

GENERAL HEADQUARTERS
SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS

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MEMORANDUM FOR: IMPERIAL JAPANESE GOVERNMENT
THROUGH: Central Liaison Office, Tokyo
SUBJECT: Disposition of Garbage and Waste

1. Effective thirty (30) days from the publication of this memorandum, the Imperial Japanese Government shall be responsible for the collection and disposition of garbage and waste materials from occupation force installations and housing in Japan. This collection and disposition of garbage and waste will not be considered a service to the Occupation Forces inasmuch as the garbage and waste received by the Japanese Government is equal to or of more value than the cost of collection and disposition. Therefore, no procurement demands will be issued for this service.

2. The Imperial Japanese Government will designate the agencies which shall be authorized to collect garbage and/or waste and shall be responsible for the operation of such collections within the limitations prescribed by the Commanding General, Eighth Army. No unauthorized collections will be permitted. Any complaints of unsatisfactory conditions relating to the subject of this memorandum will be received by Japanese prefectural liaison officers and promptly and satisfactorily corrected.

FOR THE SUPREME COMMANDER:

Rescinded
By
SCAPIN-2183
6 Nov 47

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