

GENERAL HEADQUARTERS  
SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS  
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AG 800.217(23 Nov 48 )NR/F1  
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23 November 1948

MEMORANDUM FOR: JAPANESE GOVERNMENT

SUBJECT: Whaling Industry

1. This SCAPIN rescinds the following memoranda to the Japanese Government:

✓ a. Memorandum for Japanese Government from General Headquarters, Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers, AG 800.217 (3 Nov 45) NR, SCAPIN 233, subject as above, 3 November 1945.

✓ b. Memorandum for the Japanese Government from General Headquarters, Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers, AG 800.217 (24 Aug 46) NR, SCAPIN 1154, subject as above, 24 August 1946.

✓ c. Memorandum for the Japanese Government from General Headquarters, Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers, AG 800.217 (27 Sep 47) NR, SCAPIN 1785, subject as above, 27 September 1947.

2. From this date the operations of the Japanese whaling industry will be conducted in strict conformity with the International Convention for the Regulation of Whaling signed at Washington, D.C., 2 December 1946.

3. Statistical, biological, and other reports required by this Convention will be submitted to General Headquarters, Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers.

4. Complete utilization will be made of the carcass of each whale taken by the Japanese whaling industry, and, insofar as possible, the meat of whales will be marketed as food.

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