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HEADQUARTERS I CORPS
APO 301 (Osaka, Honshu)

GLS/tf

Date 26 Jan 46

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SUBJECT: Permit for Reconversion from War Production and for Resumption of Production of Essential Civilian Commodities.

TO : Otsuya Tekkosho (Otsuya Iron Factory) & Co.
(Name and address of firm)

42, Yamamoto dori 2-cho, Sakai City
(Name and location of plant)

1. In accordance with the provisions of paragraph 3 of Directive No. 3 from the Supreme Commander Allied Powers, dated 22 September 1945, you are authorized to commence operation of your plant, and to manufacture the essential civilian commodities listed in annex 1 to this permit.

2. This permit grants authority only to operate. The acquisition of materials, parts, and sub-assemblies, as well as the disposition of finished products and establishment of sales prices, will be in accordance with the regulations of the Imperial Japanese Government.

3. You will notify this Headquarters in writing of the exact date upon which you commence manufacturing operations. This notice will be mailed not later than date of commencement of operations.

4. Two months after the date of commencement of operations, and at the end of each month thereafter until notified to the contrary by this Headquarters, a report will be made to the Commanding General, I Corps, APO 301, Attention: Military Government Section. This report will be written in English and will list each item, by name, type and quantity produced by the above identified factory. This report will be delivered to Corps Headquarters not later than fifteen (15) days after the conclusion of the period to which the report pertains.

BY COMMAND OF MAJOR GENERAL WOODRUFF:

W. A. SCHWEN
Lt. Colonel AGD
Adjutant General

Info Copies To:
GHQ, SCAP (Attn: E & S Sec.)
CG, Eighth Army (Attn: MG Sec.)
CO, 107TH MG GROUP
Imperial Japanese Government (OSAKA Liaison Bureau)

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Annex 1

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HEADQUARTERS I CORPS
APO 301 (Osaka, Honshu)

ANNEX NO. 1

Date 23 Jan 46

PERMIT NO. IC 153

Permission is granted to OTSUYA TEKKOSHO & CO.

42, Yamamoto dori 2-cho, Sakai City
(Name and address of company)

to produce at the

(Name and location of plant)

the following items listed below:

a. Farm implements

b. Parts of bicycle

(N O T H I N G F O L L O W S)

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Report of production (August)

1. Name, Otsuya Tekkosho
(Otsuya Iron Factory)

2 Location, 42 banchi Yamamoto-dori,
2 chome, Sakai, Osaka prefecture.

3. permit Number in date, Feb 5 th
1946, No 81.

4 products (in August)

Item	Type ordinary size	Quantity
(a) Farming hoes.	255 mm 137 mm	10.000

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2 chome, Sakai, Osaka Prefecture.

3. Permit Number in date, Feb 5 th
1946, No 81.

4 Products (in August)

Item	Type Ordinary size	Quantity
(a) Farming hoes.	255 mm 137 mm	10.000
(b) parts for bicycle. 1K430g		Set 5,000

Name Eijiro Odagaki

Representative of Otsuya Tekkosho.

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Report of production (July)

1. Name. Otsuya Tekkosho
(Otsuya Iron Factory)

2. Location 42 banchi Yamamoto-dori,
2 chome, Sakai, Osaka Prefecture.

3. Permit Number in date, Number and date
Feb 5th /946 No 81

4. Products (in July)

Item	Type	Quantity
a. Farming hoes	245mm 157mm	5,000

2. Location #2 branch: Oyama[illegible]
2 chome, Sakai, Osaka Prefecture.

3. Permit Number in date, Number and date
Feb 5th 1946 No 84

4. products (in July)

	Item	Type	Quantity
a.	Farming hoes	255mm 157mm	5,000
b	parts for bicycle	1K450g	Set 7,000

Name Eijiro Adagaki

Represent of Adagaki Tekkosho.

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Report of production (June)

1. Name, Otsuya Tekkosho
(Otsuya Iron Factory)

2. Location, 42 banchi Yamamoto - dori,
2 chome, Sakai, Osaka prefecture

3. permit Number. Number 81.

4. products (in June)

Item	Type Ordinary size	Quantity
(a) Farming hoes	255mm 87mm	10,000
(b) parts for bicycle	1K430g	Set 5,000

2 chome, Sakai, Osaka prefecture.

3. permit Number. Number 81.

4 products (in June)

Item	Type Ordinary size	Quantity
(a) Farming hoes	255mm 137mm	10,000
(b) parts for bicycle	1K430g	Set 5,000

Name Eijiro Odagaki

Representative of Otsuya Tekkosho.

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Report of production

1. Name ; Otsuya Tekkosho
(Otsuya Iron Factory)

2. Location ; 42 banchi Yamamoto-dori,
2 chome, Sakai, Osaka prefecture.

3. permit number;
number 81.

4. products (in March April)
(March)

Item	Type	Quantity
(a) Farming hoes.	Ordinary size 254 m/m. 137 m/m.	10,450

3. permit number,

number 81.

4. products (in ~~march~~ April)
(March)

Item	Type	Quantity
(a) Farming hoes.	Ordinary size 255mm. 137mm.	10,450
(b) parts for bicycle	~~K~~ 1430g	set 10,000

(April)

(a) Farming hoes.	255mm	137mm	5,000
(b) parts for bicycle	1K430g	set	25,000

Name Eijiro Odazaki

Representative of Otsuya Tekkosho.

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Application for the permission of convetion
to the essential consummers commodities

1 Name: Ōtsuya Tekkosho (Ōtsuya Iron Factory) & Co.
2 Capital: Yen 190,000
3 Ownership: Eijiro Odagaki, Shūzō Sagoshira
Tomakichi Ōtani, Iyuro Taiji
Tomakichi Shimpo, Shūzō Sumitomo
Toshikazu Matsudaira, Kuranojō Natsuyama
4 Relation to the government: None
5 Date of Foundation: July 1st, 1930
6 Location: 42 Yamamotodōri 2chōme, Sakai City
7 General description of machinery and plant:
Area of Factory: 1000 tsubo
Area of Building: 360 tsubo
Machineries: Lathes 48, Boring machines 10
Great shearing machine 1, Drilling machines 2
Planing machines 2, Punching machines 25
Shearing machines 20, Power Hammer 2

5 Date of Foundation: July 1st, 1930

6 Location: 42 Yamamotodori 2 chō, Sakae City

7 General description of machinery and plant;

Area of Factory: 1000 tsubo

Area of Building: 360 tsubo

Machineries: Lathes 48, Boring machines 10
Great shearing machines, Milling machines 2
Planing machines 2, Punching machines 25
Shearing machines 20, Power Hammer 2

Materials on hand: Steel plate 10 tons

8 Number of employees; 77

9. Production before the war: 5400,000 sets, main parts of bicycle

Production during the war; Parts of bomb 1600,000

11 Future Plan of Production;

Commodites of contemplation: Hoe, Part of Bicycle

Amount of production per month;
50,000 hoes and 50,000 parts of bicycle

Materials required: Steel plates 124,500 Kgs

Dates to open the manufacture; Sept. 21th, 1945

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Report of Resumption of the Permitted Items

To: The Commanding General,
Headquaters 1 corps, attention,
Military Government Section.

In accordance with your order dated 23rd Jan. 1946, we are furnishing to you the report of resumption of production of the items which were permitted by the sic army under the date Jan. 31st. 1946 as follows:

The permitted items

(a) Farm Implements

(b) Parts of bicycle.

Resuming Government Section.

In accordance with your order dated 23rd Jan. 1946, we are furnishing to you the report of resumption of production of the items which were permitted by the SCAP army under the date Jan. 31st. 1946 as follows:

The Permitted items

(a) Farm Implements

(b) Parts of bicycle.

(nothing follows)

Otsuya Tekkosho & Co.
(Otsuya Iron Factory)
(President) Ichiro Odagaki.

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Report of Resumption of the
Permitted Items.

To: The Commanding General, Headquaters I Corps,
attention, Military Government Section.

In accordance with your order dated 23rd Jan. 1946, we are furnishing to you the report of resumption of production of the items which were permitted by the six army under the date Jan. 31st 1946 as follows.

The Permitted items

a. ~~Farm Implements~~

b. Parts of bicycle

(nothing follows)

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attention, Military Government Section.

In accordance with your order dated 23rd Jan. 1946, we are furnishing to you the report of resumption of production of the items which were permitted by the six army under the date Jan. 31st 1946 as follows.

The Permitted items

a. Farm Implements

b. Parts of bicycle

(nothing follows)

Otsuya Tekkosho. & Co
(Otsuya Iron Factory)
(President) Ichiro Hagaki.

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Report of Resumption of the Permitted Items

To: The Commanding General,
Headquaters 1 Corps. attention:
Military Government Section.

In accordance with your order dated 23rd Jan. 1946, we are furnishing to you the report of resumption of production of the items which were permitted by the six army under the date Jan. 31st 1946 as follows:

The Permitted items

Military Government Section.

In accordance with your order dated 23rd Jan. 1946, we are furnishing to you the report of resumption of production of the items which were permitted by the civil army under the date Jan. 31st 1946 as follows:

The Permitted items

(a) Farm Implements

(b) Parts of bicycle

(nothing follows)

Otsuya Tekkosho & Co.
(Otsuya Iron Factory)
(President) Ichiro Odagaki.

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INSPECTION REPORT

Date 24 May, 1946

RE: Production Report

Company Name Otaya Tekkosho

Address 42 Sanchi Yamamoto-dori, 2 Chome, Sakai, Osaka Pref.

Date Inspected 24 May, 1946

Permit No. RG-1522 Date 23 Jan 46

Authorized Items Produced	Number	Price
Body joints of bicycle frames	5000	¥40.88 each
Hoes	5000	¥15.

Unauthorized Items	Number	Price
Contract work to cut and thread cylinder for 15,000 bicycle pumps.		

Remarks: (Note here any additional information which you believe should be incorporated in the file of subject company)

Company will apply for permit to work on bicycle pumps immediately.

Approved [illegible] 5/27
Res. & Ind. Officer

Cpt. Johnny J. Craig
Inspector's Signature

Check in 10 days to see if approved application has been received from Prefectural Office Osaka

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HEADQUARTERS 98TH INFANTRY DIVISION
Military Government Section
APO 98 (Osaka, Honshu)

014.13 G-5/jt 8 January 1946

SUBJECT: Application for Conversion
Otsuya Tekkosho (Otsuya Iron Factory) & Co.
42, Yamamoto dori 2-cho, Sakai City

TO : MGO I Corps, APO 301

1. Survey and inspection was made. Machines listed on application were inspected and found to be in fair condition, only the machines were old and showed signs of hard use. They are being maintained as best possible under present conditions. There are no safety devices in the plant.

2. The ownership as listed under paragraph 3 as those controlling 10% or more of the stocks.

3. Prior to the war the concern manufactured parts for bicycles, and during the war manufactured parts for bombs. There were some partly finished items on hand, which were ordered destroyed.

4. The above organization wishes to convert back to the manufacturing of bicycle parts and also add the manufacturing of certain farm implements, such as hoes.

5. The factory is now working on a part time basis.

6. It is recommended that approval be granted for the reconversion and that the factory be permitted to manufacture bicycle parts and farm implements as listed.

FOR THE SENIOR MILITARY GOVERNMENT OFFICER:

BEN LOCKE
Major, Air Corps
Commerce & Industry Officer

1 Incl
Application