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HEADQUARTERS KINKI CIVIL AFFAIRS REGION AFO 25 (Osaka, Honshu)

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SUBJECT:

Fetition for Release of CHIN, EN

Provost Court Prisoner

TO:

Commanding General

I Corps

The two attached petitions were received by this headquarters 20 October 1949, and are forwarded for transmission to the appropriate command.

FOR THE CHIEF:

2 Incls: As indicated GEORGE MINARIK Captain CE Adjutant

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HEADQUARTERS WAKAYAMA CIVIL AFFAIRS TEAM APO 25

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27 September 1949

Release of Provost Court Prisoner

TO:

Chief

Kinki Civil Affairs Region

APO 25

- 1. A recent inspection of the Wakayama Women's Prison revealed that Yamaguchi Hisako, a Provost Court prisoner required medical attention which the prison is unable to provide.
- 2. The prison warden has now requested that she be temporarily released and placed in the custody of her family until her health has improved. The request and doctor's certificate confirming her condition are attached, (see Inclosures number 1 and 2).
- 3. It is believed a decision on this matter should be given by Provost Court authorities.

2 Incls. Incl. #1 - Request for release Incl. #2 - Doctor's certificate

/s/ Harold G. Doty Lt Col. Inf Chief

BASIC: Ltr, Hq Wakayama Civil Affairs Team, 014.54, subj: "Release of Provost Court Prisoner", dtd 27 Sep 49

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Hq Kinki Civil Affairs Region, AFO 25, 3 October 1949

TO: CG, 25th Infantry Division, APO 25 ATTENTION: Judge Advocate

Report on physical condition of YAMAGUCHI, Hisako, an inmate of Wakayama Women's Prison by sentence of Provost Court #2, is forwarded for your information.

FOR THE CHIEF:

2 Incls:

GEORGE MINARIK Captain Adjutant

AG 014 (I) (PC) (27 Sept 49)

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SUBJECT: Release of Provost Court Prisoner.

Headquarters 25th Infantry Division, APO 25,

TO: Commanding Officer, Kinki Civil Affairs Regiment, APO 25.

- 1. In view of the nature of the offense upon which this Japanese National was convicted, it is the view that any recommendation for clemency should show that a responsible person is ready and prepared to give the necessary medical and nursing aid as well as prevent the convicted person from engaging in further activity of a similar nature to that which brought about the conviction.
- 2. The prison authorities are responsible for determining when a prisoner committed to their custody is to be hospitalized as a temporary measure and to set such security control over the prisoner as such authorities deem appropriate.

BY COMMAND OF MAJOR GENERAL KEAN:

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/s/ L. R. Cummings WOJG USA Asst Adj Gen O.K

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Hq Kinki Civil Affairs Region, AFO 25, 11 October 1949

TO: Chief, Wakayama Civil Affairs Team, APO 25

- 1. This headquarters understands the prisoner to have been convicted for dealings in narcotics involving members of the occupation forces. Should she be released at this time there is considerable possibility that she may return to her former habitat and resume the illegal activities for which she was convicted in the past.
- any person has assumed responsibility for providing the necessary medical care. If the condition of the inmate is as stated by the doctors and the prison authorities, and some person is willing to assume the responsibility for the treatment and conduct of the prisoner, it is recommended that the patron communicate such intention and proof of ability to the Judge Advocate, 25th Infantry Division.
- 3. Request this correspondence be delivered to the Wakayama Prison authorities.

BY ORDER OF COLONEL C'MOHUNDRO:

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GEORGE MINARIK Captain CE Adjutant

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SUBJECT: Prisoners Serving Occupation Forces Court Sentence

In Japanese Institution

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DATE:

24 Sept 49

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HEADQUARTERS CIVIL AFFAIRS REGION AFO 25 (Osaka, Honshu)

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3 August 1949

Provost Court Prisoners

TO:

Commanding Officer

Kobe Base AFO 317

1. Reference is made to paragraph llc 2, Operational Directive 25, 1949, which requires a list each month of persons in Japanese penal institutions who have served at least one third of their sentence, and whose conduct merits a review of the occupation court sentence by the approving authority.

- 2. Attached hereto as inclosure #1 is the list prepared by the Wakayama Civil Affairs Team. Conversations with the JA Office, 25th Infantry Division, and the Japanese prison authorities, indicate the majority to have been sentenced by the Provost Court under your jurisdiction. This report is forwarded for your information and whatever action is deemed advisable.
- 3. The Wakayama Civil Affairs Team has been directed to include your headquarters on the distribution of future monthly reports of this type.

FOR THE COMMANDING OFFICER:

l Incl: As indicated

GEORGE MINARIK Captain Adjutant

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