

GENERAL HEADQUARTERS  
FAR EAST COMMAND  
MILITARY INTELLIGENCE SECTION? GENERAL STAFF  
PUBLIC SAFETY DIVISION

11 January 1951

MEMORANDUM

TO : Chief, PSD

1. Herewith submitted report for 11 January 1951 on daily activities of the Public Safety Division

ACTIVITY (Who, What, where, when, why, and how?)	ACTION (Full account of action, briefly stated.)
<p>1. A Maritime Administrator conferred with an official of MSA re: Japan Logistical Command's plan to issue procurement demand for land and property of MSA training School for the purpose of obtaining dock facilities at Maizuru and (b) Investigation of allegation of divulgence of movement of MSA vessels to smugglers operating in the area of Tsushima island by an official of MSA base of Tsushima.</p> <p>2. A Police Administrator was contacted by a representative of ESS re: Progress in the investigation of incident involving illegal seizure of household goods from warehouse by Communist group at Hachiochi.</p>	<p>PSD contacted JLC. JLC advised that MSA presented no objections to use of east side of the school property. PSD and MSA to cooperate with JLC, and (b) Advised MSA to investigate smuggling activities and MSA official. Action continuing.</p> <p>Procurator Office decided to prosecute only three leaders. Hachiojo police to submit final report.</p>



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8 January 1951

MEMORANDUM  
 TO : Chief, PSD

1. Herewith submitted report for 8 January 1951 on daily activities of the Public Safety Division

ACTIVITY (Who, What, where, when, why, and how?)	ACTION (Full account of action, briefly stated.)
1. A Maritime Administrator conferred with a representative of G-1 and Military Sea Transport Service and an official of MSA re: G-1 desire of enforcement of American Bureau Shipping standards on Japanese ferries to avoid possible criticism of SCAP in the event of loss of ferry carrying UN personnel.	PSD informed G-1 that all vessels are deemed safe and complying with minimum standards of US vessels on international voyages.
2. A Prison Administrator received a report from an official of OPAR re: OPARS supervision of 172 parolees from Sugamo Prison and the resultant monetary expenditure to OPARS.	OPARS to present procurement demand to JLC.
3. A Prison Administrator conferred with Chief General Affairs NOPAR re: Appointment of Chief Secretariat for Kanto DYOPAR as Commissioner Kanto DYOPAR staff.	PSD presented no objections.
4. A Police Administrator conferred with an official of NRP re: PSD approval of six weeks training curriculum for regional training schools.	Course totals 252 hours (140 hours for general course and 112 hours for specialized training).
5. A Police Administrator conferred with officials of MPD re: Progress in conversion of police station to the beat patrol system in Tokyo City.	MPD can convert 18 police stations per month.

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9 January

1951

MEMORANDUM

TO

: Chief, PSD

1. Herewith submitted report for 9 January 1951 on daily activities of the Public Safety Division

ACTIVITY (Who, What, where, when, why, and how?)	ACTION (Full account of action, briefly stated.)
1. A Maritime Administrator conferred with an official of MSA re: Study of proposed amendment to Port Regulation Law as drafted by Transportation Council of Ministry of Transportation	PSD and MSA objected to amendment authorizing local port authorities to designate anchorage instead of Captain of the Port. GS will advise PSD upon receipt of draft for comment. Action continuing.
2. A Police Administrator received final report re: Investigation of incident involving illegal seizure of household goods from warehouse by Communist group at Hachioji	Police arrested all 27 persons involved. Released 20 persons after questioning but forwarded papers to Procurator's Office. Procurator released three persons including the leader of the group. PSD informed ESS.
3. A Police Investigator conferred with officials of MPD re: Proposal to establish a central traffic headquarters within the Traffic Division exercising jurisdiction and operational control over traffic matters and personnel in 15 centrally located police districts.	MPD to present plan to Chief Metropolitan Police. Action continuing.



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TO

: Chief, PSD

5 January

1951

1. Herewith submitted report for 5 January 1951 on daily activities of the Public Safety Division

ACTIVITY (Who, What, where, when, why, and how?)	ACTION (Full account of action, briefly stated.)
1. A Police Administrator conferred with a representative of Ordnance Section re: PSD request for 586 additional weapons and 30,000 magazines for use of police.	Ordnance Section advised JLC to make available the amounts requested.
2. A Maritime Administrator conferred with an official of MSA re: Investigation of stranding of MSA harbor craft (large) while attempting rescue of small boat at Niigata harbor.	Salvage of MSA vessel not possible. PSD directed investigation.



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: Chief, PSD

4 January

1951

1. Herewith submitted report for 4 January 1951 on daily activities of the Public Safety Division

ACTIVITY (Who, What, where, when, why, and how?)	ACTION (Full account of action, briefly stated.)
1. A Police Administrator conferred with representatives of LS and CTS re: Preliminary discussion of possibility of expediting the handling of traffic violators cases by the establishment of Traffic Courts and/or Violators Bureau.	Agreed to find a solution to problem and to call conference on arrival of Supreme Court Committee's reply to questions propounded during conference.
2. A Police Administrator received a report re: Progress in the investigation of incident involving illegal seizure of household goods from warehouse by Communist group at Hachioji.	Six more persons were referred to Procurator's Office for prosecution. PSD notified ESS.
3. A Maritime Administrator conferred with representatives of COMNAVFE, DS and CTS re: CTS decision to delay until 1 Apr 51 the transmission of Japanese government letter to British government announcing resumption of issuance of international safety and load line certificates.	CTS desires the delay in order to bring certain Japanese government vessels to class. This is in contravention of agreement reached between all interested agencies including CTS. PSD to study and make recommendation.



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2 January 1951

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Chief, PSD

1. Herewith submitted report for 2 Jan 1951 on daily activities of the Public Safety Division

ACTIVITY (Who, What, where, when, why, and how?)	ACTION (Full account of action, briefly stated.)
1. Four Prison Administrators conferred with Director CARB and official of CARB re: Discussion of proposed amendments to the Juvenile Law and Reformatory Law.	Proposed amendments conform to Prison Branch previous recommendation. PSD presented no objections.
2. A Police Administrator conferred with an official of Public Safety Commission, Fuse City re: Resignation and re-appointment of Chief of Police Fuse City.	Chief of Police resigned when members of his staff allegedly accepted bribes. Procurator's Office cleared Chief of Police. PSD presented no objection.