

GENERAL HEADQUARTERS
SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS

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MEMORANDUM FOR: IMPERIAL JAPANESE GOVERNMENT
THROUGH: Central Liaison Office, Tokyo
SUBJECT: Claims of Preemption

1. Many requests for confirming procurement demands to cover alleged preemption of Japanese supplies and facilities continue to be submitted. It is becoming impracticable to establish the validity of claims of preemption during the early stages of the occupation.

2. Therefore, it is directed that in all cases of preemption alleged to have occurred prior to 1 January 1947, requests for procurement demands to cover such alleged preemption be submitted to Headquarters, Eighth Army, not later than 30 June 1947. No such requests received subsequent to that date will be considered.

FOR THE SUPREME COMMANDER:

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