

GENERAL HEADQUARTERS  
SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS

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MEMORANDUM FOR: IMPERIAL JAPANESE GOVERNMENT

THROUGH : Central Liaison Office, Tokyo

SUBJECT : Prompt Discharge and Demurrage Charges applicable  
to the tanker, "Puente Hills"

1. Immediate steps will be taken by the Imperial Japanese Govern-  
ment to insure prompt discharge of the U. S. Navy chartered tanker  
"Puente Hills" to the Petroleum Distribution Control Company storage  
tanks at Tsurumi.

2. Demurrage charges of \$120 per hour to be payable by the  
Imperial Japanese Government will be considered as commencing at the  
time the "Puente Hills" was ready to begin discharge and will con-  
tinue until this vessel has actually begun to discharge its cargo.  
Accrual of these demurrage charges will again commence sixty (60)  
hours after vessel first commences discharge.

FOR THE SUPREME COMMANDER:

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