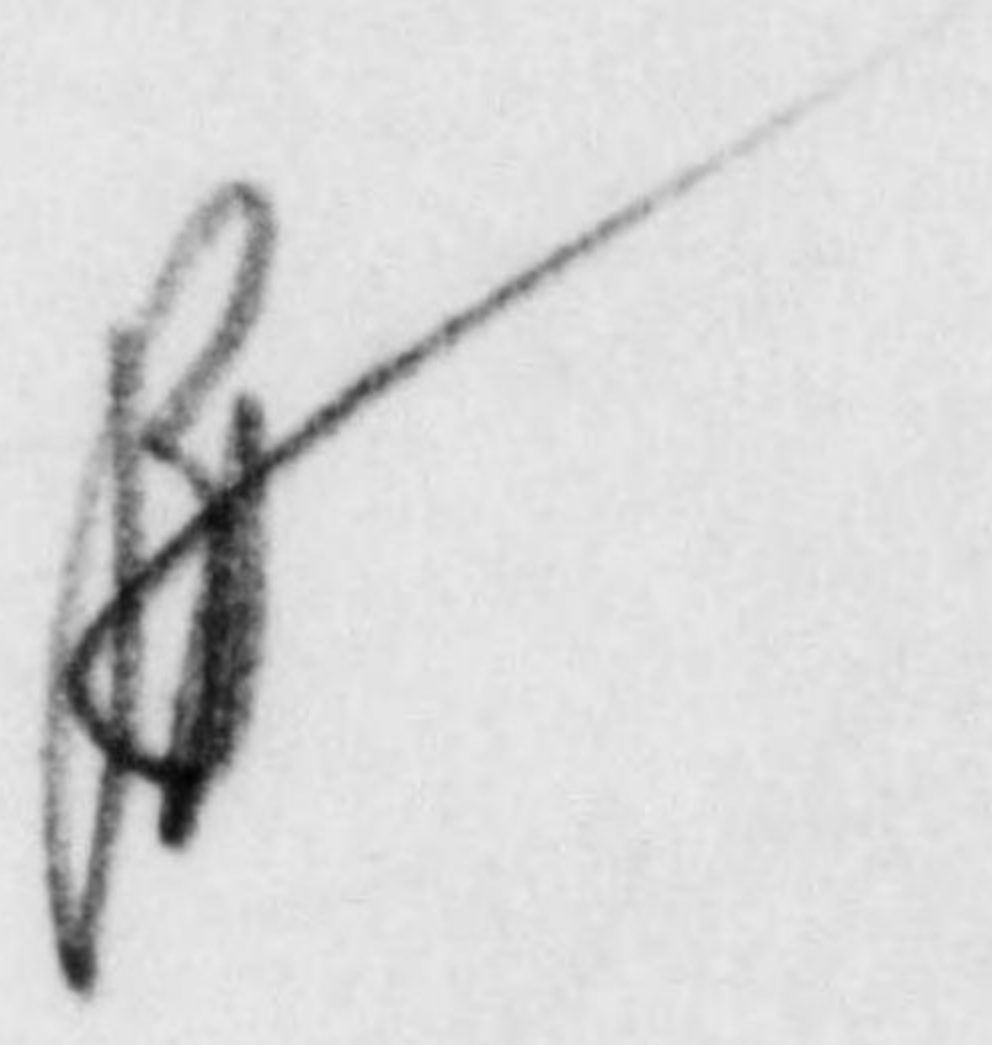

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MEMORANDUM FOR THE SECRETARY, JOINT CHIEFS OF STAFF:

Subject: Policy on Disposition of Puppet
Government Assets in Japan.

Forwarded herewith is a Corrigendum to SWNCC
256/S. Copy No. 49 of SWNCC 256/S was forwarded to
the Joint Chiefs of Staff as the enclosure to
SWN-4646 dated 21 June 1946.

For the State-War-Navy Coordinating Committee:

A. B. REID,
SecretaryEnclosure:
Copy No. 49, Corrigendum
to SWNCC 256/S

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**SWN-4502
6 July 1948**

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**MEMORANDUM FOR THE STATE MEMBER, SWNGC
NAVY MEMBER, SWNGC
NAVY MEMBER, SWNGC**

**SWNGC 38/38 dated 6 July 1948 is circulated
for consideration by the Committee.**

**It is requested that you indicate your com-
ment or concurrence hereon and return to the
Secretariat, SWNGC.**

**A. D. HED,
Secretary**

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SWN-4501
5 July 1946

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MEMORANDUM FOR THE SECRETARY, JOINT CHIEFS OF STAFF:

Subject: Directive Regarding Basic Principles for
a New Japanese Constitution.

At the request of the State Department, there is forwarded herewith a draft directive prepared on the basis of a policy decision unanimously approved at the eighteenth meeting of the Far Eastern Commission on July 2, 1946, under the provisions of paragraph II, A, 1, of its terms of reference. It will be noted that the policy decision is quoted verbatim in the enclosed draft directive.

It is requested that the enclosed directive be transmitted to General MacArthur for his guidance in accordance with paragraph III, 1, of the terms of reference of the Commission, if in the opinion of the Joint Chiefs of Staff the directive satisfactorily expresses the policy decision of the Far Eastern Commission.

For the State-War-Navy Coordinating Committee:

A. D. REID,
SecretaryEnclosure:
Draft Directive
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DRAFT DIRECTIVE FROM JCS TO SCAP

Following statement of policy, adopted by FSC, 2 July 1946, in accordance with paragraph II, A, 1, of its terms of reference has been received from State, War and Navy Departments for transmission in accordance with paragraph III, 1, of terms of reference as a directive for your guidance. You should take appropriate steps consistent with the directives transmitted in WAK 82304 and WGL 43814 to insure that any Constitution adopted by the Japanese conforms to the principles set forth in this statement:

PRINC. 1. The Japanese Constitution should recognize that sovereign power resides in the people. It should be so framed as to provide for:

a. A representative government based upon universal adult suffrage consisting of:

(1) An executive deriving its authority from and responsible to either the electorate or a fully representative legislative body;

(2) A legislature, fully representative of the electorate, which should have full legislative powers, including full control over raising of public revenue and expenditure of public funds;

b. The establishment of an independent judiciary;

c. The guarantee of fundamental civil rights to all Japanese and to all persons within Japanese jurisdiction. All Japanese shall enjoy equal rights before the law and no special privileges of particular social groups such as the nobility shall be allowed;

d. The popular election of heads of institutions of local government such as prefectures, cities, towns and villages;

e. The popular election of local assemblies such as prefectural, city, town, and village;

f. The adoption of constitutional amendments in a manner which will give effect to the freely expressed will of the Japanese people.

2. Though the ultimate form of government in Japan is to be established by the freely expressed will of the Japanese people, the retention of the Emperor Institution in its present constitutional form is not considered consistent with

the foregoing general objectives. Consequently, the Japanese should be encouraged to abolish the Emperor Institution or to reform it along more democratic lines.

3. If the Japanese people decide that the Emperor Institution is not to be retained, constitutional safeguards against the institution will obviously not be required, but the constitution will have to conform to the requirements of paragraph 1 and shall also provide:

a. That the legislature shall have sole authority over financial measures and any other organ shall possess only a temporary veto power over other legislative measures;

b. That the prime minister and the ministers of state, all of whom shall be civilians and of whom a majority, including the prime minister, shall be selected from the Diet, shall form a Cabinet collectively responsible to the legislature. If a system of government is adopted whereby the chief executive is elected to that office by the people, the provision that a majority of the Cabinet members shall be chosen from the legislature should not necessarily apply;

c. That the legislative organ shall have the power to meet at will.

4. If the Japanese decide to retain the Institution of the Emperor, the following safeguards in addition to those enumerated in 1 and 3 above will be necessary:

a. When a Cabinet loses the confidence of the legislature it shall either resign or appeal to the electorate;

b. The Emperor shall have no powers other than those to be conferred on him by the new Constitution. He shall act in all cases in accordance with the advice of the Cabinet;

c. The Emperor shall be deprived of all military authority such as that provided in Articles XI, XII, XIII, and XIV of Chapter I of the Constitution of 1889;

d. All property of the Imperial household shall be declared property of the State. The expenses of the Imperial household shall be appropriated by the legislature.

5. The retention of the Privy Council and the House of Peers in their present form and with their present powers is not considered consistent with the foregoing general objectives. UNCLASSIFIED

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SWN-4800
3 July 1946MEMORANDUM FOR THE WAR MEMBER, SWNCC
NAVY MEMBER, SWNCCSWNCC 314/1, dated 3 July 1946, is circu-
lated for consideration by the Committee.It is requested that you indicate your
concurrence or comment hereon and return to
the Secretariat, SWNCC.A. D. REID,
Secretary

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3 July 1946

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MEMORANDUM FOR THE SECRETARY, JOINT CHIEFS OF STAFF:**Subject: Restitution of Hungarian Gold.****References: A. SWNCC 304 Series
B. CW-OUT-89236, 4 Mar 46**

Attached is a draft of a cable to COMUS, Berlin, Germany, prepared by the Department of State.

The State Department requests that this message be transmitted by the Joint Chiefs of Staff as a matter of high priority to the addressees listed thereon.

For the State-War-Navy Coordinating Committee:

A. D. REID,
Secretary

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Draft cable to COMUS, Berlin

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SECRET**DRAFT TELEGRAM FROM WAR****To: COMUS, Berlin, Germany****Info: CG USFA, Vienna, Austria****US ACC Representation ACC for Hungary, Budapest, Hungary****CG USG Paris, France****CG USFNE**

Magyarok handed Prime Minister of Hungary by Acting Secretary of State June 14, 1946 contained following paragraph re restitution of gold:

"In view of the urgent request of the Hungarian Government for the return of the Hungarian gold now in the custody of the United States forces in order that this gold may be used for the stabilization of the Hungarian monetary system and economy, the United States Government is prepared to proceed with the return to Hungary of this gold. This return is conditioned on the receipt of assurances from the Hungarian Government that it will undertake to return to the rightful owners any part of this gold which may later be established to have been looted."

Amlegation Budapest has received from Hungarian FOREIGN under date June 27 requested assurances in respect of gold to be

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returned by US authorities to Hungarian GOVT in accordance
this memo. You are accordingly instructed proceed immediately
with return gold and, in this connection, to consult with
Hungarian REP mentioned Legation Budapest's 78 June 27 to
Berlin with view expediting arrangements to that end.

For your information, gold intended is gold of Hungarian
National Bank removed by Szalassy Govt from Hungary found by
US Army in Austria now in Reichsbank depository Frankfurt,
valued at approximately 32 million dollars.

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SWN-4498
3 July 1946

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MEMORANDUM FOR THE SECRETARY OF THE NAVY:

Subject: Gun Salutes and Honors.


Reference is made to SWN-4417 dated 14 June 1946 which transmitted a copy of SWNCC 306.

Enclosed herewith is a Corrigendum to SWNCC 306. It is requested that the revised Appendix be substituted for the one contained in Copy No. 57.

For the State-Navy-Navy Coordinating Committee:

JOHN P. HICKELSON
Acting Chairman

Enclosure:
Copy No. 57, Corrigendum
to SWNCC 306


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BWT-4407
5 July 1946

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MEMORANDUM FOR THE SECRETARY OF WAR:

Subject: Gun Salutes and Honors.

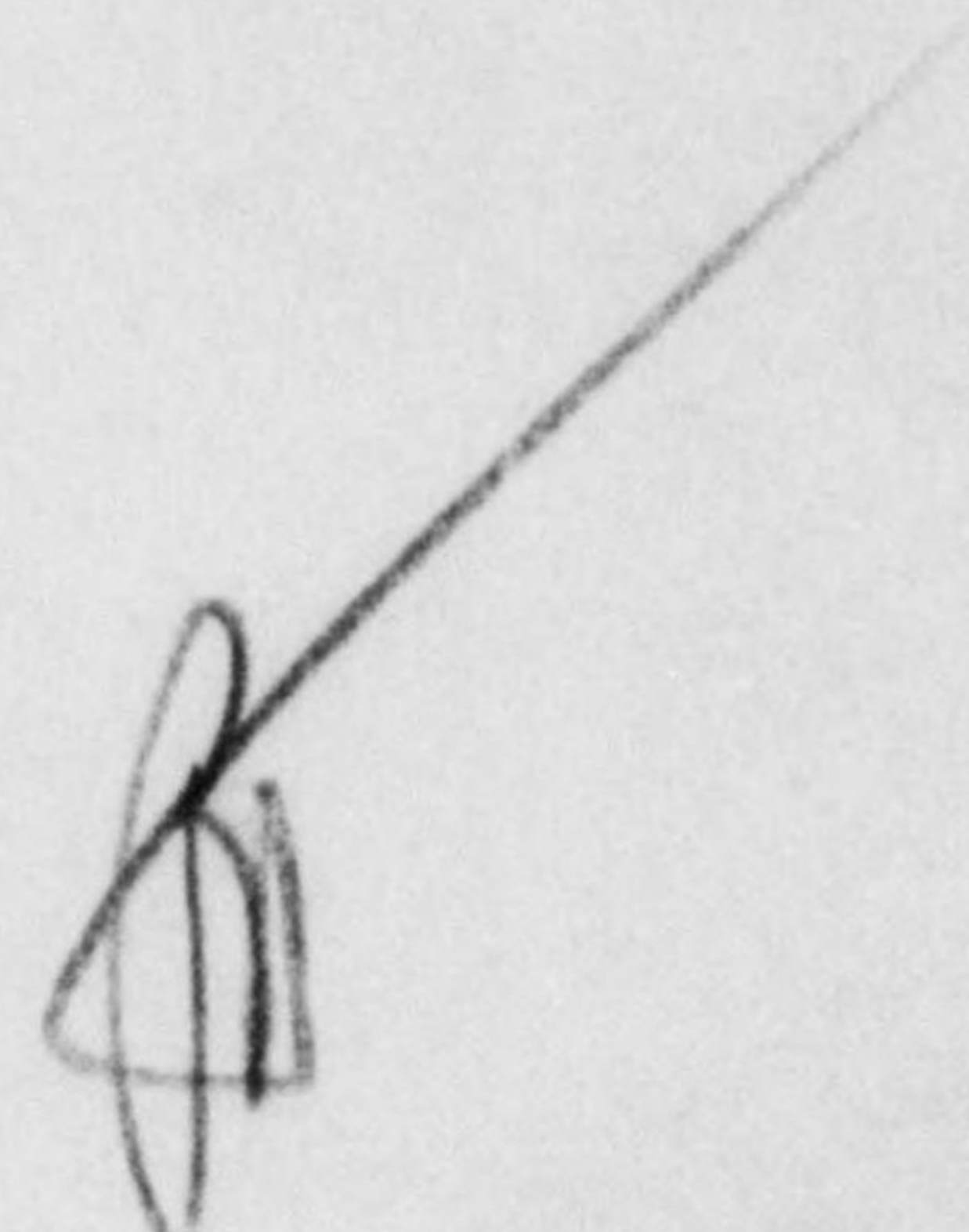

Reference is made to SWNC-4418 dated 14 June 1946 which transmitted a copy of SWNOC 308.

Enclosed herewith is a Corrigendum to SWNOC 308. It is requested that the revised Appendix be substituted for the one contained in Copy No. 56.

For the State-War-Navy Coordinating Committee:

JOHN D. HICKERSON,
Acting Chairman

Enclosure:
Copy No. 56, Corrigendum
to SWNOC 308



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SWN-4496
3 July 1948

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MEMORANDUM FOR THE SECRETARY OF STATE:

Subject: Gun Salutes and Honors.


Reference is made to SWN-4415 dated 14 June 1948 which transmitted a copy of SWNCC 308.

Enclosed herewith is a Corrigendum to SWNCC 308. It is requested that the revised Appendix be substituted for the one contained in Copy No. 88.

For the State-War-Navy Coordinating Committee:

JOHN B. HICKERSON,
Acting Chairman

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to SWNCC 308


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SWN-4495
3 July 1946

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MEMORANDUM FOR THE SECRETARY, JOINT CHIEFS OF STAFF:

Subject: **Publicity Aspects of Proposed Instructions
by SCAP Authorizing Japanese Research in
Technological Subjects.**

References: **a. SWNCC 82/19
b. SWNCC 82/20
c. SWN-4497**

Enclosed herewith is a copy of reference **b**, which is a revision of SWNCC 82/19 by the originator.

In view of the above, reference **a** and the request contained in reference **a** are hereby withdrawn.

It is requested that this revised paper be referred to the Joint Chiefs of Staff for their comment from a military point of view and that these comments, when obtained, be forwarded to the Secretary, State-War-Navy Coordinating Committee.

For the State-War-Navy Coordinating Committee:

A. D. REID,
Secretary

Enclosure:
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SW-4494
3 July 1946

MEMORANDUM FOR THE STATE MEMBER, SWNCC
WAR MEMBER, SWNCC
NAVY MEMBER, SWNCC


SWNCC 259/6, dated 3 July 1946, is circu-
lated for consideration by the Committee.

It is requested that you indicate your
concurrence or comment hereon and return to
the Secretariat, SWNCC.

A. D. REID,
Secretary

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SWN-4483
3 July 1946MEMORANDUM FOR THE STATE MEMBER, SWNCC
WAR MEMBER, SWNCC
NAVY MEMBER, SWNCCSWNCC 300/1, dated 3 July 1946, is circu-
lated for consideration by the Committee.It is requested that you indicate your
concurrence or comment hereon and return to
the Secretariat, SWNCC.A. D. REID,
Secretary

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2 July 1946

MEMORANDUM FOR THE STATE MEMBER, SWNCC
 WAR MEMBER, SWNCC
 NAVY MEMBER, SWNCC

Subject: Summary of SWNCC Activities for the period
 21 - 30 June 1946.

During the period 21 - 30 June 1946 the State-War-Navy
 Coordinating Committee cleared informally ten papers. One
 meeting (the 21st) was held at which one paper was cleared.

DEFERRED CLEARANCE

Restriiction of Japanese Exports (SWNCC 270/1)

The Committee approved the proposed policy statement on des-
 tination of Japanese exports, and the proposal that it be forwarded
 by the State Department to the United States member of the Far
 Eastern Commission for presentation to the Commission.

Policy on Disposition of Foreign Government Assets in Japan
(SWNCC 270/2)

The Committee approved the dispatch of a cable by the JCS to
 CINCASFRAD giving the guidance requested on the treatment of German
 property in Japan and of assets of the puppet Philippine Government.

United States Requirements for Military Rights which require
 consultation with the Netherlands Government (SWNCC 270/3)

The Committee approved the recommendation of the JCS that the
 contents of the JCS be transmitted to the Secretary of State,
 covering the maximum desired and minimum requirements for military
 rights in Surinam, New Guinea and New Hebrides. This paper
 clarifies previous comments of the JCS.

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United States Requirements for Military Rights which Require
Negotiation with the French Government (JCS 24/30)

The Committee approved the recommendation of the JCS that the contents of the JCS be transmitted to the Secretary of State, covering the maximum desired and minimum requirements for military rights at Casablanca - Port Lyautey Area, Dakar, New Caledonia and Reperita Santo for negotiation with the French Government. This paper clarifies previous comments of the JCS.

Trial and Punishment by U.S. Military Commission in China of
German Persons for Violation of the Terms of Surrender
(JCS 21/7)

The Committee approved the recommendation of the JCS that the CG, U.S. Forces in China be notified as follows: "Authority granted, provided the Chinese Government acquiesces, to appoint U.S. Military Commission in China for the trial for violation of the laws and customs of war of German soldiers, civilians, and consular officials, and such other persons as you may determine, who are charged with violation of German surrender terms; to proceed with the trials; and to approve and execute sentences, including the death penalty, subject to review prescribed by the Commanding General of the U.S. Army Forces in China. You are further authorized to designate Germany as place of confinement and execution of sentences of such convicted Germans as you may determine. GCSJ concurs."

Confinement of Convicted Japanese War Criminals (JCS 21/3)

The Committee concurred in the proposed message by the JCS to the Cind, U.S. Army Forces, Pacific, Commander in Chief, U.S. Pacific Fleet, and C.O., U.S. Army Forces in China stating "It is US Policy that war criminals of Japanese origin convicted by US Military Commissions and occupation courts and sentenced to terms of imprisonment be confined in territory under the jurisdiction of CINCPAC as long as U.S. forces occupy such territory. Deviation from this policy will be considered by the JCS upon application of the theater commanders."

Repatriation of Civilian Japanese From China (JCS 20/3)

The Committee approved the following conclusions for the information and guidance of the JCS and the U.S. Member of the Far Eastern Commission:

1. The U.S. favors the repatriation of all Japanese from China and is prepared to continue to assist the Chinese Government in attaining this end.

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b. It is recognized that there may be compelling reasons for temporary retention by Chinese Government of a limited number of certain categories of Japanese civilians in China. The U.S. Government, however, should:

(1) Urge upon Chinese Government the desirability of repatriating at once Japanese civilians now resident in China except those temporarily indispensable to China's recovery.

(2) Also urge Chinese Government to adopt a policy of permitting only those Japanese to remain whose presence is required on grounds of professional or technical abilities and who can demonstrate they will not be a menace to China.

c. As a general policy, the repatriation of Japanese military personnel should have priority over that of civilians.

d. Current directives and agreements are adequate.

Exploitation of German Scientists and Technicians (SWNCC 257/16)

The Committee approved a proposed reply to be made by the JCS to the British Chiefs of Staff. In the reply, the Committee recommends that the JCS:

"a. State that the U.S. Chiefs of Staff agree to the principles of allocation proposed by the British Chiefs of Staff, with a reservation that if a German scientist or technician is admitted to the U.S. as an immigrant, he will, under the laws of the U.S., be available for further exploitation in the United Kingdom only with his consent.

"b. Invite the attention of the British Chiefs of Staff to the U.S. long-range policies and procedures as established by SWNCC 257/15, including a copy thereof."

Revised Requirements for U.S. Air Forces in Europe During Occupational Period (SWNCC 134/9)

The Committee approved the request by the JCS that the Department of State be requested to discontinue negotiations for military rights for very heavy bombardment (VHB) groups in France. Under revised plans, 2 VHB groups will be deployed to the American occupation zone in Germany.

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Limitations on Access by other Nations to Intelligence
Gathered in the U.S. and British Areas in Germany (SECRET 310)

The Committee assented to the transmission to the US, US Forces, European Theater of the proposed message by the JCS, which states in substance: "Except for the most urgent reasons you will not permit representatives of nations other than British Commonwealth (excluding Sire) to have access in any U.S. zone of occupation to technical information on certain subjects listed, or to related intelligence targets. This notifies previous instructions. The JCS have authorized the U.S. Joint Intelligence Committee to amend list and transmit amendments directly to you. Policies to be applied strictly as to requirement concerning reciprocal action."

REPLYING MESSAGE

British Proposals in Connection with the Report of the Anglo-American Committee of Inquiry on Palestine (SECRET 311)

The Committee approved the transmission of the views of the JCS to the State Department.

For the State-Navy Coordination Committee:

A. B. REID,
Secretary

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SWN-4492
2 July 1946


MEMORANDUM FOR THE SECRETARY, JOINT CHIEFS OF STAFF:

Subject: Situation in Venezia Giulia

By informal action between the State, War and Navy Departments, the three Departments agreed on 2 July 1946 that the contents of CM-IN 123 of 2 July 1946 and CM-IN 148 of 2 July 1946 would constitute the guidance requested in SM-6155 of 26 June 1946.

For the State-War-Navy Coordinating Committee:

A. D. REID,
Secretary



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SWN-4-601
2 July 1946MEMORANDUM FOR THE STATE MEMBER, SWNCC
WAR MEMBER, SWNCC
NAVY MEMBER, SWNCCSWNCC 55912 dated 2 July 1946, is circu-
lated for consideration by the Committee.It is requested that you indicate your
concurrence or comment hereon and return to
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Secretary

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SWN-4490
2 July 1948

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MEMORANDUM FOR THE STATE MEMBER, SWNCC
WAR MEMBER, SWNCC
NAVY MEMBER, SWNCC


SWNCC 248/8 dated 1 July 1948 is circulated for consideration by the Committee.

It is requested that you indicate your consent or concurrence herewith and return to the Secretariat, SWNCC.

A. B. REID,
Secretary

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SWN-4489
2 July 1946

MEMORANDUM FOR THE SECRETARY OF STATE:

Subject: British Proposals in Connection
with the Report of the Anglo-
American Committee of Inquiry on
Palestine

References: a. SWNCC 311
b. Minutes, 41st
SWNCC Mtg.

At its 41st Meeting on 27 June 1946 the State-
War-Navy Coordinating Committee agreed to transmit
SWNCC 311 to the Department of State.

For the State-War-Navy Coordinating Committee:

JOHN D. HICKENSON
Acting Chairman

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SM-4488
1 July 1946

MEMORANDUM FOR THE SECRETARY, JOINT CHIEFS OF STAFF:


Subject: Control of German Scientists and Technicians

Reference is made to your SM-6072 dated 21 June 1946.

The State-War-Navy Coordinating Committee concurs in the reply to COS 870/15 proposed in Appendix "B" of JCS 1363/21.

For the State-War-Navy Coordinating Committee:

A. D. REID,
Secretary

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SWN-4487
1 July 1946

MEMORANDUM FOR THE SECRETARY, JOINT CHIEFS OF STAFF:


Subject: Revision of the Boundaries of the French
and American Occupation Zones in Germany**Reference:** SWNCC 15 Series

Enclosed is a copy of SWNCC 15/13/D on the above subject which has been referred to the State-War-Navy Coordinating Subcommittee for Europe for consideration and report.

It is requested that an appropriate agency of the Joint Chiefs of Staff be directed to collaborate with the above mentioned Subcommittee in the preparation of a report to be submitted to the Joint Chiefs of Staff and the State-War-Navy Coordinating Committee.

It is further requested that the State-War-Navy Coordinating Committee be advised of the agency of the Joint Chiefs of Staff designated to work with the European Subcommittee.

For the State-War-Navy Coordinating Committee:

A. D. REID,
SecretaryEnclosure
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SWN-4485
1 July 1946

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MEMORANDUM FOR THE STATE MEMBER, SWNCC
WAR MEMBER, SWNCC
NAVY MEMBER, SWNCC

SWNCC ~~24~~ dated 1 July 1946 is circulated for consideration by the Committee.

It is requested that you indicate your comment or concurrence hereon and return to the Secretariat, SWNCC.

In the event you desire that this matter be referred to an ad hoc Committee, it is requested that you indicate hereon the member to represent your Department.

A. D. REID,
Secretary

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SWN-4488
1 July 1946

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MEMORANDUM FOR THE STATE MEMBER, SWNCC
WAR MEMBER, SWNCC
NAVY MEMBER, SWNCC

SWNCC 204/16 dated 1 July 1946 is circulated
for consideration by the Committee.

It is requested that you indicate your consent
or concerns herein and return to the Secretariat,
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A. B. REID,
Secretary

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SWN-4486
1 July 1946

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MEMORANDUM FOR THE STATE MEMBER, SWNCC
WAR MEMBER, SWNCC
NAVY MEMBER, SWNCC

The State-War-Navy Coordinating Subcommittee for the Far East has recommended that **SWNCC 91** be removed from the agenda in view of the fact that other pertinent directives to SWNCC adequately cover the media of information and expression in Japan.


It is requested that you indicate your comment or concurrence herein and return to the Secretariat, SWNCC.

If you approve, the Secretariat, SWNCC, will take the necessary steps to remove **SWNCC 91** from the agenda.

A. R. REID,
Secretary

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BWN-4483
1 July 1946

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MEMORANDUM FOR THE SECRETARY, STATE-WAR-NAVY
COORDINATING SUBCOMMITTEE FOR THE FAR EAST:

Subject: SWNCC 186/17/D.

In view of the decision by the Committee at its
40th Meeting that action on SWNCC 186/14 and 186/16
should be expedited, it is requested that SWNCC
186/17/D be considered as a matter of priority by
your Subcommittee.

For the State-War-Navy Coordinating Committee:

A. D. REID,
Secretary

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SVN-4483
1 July 1946

MEMORANDUM FOR THE SECRETARY, JOINT CHIEFS OF STAFF:

Subject: Control of German Scientists and Technicians.

References: 1. SWNCC 257 Series
2. JCS 1363 Series
3. SWNCC 257/18


Attached herewith is a copy of reference g which is forwarded for the information of the Joint Chiefs of Staff.

In view of the position taken in this matter by the Department of State, it is requested that similar instructions be issued to holders of JCS 1363/21, if deemed appropriate by the Joint Chiefs of Staff.

For the State-War-Navy Coordinating Committee:

A. D. REID,
Secretary

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BWN-4481
1 July 1946

MEMORANDUM FOR THE SECRETARY, JOINT CHIEFS OF STAFF:

Subject: Destruction of Captured German War
MaterialReferences: a. SWNCC 113/14
b. SWNCC 113/18

On 28 June 1946 the State-War-Navy Coordinating Committee agreed that the Commanding General, United States Forces, European Theater should be authorized to resume immediately the destruction of all captured German Air Forces war material not susceptible of civilian use.

It is requested that the Joint Chiefs of Staff advise the Commanding General, United States Forces, European Theater accordingly, provided there is no objection from a military point of view.

For the State-War-Navy Coordinating Committee:

A. D. REID,
Secretary

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SWN-4480
29 June 1946

MEMORANDUM FOR THE SECRETARY, JOINT CHIEFS OF STAFF:

Subject: Disposal of Captured German Ground Forces
War Material

With reference to your SWN-5954 dated 7 June 1946, the Department of State has informed the State-War-Navy Coordinating Committee as follows:

"The Department of State has examined the views of the Joint Chiefs of Staff as set forth in SWN 4397 (SWN-5954) concerning the disposal of captured German ground forces war material in which it is recommended that the destruction of the captured German ground forces items appearing on the French Naval list be resumed. It has also queried the Foreign Liquidation Commission at Paris. The latter has replied that provided the French authorities do not prolong negotiations it is anticipated that 80% of the French ground forces requirements can be satisfied. While it also stated that virtually no equipment was available for surplus to fill the French Navy list, the same is true of captured German ground forces material as set forth in the reference memorandum.

"Since it would appear that direct French ground forces requirements can be substantially met from United States sources, and in view of the condition of captured German items as described in the reference memorandum, no objection is perceived by the Department of State to the destruction of captured German ground forces war material which appears on the French Navy list being resumed."

For the State-War-Navy Coordinating Committee:

A. D. REID,
Secretary

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BVN-4470
28 June 1946

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MEMORANDUM FOR THE SECRETARY OF STATE:
(Attention: Mr. J. E. Penfield - PE)

**Subject: Directives transmitted to SCAP by
the Joint Chiefs of Staff.**

Enclosed are three copies of Directive, Serial
No. 55, transmitted to SCAP by the Joint Chiefs of
Staff. Copy No. 1 is for transmittal to the Far
Eastern Commission and Copies No. 2 and 3 for the
files of the State Department.

For the State-War-Navy Coordinating Committee:

A. B. REID,
Secretary

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SWN-4478
28 June 1946MEMORANDUM FOR THE STATE MEMBER, SWNCC
NAVY MEMBER, SWNCC


SWNCC 305/1, dated 28 June 1946, is circulated for consideration by the Committee in connection with SWNCC 305.

It is requested that you indicate your concurrence or comment hereon and return to the Secretariat, SWNCC.

A. D. REID,
Secretary

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SWN-4477
28 June 1946

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MEMORANDUM FOR THE WAR MEMBER, SWNCC
NAVY MEMBER, SWNCC

SWNCC 281/4 dated 27 June 1946 is circulated
for consideration by the Committee.

It is requested that you indicate your com-
ment or concurrence hereon and return to the
Secretariat, SWNCC.

A. B. REID,
Secretary

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BWH-4476
27 June 1946

MEMORANDUM FOR THE SECRETARY, JOINT CHIEFS OF STAFF:

Subject: Corrigendum to SWGCC 59/1.

References: a. SWGCC 59/1
b. BWH-4475

Reference is made to BWH-4475, dated 27 June 1946, which transmitted a copy of SWGCC 59/1 for comment by the Joint Chiefs of Staff. Attached herewith is Copy No. 49 of a Corrigendum to SWGCC 59/1 for inclusion therein.

For the State-War-Navy Coordinating Committee:

A. D. REID,
Secretary.

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27 June 1946

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MEMORANDUM FOR THE SECRETARY, JOINT CHIEFS OF STAFF:**Subject: Policy Concerning Trusteeship and Other Methods of Disposition of the Mandated and Other Outlying and Minor Islands Formerly Controlled by Japan.**

Forwarded herewith is a copy of SWNCC 59/1, a study presented by the State Member, State-War-Navy Coordinating Committee.

It is requested that this paper be referred to the Joint Chiefs of Staff as a matter of high priority, for their comment from a military point of view and that those comments, when obtained, be forwarded to the Secretary, State-War-Navy Coordinating Committee.

For the State-War-Navy Coordinating Committee:

A. D. REID,
Secretary

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SWN-4474
27 June 1946

MEMORANDUM FOR THE SECRETARY OF NAVY:

Subject: Repatriation of Civilian Japanese
From ChinaReferences: a. SWNCC 258/5
b. SWNCC 258/6
c. SWNCC 258/7

By informal action on 25 June 1946 the State-War-Navy Coordinating Committee approved SWNCC 258/5 as amended by SWNCC 258/6 and SWNCC 258/7.

A copy of the revised approved paper is forwarded herewith for information.

The Department of State has been requested to transmit the draft note in Appendix "C" of the revised approved paper to the Chinese Government.

For the State-War-Navy Coordinating Committee:

J. H. HILLDRING,
State Department Member

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SWN-4473
27 June 1946

MEMORANDUM FOR THE SECRETARY OF WAR:

Subject: Repatriation of Civilian Japanese
From ChinaReferences: a. SWNCC 258/5
b. SWNCC 258/6
c. SWNCC 258/7

By informal action on 26 June 1946, the State-War-Navy Coordinating Committee approved SWNCC 258/6 as amended by SWNCC 258/6 and SWNCC 258/7.

A copy of the revised approved paper is forwarded herewith for information.

The Department of State has been requested to transmit the draft note in Appendix "C" of the revised approved paper to the Chinese Government.

For the State-War-Navy Coordinating Committee:

J. H. HILLDRING,
State Department Member

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