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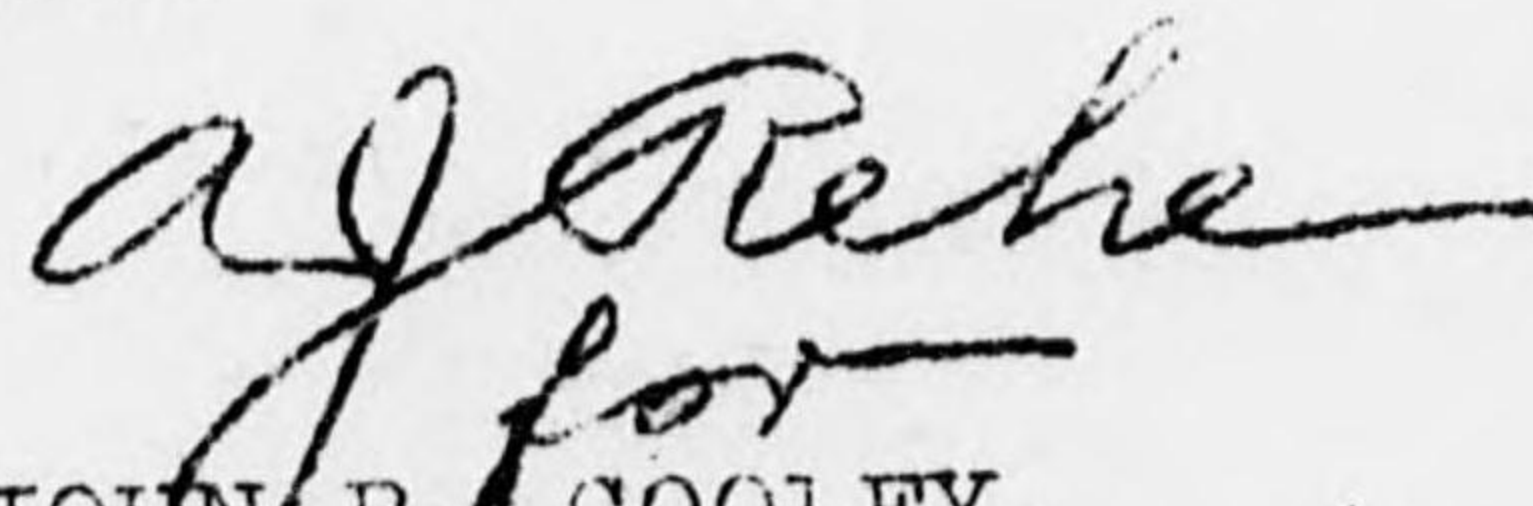
MEMORANDUM FOR: IMPERIAL JAPANESE GOVERNMENT

THROUGH : Central Liaison Office, Tokyo

SUBJECT : Salvage, Repair and Refitting of Captured
Vessels.

1. The Imperial Japanese Government is directed to repair and refit ships of all types and sizes found in Japanese waters which are identified as having been registered in an Allied country at the time of acquisition, seizure or sinking by the Japanese or their agents.
2. The costs of necessary salvage, repair and refitting will be borne by the Japanese Government.
3. Separate directives for each ship will be delivered to the Imperial Japanese Government by General Headquarters, Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers directing the overhaul, repair, salvage and refitting necessary to permit the return of the vessels in a condition substantially similar to that at the time they came into Japanese hands.
4. Within 30 days after completion of the overhaul, repairs salvage and refitting directed on each vessel, the Imperial Japanese Government will submit a report of the total costs involved to General Headquarters, Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers.

FOR THE SUPREME COMMANDER:


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