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GENERAL HEADQUARTERS
SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS
APO 500

AG 311.3 (8 Mar 49) CCS
SCAPIN 1980

8 March 1949

MEMORANDUM FOR: JAPANESE GOVERNMENT

SUBJECT: Equalization of Radiotelegraph Rates

1. Reference is made to memoranda for the Japanese Government as follows:

a. File AG 676.3 (1 Dec 45) CCS, SCAPIN 379, dated 1 December 1945,
subject: Establishment of Sender Composition Message Service Between the
United States and Tokyo Area, as amended.

b. File AG 311.3 (6 Feb 48) CCS SCAPIN 1228/8, dated 6 February
1948, subject: Equalization of Radiotelegraph Rates.

c. File AG 311.23 (3 Sep 47) CCS, SCAPIN 1759/3, dated 3 September
1947, subject: Expansion of Radiotelegraph Service via the United States,
as amended.

2. SCAPINS 1228/8 and 1759/3 are rescinded concurrent with the effective
date of this memorandum.

3. Increased radiotelegraph rates from the United States, United States
territories and possessions, to Japan, via RCA Communications, Inc., Mackay
Radio and Telegraph Company, Inc., and from the United States to Japan via
Press Wireless, Inc., were authorized, effective 2 February 1949.

4. Rates per word and division of revenue thereof, under the revised
rate schedule, for inward messages via Press Wireless from all points in the
United States, to all points in Japan will be as shown on page 1 of inclosure
1 hereto. The radio proportion of the through rates per word, under the re-
vised rate schedule, from all points in the United States, United States
territories and possessions, to all points in Japan, via RCA Communications,
Inc., and Mackay Radio and Telegraph Company, Inc., showing division thereof
between the Ministry of Communications and the American carriers concerned,
will be as shown on page 2 of inclosure 1 hereto. Application of a Japanese
terminal charge to sender composition message (SCM) radiotelegrams, incoming
to Japan, will continue to be handled in accordance with the procedures set
forth in SCAPIN 379, paragraph 6.

5. Effective 15 March 1949 the rates and division of revenue for
radiotelegrams outgoing from Japan to the United States, United States
territories and possessions, are revised as shown on pages 3 to 11 inclusive
of inclosure 1.

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6. Division of the additional revenue derived from the increased rates, authorized in paragraphs 3 and 5 above, between the Ministry of Communications and the American carriers, will become effective in both directions simultaneously. The Ministry of Communications will be notified of the effective date thereof by the Civil Communications Section. Pending receipt of this notification, the additional charges for outward radiotelegrams from Japan will accrue to the Ministry of Communications.

7. All other current regulations and provisions pertaining to the acceptance, handling and distribution of radiotelegrams between Japan and the points listed in inclosure 1 hereto, are not affected by this rate revision and will continue in effect until further notice.

8. Direct communication between Civil Communications Section, General Headquarters, Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers and the Ministry of Communications, regarding matters within the scope of this memorandum is authorized.

FOR THE SUPREME COMMANDER:

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for R. M. Levy
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GENERAL HEADQUARTERS
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MEMORANDUM

8 March 1949

SUBJECT: Information of General Application Pertaining to Directive
SCAPIN 1980 file AG 311.3 (8 Mar 49) CCS, this
Headquarters, dated 8 March 1949, subject: Equalization of
Radiotelegraph Rates

1. With reference to the subject memorandum, the following is published
for the information of all concerned.

2. The subject directive covers revisions in radiotelegraph rates
between Japan on the one hand and the United States, United States territories
and possessions, on the other hand. Increased message rates from Japan to
the United States, United States territories and possessions, are authorized
to equalize the recent increase in Westbound rates granted to the American
Radio carriers by the Federal Communications Commission.

3. Division of the additional revenue resulting from the increased
rates will become effective in both directions simultaneously. The effective
date is dependent upon action by the Federal Communications Commission, and
when known, will be communicated to the Ministry of Communications by direct
correspondence from Civil Communications Section.

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Press Wireless per word rates, and division of revenue on
PRESS, URGENT PRESS, VLT and EFM's.

FROM: All Points in the United States.
TO: All Points in Japan.

<u>ORDINARY PRESS</u>	<u>Thru Rate</u>	<u>Japan Terminal</u>	<u>Japan Radio</u>	<u>Press Wireless</u>	<u>Outpayment</u> <u>Other Line Share</u>
FROM: United States					
San Francisco	\$.085	-	\$.0425	\$.0425	-
New York *	.085	-	.0425	.0425	-
Washington DC	.085	-	.0425	.0425	-
Other offices:					
Zone 1 (Except SF)	.085	-	.0425	.0325	.01
Zone 2	.085	-	.0425	.0325	.01
Zone 3	.085	-	.0425	.0225	.02
Zone 4	.085	-	.0425	.0125	.03
Zone 5 (Except New York & Washington DC)	.085	-	.0425	.0025	.04
URGENT PRESS					
San Francisco	.13	-	.065	.065	-
New York *	.16	-	.065	.065	.03
Washington DC	.17	-	.065	.065	.04
V L T					
San Francisco	.13-1/3	-	.06-2/3	.06-2/3	-
Other offices USA	.13-1/3	-	.06-2/3	.04-2/3	.02
E F M					
(Per message)	.60	-	.20	.20	.20

*Includes Lake Success, N. Y.

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RADIO PROPORTION OF THROUGH RATES PER WORD
SHOWING DIVISION OF CHARGES ON MESSAGES

Via

RCA Communications, Inc.

and

Mackay Radio and Telegraph Co. Inc.

FROM: All Points in the United States, Hawaii, Alaska,
Puerto Rico and Virgin Islands.
TO: All Points in Japan.

<u>Class</u>	<u>Radio Proportion</u>	<u>Japan Radio</u>	<u>American Radio</u>
Full Rate	\$.40	\$.20	\$.20
CDE	.27	.13½	.13½
LC	.20	.10	.10
NLT	.13-1/3	.06-2/3	.06-2/3
VLT	.13-1/3	.06-2/3	.06-2/3
Urgent Press	.40	.20	.20
Press	.08½	.04½	.04½
US Govt Ord	.20	.10	.10
US Govt CDE	.13½	.06-3/4	.06-3/4
EFM (Per message)	.60	.20	.40

FROM: Guam and Midway Islands (Via SF, or Via Manila).*

TO: All Points in Japan.

Full Rate	.25	.12½	.12½
CDE	.17	.08½	.08½
LC	.12½	.06½	.06½
NLT	.08-1/3	.04-1/6	.04-1/6
VLT	.08-1/3	.04-1/6	.04-1/6
Urgent Press	.25	.12½	.12½
Press	.05	.02½	.02½
US Govt Ord	.12½	.06½	.06½
US Govt CDE	.08½	.04½	.04½

VLT - Minimum charge for 10 words.

EFM - Not admitted to Alaska, Puerto Rico, Virgin Islands, Guam and Midway.

*Normal routing is "Via SF", however, traffic may be diverted "Via Manila" in the event such diversion becomes desirable or necessary to minimize delays. Rates and division of revenue on traffic diverted "Via Manila" will be the same as for the normal "Via SF" routing.

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Press Wireless per word rates, and division of revenue
on PRESS, URGENT PRESS, VLT and EFM's.

FROM: Japan, Tokyo only.
TO: United States

ORDINARY PRESS

TO:
United States

	Thru Rate	Japan Terminal	Japan Radio	Press Wireless	Outpayment Other Line Share
San Francisco	\$.085	-	\$.0425	\$.0425	-
New York *	.105	-	.0425	.0425	.02
Washington DC	.115	-	.0425	.0425	.03
Other Offices:					
Zone 1 (Except SF)	.095	-	.0425	.0425	.01
Zone 2	.095	-	.0425	.0425	.01
Zone 3	.105	-	.0425	.0425	.02
Zone 4	.115	-	.0425	.0425	.03
Zone 5 (Except New York & Washington DC)	.125	-	.0425	.0425	.04

URGENT PRESS

San Francisco	.13	-	.065	.065	-
New York *	.16	-	.065	.065	.03
Washington DC	.17	-	.065	.065	.04

V L T

San Francisco	13-1/3	-	.06-2/3	.06-2/3	-
Other Offices USA	.13-1/3	-	.06-2/3	.06-2/3	.02

E F M (Per Message)	.60	-	.20	.20	.20
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The Zone designated as "Japan, Tokyo only", is defined as the 23 Wards comprising the Metropolitan limits of the City of Tokyo, Japan.

*Includes Lake Success, N. Y.

Press Wireless per word rates, and division of revenue on PRESS, URGENT PRESS AND VLT Messages.

FROM: Japan, Other Offices.
TO: United States.

<u>ORDINARY PRESS</u>	<u>Thru Rate</u>	<u>Japan Terminal</u>	<u>Japan Radio</u>	<u>Press Wireless</u>	<u>Outpayment Other Line Share</u>
TO: United States					-
San Francisco	\$.09	\$.005	\$.0425	\$.0425	-
New York *	.11	.005	.0425	.0425	.02
Washington DC	.12	.005	.0425	.0425	.03
Other Offices:					
Zone 1 (except SF)	.10	.005	.0425	.0425	.01
Zone 2	.10	.005	.0425	.0425	.01
Zone 3	.11	.005	.0425	.0425	.02
Zone 4	.12	.005	.0425	.0425	.03
Zone 5 (except New York & Washington DC)	.13	.005	.0425	.0425	.04
<u>URGENT PRESS</u>					
San Francisco	.15	.02	.065	.065	-
New York *	.18	.02	.065	.065	.03
Washington DC	.19	.02	.065	.065	.04
<u>V L T</u>					
San Francisco	.14	.00-2/3	.06-2/3	.06-2/3	-
Other Offices USA	.16	.00-2/3	.06-2/3	.06-2/3	.02
<u>E F M (Per Message)</u>	.60	-	:20	:20	.20

*Includes Lake Success, N. Y.

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RATES PER WORD ON MESSAGES, Via:
 RCA Communications, Inc.
 and
 Mackay Radio and Telegraph Co., Inc.

FROM: Japan, Tokyo only.
 TO: United States, San Francisco only.

Class	Through Rate	Japan Terminal	Japan Radio.	American Radio	Outpayment Other Line Share
Full Rate	\$.40	-	\$.20	\$.20	-
CDE	.27	-	.13½	.13½	-
LC	.20	-	.10	.10	-
NLT	.13-1/3	-	.06-2/3	.06-2/3	-
VLT	.13-1/3	-	.06-2/3	.06-2/3	-
Urgent Press	.40	-	.20	.20	-
Press	.08½	-	.04½	.04½	-
US Govt Ord	.20	-	.10	.10	-
US Govt CDE	.13½	-	.06-3/4	.06-3/4	-
EFM (per msg)	.60	-	.20	.20	.20

FROM: Japan, Other Offices.
 TO: United States, San Francisco only.

		02	.20	.20	-
Full Rate	.42	02	.20	.20	-
CDE	.282	.012	.13½	.13½	-
LC	.21	.01	.10	.10	-
NLT	.14	.00-2/3	.06-2/3	.06-2/3	-
VLT	.14	.00-2/3	.06-2/3	.06-2/3	-
Urgent Press	.42	.02	.20	.20	-
Press	.09	.005	.04½	.04½	-
US Govt Ord	.21	.01	.10	.10	-
US Govt CDE	.141	.006	.06-3/4	.06-3/4	-
EFM (per msg)	.60	-	.20	.20	.20

VLT - Minimum charge for 10 words.

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RATES PER WORD ON MESSAGES, Via:
RCA Communications, Inc.
and
Mackay Radio and Telegraph Co., Inc.

FROM: Japan, Tokyo only.
TO: United States, Other Offices.

Class	Through Rate	Japan Terminal	Japan Radio	American Radio	Outpayment Other Line Share
Full Rate	\$.44	-	\$.20	\$.20	\$.04
CDE	.31	-	.13½	.13½	.04
LC	.23	-	.10	.10	.03
NLT	.15-1/3	-	.06-2/3	.06-2/3	.02
VLT	.15-1/3	-	.06-2/3	.06-2/3	.02
Urgent Press	.44	-	.20	.20	.04
Press					
Zone 1 (Except SF)	.09½	-	.04½	.04½	.01
Zone 2	.09½	-	.04½	.04½	.01
Zone 3	.10½	-	.04½	.04½	.02
Zone 4	.11½	-	.04½	.04½	.03
Zone 5	.12½	-	.04½	.04½	.04
US Govt Ord	.22	-	.10	.10	.02
US Govt CDE	.15½	-	.06-3/4	.06-3/4	.02
EFM (per msg)	.60	-	.20	.20	.20

FROM: Japan, Other Offices.
TO: United States, Other Offices

Full Rate	.46	.02	.20	.20	.04
CDE	.322	.012	.13½	.13½	.04
LC	.24	.01	.10	.10	.03
NLT	.16	.00-2/3	.06-2/3	.06-2/3	.02
VLT	.16	.00-2/3	.06-2/3	.06-2/3	.02
Urgent Press	.46	.02	.20	.20	.04
Press					
Zone 1 (Except SF)	.10	.005	.04½	.04½	.01
Zone 2	.10	.005	.04½	.04½	.01
Zone 3	.11	.005	.04½	.04½	.02
Zone 4	.12	.005	.04½	.04½	.03
Zone 5	.13	.005	.04½	.04½	.04
US Govt Ord	.23	.01	.10	.10	.02
US Govt CDE	.161	.006	.06-3/4	.06-3/4	.02
EFM (per msg)	.60	-	.20	.20	.20

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RATES PER WORD ON MESSAGES, Via:
 RCA Communications, Inc.
 and
 Mackay Radio and Telegraph Co., Inc.

FROM: Japan, Tokyo only.
 TO: Hawaii, Oahu Island only.

Class	Through Rate	Japan Terminal	Japan Radio	American Radio	Outpayment Other Line Share
Full Rate	\$.40	-	\$.20	\$.20	-
CDE	.27	-	.13½	.13½	-
LC	.20	-	.10	.10	-
NLT	.13-1/3	-	.06-2/3	.06-2/3	-
VLT	.13-1/3	-	.06-2/3	.06-2/3	-
Urgent Press	.40	-	.20	.20	-
Press	.08½	-	.04½	.04½	-
US Govt Ord	.20	-	.10	.10	-
US Govt CDE	.13½	-	.06-3/4	.06-3/4	-
EFM (per msg)	.60	-	.20	.20	.20

FROM: Japan, Other Offices.
 TO: Hawaii, Oahu Island only.

Full Rate	.42	.02	.20	.20	-
CDE	.282	.012	.13½	.13½	-
LC	.21	.01	.10	.10	-
NLT	.14	.00-2/3	.06-2/3	.06-2/3	-
VLT	.14	.00-2/3	.06-2/3	.06-2/3	-
Urgent Press	.42	.02	.20	.20	-
Press	.09	.005	.04½	.04½	-
US Govt Ord	.21	.01	.10	.10	-
US Govt CDE	.141	.006	.06-3/4	.06-3/4	-
EFM (per msg)	.60	-	.20	.20	.20

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RATES PER WORD ON MESSAGES, Via:
 RCA Communications, Inc.
 and
 Mackay Radio and Telegraph Co., Inc.

FROM: Japan, Tokyo only.
 TO: Hawaii, Other Islands.

Class	Through Rate	Japan Terminal	Japan Radio	American Radio	Outpayment Other Line Share
Full Rate	\$.55	-	\$.20	\$.20	\$.15
CDE	.36	-	.13½	.13½	.09
LC	.27½	-	.10	.10	.075
NLT	.18-1/3	-	.06-2/3	.06-2/3	.05
VLT	.18-1/3	-	.06-2/3	.06-2/3	.05
Urgent Press	.55	-	.20	.20	.15
Press	.11½	-	.04½	.04½	.03
US Govt Ord	.35	-	.10	.10	.15
US Govt CDE	.22½	-	.06-3/4	.06-3/4	.09
*EFM (per message)	.60	-	.20	.20	.20

FROM: Japan, Other Offices.
 TO: Hawaii, Other Islands.

Full Rate	.57	.02	.20	.20	.15
CDE	.372	.012	.13½	.13½	.09
LC	.28½	.01	.10	.10	.075
NLT	.19	.00-2/3	.06-2/3	.06-2/3	.05
VLT	.19	.00-2/3	.06-2/3	.06-2/3	.05
Urgent Press	.57	.02	.20	.20	.15
Press	.12	.005	.04½	.04½	.03
US Govt Ord	.36	.01	.10	.10	.15
US Govt CDE	.231	.006	.06-3/4	.06-3/4	.09
*EFM (per message)	.60	-	.20	.20	.20

VLT - Minimum charge for 10 words.

The Zone designated as "Japan, Tokyo only" is defined as the 23 Wards comprising the Metropolitan limits of the City of Tokyo, Japan.

*EFM's for other Islands are mailed from Honolulu.

RATES PER WORD ON MESSAGES, Via:
 RCA Communications, Inc.
 AND
 Mackay Radio and Telegraph Co., Inc.

FROM: Japan, Tokyo only.
 TO: Alaska

Class	Through Rate	Japan Terminal	Japan Radio	American Radio	Outpayment Other Line Share
Full Rate	.56	-	.20	.20	.16
CDE	.39	-	.13 $\frac{1}{2}$	.13 $\frac{1}{2}$	.12
LC	.29	-	.10	.10	.09
NLT	.19-1/3	-	.06-2/3	.06-2/3	.06
VLT	.19-1/3	-	.06-2/3	.06-2/3	.06
Urgent Press	.56	-	.20	.20	.16
Press	.13 $\frac{1}{2}$	-	.04 $\frac{1}{4}$	.04 $\frac{1}{4}$	.05
US Govt Ord	.22	-	.10	.10	.02
US Govt CDE	.15 $\frac{1}{2}$	-	.06-3/4	.06-3/4	.02

FROM: Japan, Other Offices
 TO: Alaska

Full Rate	.58	.02	.20	.20	.16
CDE	.402	.012	.13 $\frac{1}{2}$	.13 $\frac{1}{2}$	.12
LC	.30	.01	.10	.10	.09
NLT	.20	.00-2/3	.06-2/3	.06-2/3	.06
VLT	.20	.00-2/3	.06-2/3	.06-2/3	.06
Urgent Press	.58	.02	.20	.20	.16
Press	.14	.005	.04 $\frac{1}{4}$	.04 $\frac{1}{4}$	.05
US Govt Ord	.23	.01	.10	.10	.02
US Govt CDE	.161	.006	.06-3/4	.06-3/4	.02

RATES PER WORD ON MESSAGES, Via:
 RCA Communications, Inc.,
 and
 Mackay Radio and Telegraph Co., Inc.

FROM: Japan, Tokyo only.
 TO: Puerto Rico, and All Points, Virgin Islands

Class	Through Rate	Japan Terminal	Japan Radio	American Radio	Outpayment Other Line Share
Full Rate	\$.69		\$.20	\$.20	\$.29
CDE	.46		.13½	.13½	.19
LC	.35½		.10	.10	.15½
NLT	.23-2/3		.06-2/3	.06-2/3	.10-1/3
VLT	.23-2/3		.06-2/3	.06-2/3	.10-1/3
Urgent Press	.69		.20	.20	.29
Press	.18		.04½	.04½	.09½
US Govt Ord	.34½		.10	.10	.14½
US Govt CDE	.23		.06-3/4	.06-3/4	.09½

FROM: Japan, Other Offices
 TO: Puerto Rico, and All Points, Virgin Islands

Full Rate	.71	.02	.20	.20	.29
CDE	.472	.012	.13½	.13½	.19
LC	.36½	.01	.10	.10	.15½
NLT	.24-1/3	.00-2/3	.06-2/3	.06-2/3	.10-1/3
VLT	.24-1/3	.00-2/3	.06-2/3	.06-2/3	.10-1/3
Urgent Press	.71	.02	.20	.20	.29
Press	.18½	.005	.04½	.04½	.09½
US Govt Ord	.35½	.01	.10	.10	.14½
US Govt CDE	.236	.006	.06-3/4	.06-3/4	.09½

RATES PER WORD ON MESSAGES, Via:

RCA Communications, Inc.

and

Mackay Radio and Telegraph Co., Inc.

FROM: Japan, Tokyo Only.

TO: Guam and Midway Islands (Via San Francisco
or Via Manila) *

Class	Through Rate	Japan Terminal	Japan Radio	American Radio	Outpayment Other Line Share
Full Rate	\$.40	-	\$.12 $\frac{1}{2}$	\$.12 $\frac{1}{2}$	\$.15
CDE	.27	-	.08 $\frac{1}{2}$	.08 $\frac{1}{2}$	.10
LC	.20	-	.06 $\frac{1}{4}$	.06 $\frac{1}{4}$	.07 $\frac{1}{2}$
NLT	.13-1/3	-	.04-1/6	.04-1/6	.05
VLT	.13-1/3	-	.04-1/6	.04-1/6	.05
Urgent Press	.40	-	.12 $\frac{1}{2}$	.12 $\frac{1}{2}$	.15
Press	.10	-	.02 $\frac{1}{2}$	.02 $\frac{1}{2}$	.05
US Govt Ord	.20	-	.06 $\frac{1}{4}$	.06 $\frac{1}{4}$	.07 $\frac{1}{2}$
US Govt CDE	.13 $\frac{1}{2}$	-	.04 $\frac{1}{4}$	.04 $\frac{1}{4}$	.05

FROM: Japan, Other Offices

TO: Guam and Midway Islands (Via San Francisco
or Via Manila) *

Full Rate	.42	.02	.12 $\frac{1}{2}$	.12 $\frac{1}{2}$	.15
CDE	.282	.012	.08 $\frac{1}{2}$	.08 $\frac{1}{2}$	.10
LC	.21	.01	.06 $\frac{1}{4}$	.06 $\frac{1}{4}$	.07 $\frac{1}{2}$
NLT	.14	.00-2/3	.04-1/6	.04-1/6	.05
VLT	.14	.00-2/3	.04-1/6	.04-1/6	.05
Urgent Press	.42	.02	.12 $\frac{1}{2}$	.12 $\frac{1}{2}$	.15
Press	.10 $\frac{1}{2}$.005	.02 $\frac{1}{2}$.02 $\frac{1}{2}$.05
US Govt Ord	.21	.01	.06 $\frac{1}{4}$.06 $\frac{1}{4}$.07 $\frac{1}{2}$
US Govt CDE	.141	.006	.04 $\frac{1}{4}$.04 $\frac{1}{4}$.05

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