

GENERAL HEADQUARTERS
SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS

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MEMORANDUM FOR: IMPERIAL JAPANESE GOVERNMENT

THROUGH: Central Liaison Office, Tokyo

SUBJECT: Ownership of Branches in Japan of Companies with
Head Offices Abroad

1. The Imperial Japanese Government is directed to issue an ordinance requiring all branches or agencies in Japan of firms with head offices outside of Japan to submit lists of all stockholders of their firms as of 14 August 1945.
2. The report will show their nationality, the number of shares each holds, and the total outstanding shares of the corporation. In each case the stockholders' lists will include a statement as to the percentage of the companies' total outstanding shares held by Japanese nationals.
3. The ordinance will carry a penalty clause for non-compliance. The report will be submitted to General Headquarters, Supreme commander for the Allied Powers, by 3 February 1947.

FOR THE SUPREME COMMANDER:

for
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