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8/8*Memorandum by the Ambassador in Japan (Grew)

(TOKYO,) July 27, 1941.

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At this point the Minister again reverted to the resentment which was felt in Japan at the freeing of Japanese assets. I told him that I had little knowledge of the intention of my Government in regard to the administration of the Executive Order freezing Japanese assets but that I believed, against speaking unofficially and personally, that there might be considerable flexibility in the administration of the Order. * *.* *

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Pages 534 - 537; Foreign Relations of the United States, Volume II.

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駐日大使（グルー）の覺書

（東京）昭和十六年七月二十七日

此點に就て大臣は復々、日本資産の凍結に對して日本に於て憤怒の念を起してゐる事實を述べた。予は彼に告げて、日本資産凍結の大統領令施行に関する我國政府の意圖に就ては何も知つて居ないといふこと然し非公式に且つ個人的に云へば、本令の實施には相當の伸縮性があるだらうと信ずるものであると語った。

チャーチヨセフ・シードー（グルー）

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