## GENERAL HEADQUARTERS SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS APO 500

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MEMORANDUM FOR: JAPANESE GOVERNMENT

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SUBJECT:

Authority for the Use of Fireworks

- 1. Authority is hereby given for the manufacture and use of fireworks on any occasion deemed appropriate by the Japanese Government provided:
- a. Materials to be used are not from stock over which controls have been established by the Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers.
- b. The materials to be used do not exceed those allocated by SCAPIN 1955, 5 January 1949.
- c. This authority will not be used as a basis upon which to request the allocation of additional materials for the manufacture of fireworks.
- d. Adequate police surveillance, safety precautions, and fire prevention measures are taken and fireworks are displayed under 1,000 feet altitude.
- 2. It is directed that a report be made to the occupation authorities in the locality where a fireworks display is scheduled at least three days prior to the display giving the amount, date, time and place display is to be conducted.
- 3. This authority is not to be used as a basis for the indiscriminate use of foreworks by individuals.

FOR THE SUPREME COMLANDER:

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