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大東亞省官制抄

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(昭和一九二四年)

第一條

大東亞大臣ハ大東亞地域(内地、朝鮮及台渡ヲ除ク)以下同

シニ関スル諸般ノ政務ノ施行(純外交ヲ除ク)、同地域内諸外國ニ於ケル帝國商事ノ保護及同地域内諸外國在留帝國臣民ニ関スル事務並ニ同地域ニ係ル移植民、海外拓殖事業及對外文化事業ニ関スル事務ヲ管理ス

大東亞大臣ハ前項ニ定ムル事務ノ外交易ニ関スル事務及交易ニ伴フ外國為替ノ管理ニ関スル事務ヲ管理ス

大東亞大臣ハ南東局及南洋廳ニ関スル事務ヲ統理ス

大東亞大臣ハ第一項ニ規定スル事務ニ付大東亞地域ニ駐在スル外交官及領事官ヲ指揮監督ス

第二條

大東亞省ニ左ノ五局ヲ置ク

總務局

滿洲事務局

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交易局

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三、對支文化事業ニ関スル事項、

四、其ノ他支那ニ関スル事項、

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大東亞省分課規程抄

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農

林課、商工課及交通課ヲ置ク

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官報 一七、一一、二
（昭和一九二七）
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事項、

三、中支那用瓷株式会社及中支那新興株式会社ノ業
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一、交通、通信及気象ニ関スル事項、
二、交通及通信ニ関スル在支事業ノ統制ニ関スル事項、

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Extracts from the Regulations concerning
the Official Organization of DAI-TŌA-SHŌ
(Greater East Asia Ministry).

Imperial ordinance No. 707, Nov. 1, 1942.

(Revised in July, 1944)

Article 1 The Greater East Asia Minister has charge of the conduct of various administrative affairs (pure diplomacy excepted) regarding the Greater East Asia area (JAPAN, KOREA and FORMOSA to be always excepted), the protection of commerce of the Empire in various ^{foreign} districts within the said area, business in connection with the Imperial subjects in various ^{foreign} districts within the said area, and business in connection with immigrants, overseas colonizing enterprises, and overseas cultural enterprises.

The Greater East Asia Minister has charge, beside the business prescribed above, of business regarding foreign trade, and business regarding control of foreign exchange in connection with foreign trade.

The Greater East Asia Minister superintends business regarding KWANTUNG Bureau, and SOUTHSEA Board.

The greater East Asia minister directs and supervises Japanese diplomats and consulate authorities stationed in the greater East Asia area, in connection with business prescribed in Paragraph 1.

Article II

The following 5 bureaus shall be created within the greater East Asia Ministry:

General Affairs Bureau

Manchurian Affairs Bureau

Chinese Affairs Bureau

Southern Area Affairs Bureau

Foreign Trade Bureau

Article V Chinese Affairs Bureau manages following affairs:-

- (1) Political affairs in connection with CHINA.
- (2) Affairs in connection with the supervision of the business of corporations established under special acts with the object of doing business in CHINA.
- (3) Affairs in connection with JAPAN's cultural enterprises in CHINA.
- (4) Other affairs in connection with CHINA.

I hereby attest the accuracy of the contents of
this document.

June 1, 1946.

Chief of the Continental Section, Economic Department,
Control Bureau, Foreign Ministry, SUZUKI, MASAKATSU.

(Signed, with seal affixed)

Extracts from the Regulations concerning the Departmental
System of the Greater East Asia Ministry, published in
the Official Gazette of Nov. 2, 1942. (Revised in July, 1944)
Article XIX In the Chinese Affairs Bureau shall be created
General Affairs Section, Administrative Section, Financial
Section, Agriculture and Forestry Section, Commerce and
Industry Section, and Transportation Section.

Article XX General Affairs Section manages the following affairs:-

- (1) Affairs in connection with the formulation of policy, and
administration
- (2) Affairs in connection with the co-ordination and adjustment
of businesses of the Sections within the Bureau.
- (3) Affairs in connection with thought, and art and science.
- (4) Affairs in connection with general Chinese and Chinese

students in JAPAN.

- (15) Affairs in connection with special property
- (16) Affairs not under the management of other Sections within the Bureau.

Article XXI Administrative Section manages ^{the} following affairs; -

- (1) Affairs in connection with shrines.
- (2) Affairs in connection with education, religion and social welfare.
- (3) Affairs in connection with public bodies
- (4) Affairs in connection with justice and police.
- (5) Affairs in connection with military service
- (6) Affairs in connection with Japanese nationals, not under the management of other Sections of the Bureau.

Article XXIII Financial Section manages the following affairs; -

- (1) Affairs in connection with banking and finance.
- (2) Affairs in connection with trade
- (3) Affairs in connection with control of Japanese enterprises, ^{in CHINA} related with banking and trade.

Article XXIV Agriculture and Forestry Section manages the following affairs; -

- (1) Affairs in connection with agriculture, forestry, marine

industry, and cattle industry.

- 12) Affairs in connection with the control of Japanese enterprises in CHINA, related with agriculture, forestry, marine industry, and cattle industry.

Article XXV Commerce and Industry Section manages the following affairs:-

- 11) Affairs in connection with commerce, industry, mining and electricity.
- 12) Affairs in connection with the control of Japanese enterprises in CHINA, related with commerce, industry, mining and electricity.

- 13) Affairs in connection with the supervision of the ^{business of} NORTH CHINA Development Co. and MIDDLE CHINA Development Co.

Article XXIV Transportation Section manages the following affairs:-

- 11) Affairs in connection with transportation, communications, and weather conditions.
- 12) Affairs in connection with the control of Japanese enterprises in CHINA, related with transportation and communications.

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SUMMARY OF RELEVANT POINTS

Details the organization and duties of the China Affairs Bureau, which was established Nov 1, 1942 as Imperial Ordinance No. 707. It was revised July 1944.

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