

GENERAL HEADQUARTERS
SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS

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MEMORANDUM FOR: IMPERIAL JAPANESE GOVERNMENT
THROUGH: Central Liaison Office, Tokyo
SUBJECT: Notification of Death

The following War Criminals were executed at RABAU, New Britain by the method and on the date stated after their names. They were executed in accordance with applicable law, by virtue of the order of Headquarters, Australian Military Forces, Melbourne, Victoria, Australia.

<u>NAME</u>	<u>DESIGNATION</u>	<u>DATE</u>	<u>METHOD</u>
KAMINAKA, Tsunejiro	S/Maj, assignment 16 Spec Water Duty Co.	6 Nov 46	Death by hanging
KOBAYASHI, Shotaro	Sgt, assignment 26 Spec Construc- tion Co.	1 Aug 46	Death by hanging
MATSUMURA, Tadashi	S/Maj, assignment 16 Spec Water Duty Co.	19 Oct 46	Death by hanging
SATO, Hikoju	Civ, assignment NANYO TAKUSHOKU Co, attached to Navy.	31 Aug 46	Death by hanging
YAMAMOTO, Hisashi	Civ Off, assign- ment Naval Civil Administration.	6 Nov 46	Death by hanging

FOR THE SUPREME COMMANDER:

John B. Cooley
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Colonel, AGD,
Adjutant General.