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From: CINCFE Tokyo Japan

To: Dept of Army for CSCAD

Nr: C 67758

11 February 1949

Reurad W 83633. Investigation of alleged security leak has been initiated under paragraph 17, AR 380-5 JCS directives in reference radio have not been locally declassified. JCS memorandum SMT 11435 dated 15 December 1948 has not been received. Request copy soonest. It is believed that AP obtained information in connection with appeals to Supreme Court.

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To : Dept of Army for CSCAD ECON

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Reurad W 84451 dated 22 February 1949 data requested therein being transmitted via air courier ETD 26 February.

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From: AMEMBASSY Brussels Belgium sgd Kirk

To : Secretary of State

Nr : 1705

1 November 1947

REDEPTEL 1514, October 31.

Negotiations commenced October 21.

EUCOM represented by Lt. Colonels P. H. Dalmolow and L Kunzig, Messers M. A. Roth chief legal CAD and Byers, Claims EUCOM.

Following alterations Department's draft tentatively agreed upon:

One. Preamble. Delete "and Japan" replace "arising" with "which have arisen."

Two. Article one. Delete "and within Belgium" substitute "Belgium and landing rights in Belgium subject to the provisions of article two." Belgians feel terms "within Belgium" too broad and that non-commercial loading and discharge of passengers and cargo is assured by granting exclusive use of designated airfields.

Three. Article two. Replace "reason" by "reasonable limits."

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Four. Articles five and seven. Belgians accept Department's suggestions.

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Five. Article nine. Insert after first mention "forces", "except persons absent without leave who commit offenses under Belgian law".

Six. Article ten. (A), (B), and (C). Belgians accept Department's suggestions.

Seven. Article twelve. Belgians request first line to read "the competent Belgian authorities and the commander in chief." Belgians accept Department's suggestion concerning the rest of this article.

Eight. Article thirteen. Belgians have agreed to substitution extending mutual forbearance principle to claims arising out of vehicular accidents. The language of paragraph twelve of "agreement relating to settlement of compensations of various kinds by the British Army in Belgium after cessation of mutual aid" dated November 18, 1946, was adopted and reads: "in all cases of traffic accidents in Belgium or in Germany in which the vehicle (or its contents) of the respective governments is damaged or destroyed, or in which one government might otherwise assert against the other claim for death, injury or loss (as distinct from the claims of individuals), it is agreed that the respective governments will each bear their own losses where they fall and will mutually forbear from asserting any claims against the other. The above will not prevent the formulation of claims against persons for whose negligent acts the respective governments are not financially responsible. It stood that the mutual forebearance is not limited to cases of damage or injury caused by members of the United States forces

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only, but extends to all cases of damage or injury caused by personnel or employees of the respective governments." Following sentence was added thereto: "Claims of individuals, firms and corporations based on incidents occurring in Belgium or the Belgian Congo are subject to the provisions of a prior agreement."

Nine. Article fourteen. Delete period of first sentence, replace with comma and add, "including customs duties, excise taxes, and stamp taxes, but specifically excluding taxes which are included in the final purchase price of articles purchased in Belgium and which taxes have been paid prior to sale to the United States forces." This amendment made necessary by reasons of difference in definition of direct and indirect taxes in Belgium from definition used in US. For example customs duties considered an indirect tax. Under article as writen herein, United States forces exempt from paying all taxes on purchases, except various taxes previously paid by contributing manufacturers which are impossible separate from sale price.

The second sentence, article fourteen (B) changed from "property" to read "brought by them into Belgium, imported by means of army postal service or acquired by them in Belgium from United States Government agency for their personal use or consumption within reasonable limits, provided that they do not sell or dispose of such property in Belgium." Belgians did not want give customs exemption in case of goods imported by normal

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commercial means or international mail as they feared possible attempts by US personnel blackmarket. Belgians have no objection customs exemption within reasonable limits for personal property physically imported by individuals or through APO.

Ten. Article fifteen. Department's suggestions accepted article reads: "the exercise of customs control by Belgian authorities concerning members of the United States forces shall be regulated according to separate agreements which have been or in the future may be negotiated between the Belgian Ministry of Finance and the United States military authorities." Essential features customs exemption contained Article fourteen and Embassy, EUCOM and Belgians feel advisable refrain from spelling out details in this agreement and favor administrative handling details.

Eleven. Insertion re surplus planned as addition to Article seventeen still under discussion. Department's Article seventeen to be seventeen (B) and after "shall" to read " be governed according to separate agreements which have been or in the future may be negotiated between Belgian Ministry of National Defence and the US military authorities. Although no specific reference made April 2, '46 agreement it remains in force and nothing present agreement contradicts it.

Twelve. Article eighteen still under discussion.

Thirteen. Article nineteen deleted.

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Fourteen. Article twenty (B). Belgians reject first sentence Department's suggestion for signator cannot bind Belgian Government by ratified agreement. Suggest deletion first-second sentences Department-suggestion with no mention date entry into force view twenty (A). Belgians will sign under reservations parliamentary ratification and exchange notes with Embassy stating Belgian authorities being ordered act in conformity agreements provisions.

Embassy EUCOM have agreed above changes subject your approval which is immediately requested.

Sent Department as 1705, repeated USPOLAD Frankfurt for urgent delivery CAD, SS and P, Claims, P and A, JA.

End

NOTE: 1514 is CM IN 4253 (23 Oct 47) CAD

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From: AMEMBASSY Brussels Belgium sgd Millard

To: Secretary of State

Nr: 1639 22 October 1947

October 20 USPOLAD Frankfurt telephoned three military advisers arriving Brussels October 30 to commence negotiations October 31 with Belgians on Civil Affairs agreement. Dept's reaction Belgian suggestions set forth Embtel 1581, October 10 urgently requested.

End

NOTE: 1581 is CM IN 2506 (4 Oct 47) CAD
and CM IN 2873 (10 Oct 47) CAD

ACTION: CAD

INFO: AF, OUS, ID, PO, JAG, SANACC

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October 21, 1947

3 p.m.

Following is point by point reply EMBTEL 1581 Oct. 10:

1. Omit QUOTE and Japan UNQUOTE.

2. Suggest following phraseology quote in Belgian territorial waters and, subject to the provisions of Article 25, to have passage for aircraft over and within Belgium, including the right to pick up and discharge non-commercial passengers and cargo, the right to maintain UNQUOTE.

3. Agree.

4. Delete QUOTE utilities UNQUOTE, following comma, and comma after quote services UNQUOTE.

5. Agree.

6. Suggest following phraseology QUOTE United States military courts and authorities shall have exclusive jurisdiction over all offenses committed by members of the United States forces, offenses by deserters excepted, and over all persons UNQUOTE. Also delete from Article 10b fourth line quote exclusive UNQUOTE. Also delete from Article 10c second line QUOTE exclusive UNQUOTE. Also penultimate line 10c should read QUOTE that they come under the exclusive jurisdiction of United

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7. Agree but further suggest deletion of officers from text.

8. Agree.

9. Agree to substitution of Article 17 British text and to deletion entire annex on claims.

10. Article 14a suggest following phraseology QUOTE exempt from all direct Belgian taxation, national and local period UNQUOTE.

11. No objection omission references previous agreements provided provisions these agreements considered necessary to be retained are set forth in text to be negotiated between Embassy EUSOM and Belgium.

12. Agree.

13. Agree.

14. Agree to deletion Art. 19.

15. For Art. 20b suggest following phraseology QUOTE the present agreement shall come into force upon the date of signature. In the interim between the date of signature and ratification by Belgium, Belgian authorities will be instructed to act in conformity with provisions of the agreement. The present agreement shall remain in force until the 31st December 1948, and thereafter until the expiry of six months from the date

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date of any notice in writing by either High Contracting Party to the other of his intention to terminate the treaty period UNQUOTE.

War Dept. agrees above suggestions and is informing Frankfort for EUCOM of substance this teleg. Advise when negotiations commence. Repeated to Frankfort as 434.

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PER PARAS 51i and 60a (4) AR 380-5

From: Secretary of State sgd Lovett Acting

To: AMEMBASSY Brussels Belgium

No: 1514 21 October 1947

Following is point by point reply Embtel 1581 Oct. 10:

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Nr: 1514 21 October 1947

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PER PARAS 51i and 60a (4) AR 380-5

From: SCAP Tokyo Japan

To: Dept of the Army for CSCAD

Nr: C 56054 11 October 1947

Recured C 55715 of 23rd September 1947 request information when reply may be expected.

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From: AMEMBASSY Brussels Belgium sgd Kirk

To: Secretary of State

Nr: 1581 10 October 1947

Please correct Page 2, lines 10, 11 and 12 to read as follows:

10. Article XIV exemptions indirect taxes technically impossible due complexity Belgian tax structure particularly transmission tax which impossible calculate in price of finished product.

11. Articles XV and XVII Belgians desire omit reference to previous agreements negotiated on administrative level for present treaty must obtain parliamentary ratification and if administrative agreements mentioned therein latter could not be modified or amended except with parliamentary approval.

12. Belgians desire insertion between articles XVI and XVII of article similar article XII British agreement.

End

NOTE: Supplementary copy of CM IN 2506 (14 Oct) CAD

ACTION: CAD

INFORMATION: AF, OUS, ID, PO, OSAF, JAG, SANACC

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From: AMEMBASSY Brussels Belgium sgd Kirk

To: Secretary of State

Nr: 1583 10 October 1947

Correct page 1 line 14 to read:

5. Article VII insert "collective" before "conventions".

Correct page 2 lines 1, 2 and 3 to read:

8. Article XII Belgians desire after "steps" insertion "within provisions of Belgian and US laws respectively" because Belgians cannot oblige Belgians testify in court.

End

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INFO: AF, OSAF, OUS, ID, PO, JAG, SANACC

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From: SCAP Tokyo Japan

To: Dept of Army (CSCAD PG)

Nr: C-55715

26 September 1947

1. Trust fund receipt account, "deposits, proceeds of remittances to and exports from occupied areas", symbol 218905.1 Japan, is subject.

2. Reurad W 97888, 20th August 46, and ourad C-64487, 22nd August 46, information requested as follows:

A. Have parcel post terminal credits due Japan from US Post Office Department for 3rd and 4th quarters calendar year 1946 and 1st quarter 1947 been credited to account? If not, request full information and approximate date amounts will be credited.

B. What parcel post terminal credits due Japan from other countries have been deposited?

C. Statement as to totals of debits, credits and balance of last audit re Japan international postal service.

NOTE: 64487 is CM IN 5514 (24 Aug 47) CAD

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ACTION: CAD

INFO: OUS, CAD (State), PO, SWNCC (30 Sept 47)
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From: SCAP Tokyo Japan

To: Dept of the Army

Nr: C-55738

26 September 1947

Recurad C-69253, 18 January 47. In view of the probable duration of reparations and restitution activities, dependents of members of reparations and restitution delegations are authorized to enter Japan in accordance with existing policies. In view of critical shortage of logistic facilities and temporary nature of duties dependents of technical aides and clerical assistants of reparations and restitution, delegations are not authorized enter. Chairmen of reparations and restitution delegations and missions in Tokyo have been advised.

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NOTE: C-69253 is CM IN 3583 (19 Jan 47) CAD

ACTION: CAD

INFO: AF, Adm Leahy, OUS, CAD (State), JCS, ID, Adm Nimitz, PO, SSP, SWNCC, CSA

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From: COMGENUSAFE Wiesbaden Germany cite EAFED

To: COMGENAIR

Info: CINCEUCOM

Nr: UAX 6055 25 September 1947

Discrepancy in total military assistance requirements is subject. WARX 84105 dated 13th August 1947 shows a total of 493 aircraft (including Swiss requirement). WAR 86866 dated 23rd September 1947 shows a total of 453. If the total of 453 is a reputed military assistance requirement request this headquarters be advised of new breakdown by aircraft type and country to which committed. For your information 50 P-51 aircraft have been delivered to Italy.

End

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ACTION: Gen Spaatz

INFO: Gen Norstad, Gen Lutes, Col Fields swncc

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From: CINCFE Tokyo Japan

To: War (WDSCA Econ)

Nr: 55635 22 September 1947

Reurad W 86537. All three questions are unequivocably and categorically answered no.

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ACTION: CAD

INFO: AF, Adm Leahy, OUS, CAD (State), JCS, ID, Adm Nimitz, P&O, SSP, SWNCC, CSA

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From: SCAP Tokyo Japan

To: WARTAG

Nr: Z 22238

19 September 1947

Civil Property Custodian Section , Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers, requests six copies each of State War and Navy Coordinating Committee Directives 255/5 and 369. Air shipment requested.

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Teletype copy previously furnished.

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Effective 180401Z September 47 the former War Department Administrative Area known as the War Department groups is redesignated Department of The Army Administrative Area. The Joint Chiefs of Staff Group redesignated Joint Chiefs of Staff Activities, Secretary of War Group redesignated Secretary of The Army Activities, Chief of Staff Group redesignated Army Chief of Staff Activities, Miscellaneous War Department Group redesignated Miscellaneous Department of the Army Activities and Civilian Agencies Group redesignated Civilian Agencies Activities. WD memo 3-15-1 dtd 14 February 47 will be amended accordingly.

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From: GHQ SCAP Tokyo Japan

To: War

Nr: C 55464 13 September 1947

Reur W 85920 dated 10 September 1947.

See no objection on declassification of JCS 1380/15 if considered necessary in connection with FEC activities.

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ACTION: JCS

INFO: AAF, Adm Leahy, USW, CAD, ID, Adm Nimitz, P&O, SWNCC, CSA

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From: SCAP Tokyo Japan

To: War (WDSCA Econ)

Nr: C 55067 25 August 1947

Reurad WAR 84242, comments re SWNCC 302/6 being dispatched via airmail this date. Comments re SWNCC 302/7 will be submitted earliest.

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ACTION: CAD

INFO: AAF, Adm Leahy, ASW, JCS, ID, Adm Nimitz, P&O, SSP, SWNCC, CSA

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From: OMGUS Berlin Germany sgd Keating

To: AGWAR for WDSCA ECON for Draper

Info: EUCOM; JEXIM

Nr: V 21645 15 August 1947

Recurad V 20671.

Please expedite reply soonest possible. Also inquire whether State has communicated with US Foreign Missions (France, Switzerland, Sweden, Belgium, Netherlands) regarding plan. Urgent that JEIA begin exploratory discussions and that proposal not delayed by inclusion of Consular and Military permit functions.

End

NOTE: V 20671 is MC IN 57951 (19 Jul) CAD

ACTION: CAD

INFORMATION: CAD (State), P&O, SWNCC

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From: SCAP Tokyo Japan

To: WARTAG

Nr: C 54795

14 August 1947

Reurad WAR 83972, 12th ugust 1947. Several points in urad WAR 82673 require clarification before recommendation can be made. Telecon being arranged.

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ACTION: CAD

INFO : AAF, Adm Leahy, ASW, CAD(State), JCS, ID, ADm Nimitz
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From: OMGUS Berlin Germany sgd Keating

To: AGWAR for WDSCA

Nr: CC 1117

4 August 1947

Subject is: Currencies and Securities.

1. This is reply to your WX 80192 and WX 99919. Para 8A (2) below is reply your WX 80565. Para 7A (1) is reply your WX 80616. Para 7C is reply to your WX 80647. Refer also your WX 88566, WX 90078, WX 95805, WX 97097, WX 96654, WX 85682, WX 80647, our CC 9764, CC 7048, CC 7239, CC 7492, CC 8354, CC 9390, CC 7553, CC 8394, CC 8781, CC 9607, CC 8421, CC 9926, State's telegram of 6 March 7 p.m. and 9 July to Moscow and Moscow's telegram 19 April 10 p.m. to State, all repeated * to situation as it has developed here can be understood only in sharp distinction drawn between following aspects of problem, which have formed framework of our discussions with other elements here:

A. Restitution lotted securities.

B. Disposition foreign securities of bona fide German ownership.

C. Disposition foreign currencies.

Programs under each of these has s will present unique administrative problems, and to a large extent each has been separately considered in our quadripartite discussions.

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3. In ourads CC 7048, CC 7239, CC 7492, we endeavored to draw these distinctions and to point out that with respect to point B above, disposition of foreign securities of bona fide German ownership, and point C, above disposition of foreign currencies, coordinating committee was unable to reach agreement and had decided to notify governments of respective points of view. Thus, the only aspect of currency- security problem which remained under quadripartite discussion here was restitution looted securities.

4. We judged from State telegram of 6 March 7 p.m. to Moscow repeated to USPOLAD that position understood in Washington and that discussion of the question on which we had been unable to reach agreement (I.E. Foreign currencies and German-owned foreign securities) were contemplated at government level. This was confirmed, with respect to securities at least, by your WX 95805, WX 97097 which advised us "In view of discussions now taking place in Moscow", to take no further action on certain special problems in connection with German-owned foreign securities which we had reported to you.

5. However, we have now received urad WX 99919, Moscow's telegram of 19 April 10 p.m. and State telegram of 9 July to Moscow from which we infer that projected tripartite approach to Soviets was intended primarily to cover restitution aspects of the problem and that project was abandoned when it was recalled that restitution of securities remained under discussion in finance directorate, ACA. We fear

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that the facts of the situation have somehow become obscured and that we have been operating at cross-purposes. We had hoped that it was perfectly clear all along that restitution of securities was the one aspect of the problem which remained under discussion here and that we at least had made recommendation for diplomatic negotiations concerning it.

6. The quadripartite position here remains substantially unchanged. The question of (1) foreign currencies and (2) German-owned foreign securities are no longer on our order of business. Discussions concerning restitution of looted securities continue. Slightly modified United States proposal was recently referred to coordinating committee by finance Directorate with 3-1 division of opinion, Soviets dissenting. (See ourads CC 8354 and CC 9390). Coordinating Committee at meeting 24 July referred paper to reparations, deliveries and restitution directorate. We do not know how long these discussions will last. We are not optimistic about obtaining Soviet approval.

7. The following will perhaps further clarify the present position and provide a basis for settling these problems.

A. Restitution of looted securities.

(1) We propose to proceed as soon as practicable to make use of authorization given

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us in WX 96654 to restitute identifiable lots of looted securities. There has been quadripartite agreement that "Securities are included in the term property subject to restitution". Understand British have restituted 1 lot Dutch Treuhand securities to Dutch and Soviets have restituted certain looted securities of German issue to French. We shall begin in the United States zone by processing Dutch Treuhand claim and continue with other claims as submitted. This is reply to your WX 80616.

(2) We have considered possibility of acting unilaterally or inviting British and French to join us in working out program along lines your W 88566 if Soviet agreement cannot be obtained. However, we cannot overlook the fact that according to our information the Soviets control a far greater number of securities than we or the British or the French. A group of experts without the Soviets could solve only a fraction of the problem and would probably give rise to conflicting procedures in the east and west of Germany which would make a total solution more difficult in the long run. In our view, the essential points of W 88566 are that securities removed during the period of German occupation should be presumed to be looted and that unidentifiable looted securities

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should be pooled and allocated among claimant nations. Remaining points would appear to be procedural and of such a nature that they might be substantially modified if agreement on principle can be obtained. We propose to explore possibilities of this approach in discussions in RD and R directorate and will inform you of any new developments before binding decisions are taken. If and when it is established that Soviet cooperation cannot be obtained, we propose to join the British and also the French if possible in the broadest program that can be worked out. In the meantime, we are proceeding in the United States zone with inventory along lines required by SWNCC directive.

B. Foreign securities of bona fide German ownership.

(1) We are desirous of disposing of German-owned foreign securities as soon as practicable and assume that when we do so it will be based on basis that these securities represent external assets. However, in most cases the German ownership of a security cannot be definitely established until all governments of countries formerly occupied by Germany have had opportunity to submit claims for looted

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securities. There will of course be exceptions. For example, we are reasonably satisfied that securities in our zone requested by Swedish Government (refer our CC 7553, your WX 99919), were German-owned and therefore eligible for transfer to Sweden for disposition as external assets. We are now preparing to forward Stockholm selected photostats of these securities, which we are advised will be adequate for present purposes. However, blanket request by Inter Allied Reparations Agency for transfer to member governments of securities issued in their territories and now held in Germany (reourad CC 8394) raises strong objection that many of these securities may be subject to restitution. In our opinion, the problem of disposing of German-owned securities cannot be fully dealt with until the time table for restitution of looted securities is known and a date established after which further claims for restitution of securities will not be accepted.

(2) As noted in Para 8B below, there is a possible legal impediment to disposition as external assets of certain German-owned foreign securities, notably those issued by United States, United Kingdom, France and USSR.

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C. Foreign currencies uncovered in Germany. (This para is reply to your WX 80647)

(1) As authorized your WX 80647, we are now planning implementation WX 90078 with respect to currencies concerning which there is no specific evidence as to country from which removed. Currencies Hungary, Bulgaria, Rumania, and Finland will be excluded. In accordance Para 8B below, we shall also exclude certain currencies depositied under Military Government Law 53 but not subject to vesting provisions of Control Council Law 53 but not subject to vesting provisions of Control Council Law Number 5.

(2) We expect to dispose first of currencies held at foreign exchange depository and later to marshall for similar disposition bulk of currencies deposited under Law 53. Currencies deliverable to IGCR under WX 85682 are being put aside in accordance your WX 96654 and requested information re amounts and types has been forwarded to you. See our CC 9926.

(3) Apart from leis, dinars and other currencies believed removed from Hungary (reourad CC 8781), there are under our control no lots of currencies concerning which evidence is presently available as to country from which removed.

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8. In determining final disposition currencies and securities, the following should also be taken into account:

A. Some securities and currencies have been depositied under Military Government Law 53 by or in the name of non-Germans. These are reflected in MGAX (2) declarations and are under our control. We understand British are releasing such items in their zone to owners outside German. We are studying possibility of doing the same in our zone by appropriate individual licenses under Military Government Law 53. We are inclined toward the tentative view that if this policy is adopted, releases should take place under individual licensing arrangements which would permit non-German owners to communicate directly and arrange final details for shipment with German banks when postal facilities exist for handling registered international parcels. We emphasize that these are preliminary observations and that we are not yet prepared to state a final view.

(1) It will be recognized that this problem is similar to that which arises when a non-German beneficial owner applies for release of blocked securities held by (for example) a New York Bank for the account of a German Bank. Your letter dated 27 May AGAO-C 386.7 (23 May 1947 WDSCA, subject: Restitution certain assets to German refugees gave US Treasury's

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views on this question, and we have replied in letter same subject AG 386.7 (FD) 23 June 1947) recommending that such assets be released under an agreed procedure. If blocked securities owned by non-Germans are to be so released in the United States the question arises whether we should continue to block such assets in Germany when the owner is not now a resident of Germany. If the owner is resident of Germany, we strongly feel that control should continue for the time being.

(2) Reurad WX 80565, we therefore recommend that Swiss request be denied, since it deals exclusively with assets belonging to Swiss nationals resident in Germany, and we assume that in most cases this means permanent residents of Germany. We do not know what policy considerations will control ultimate disposition of foreign exchange assets belonging to such persons, but for the time being we are opposed to their release. While Germany's foreign exchange assets as of V-E Day are being seized and while proceeds of current exports are kept under our control in our hand, we see no justification whatever in allowing non-Germans who operate in the German economy as permanent residents of Germany to hold and dispose of their foreign exchange assets and thus to entrench themselves with special benefits and priveleges to which

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no one else in this economy is entitled. In our view this is not the way to promote healthy conditions of self-recovery among Germans and all such pressures from the Swiss and others should be resisted.

B. Certain securities and currencies deposited under Law 53 cannot, in our opinion, be disposed of according to present directives, since the owners have not been divested of title. In our CC 9607 some aspects of this problem were discussed. As we see it, the question of title is important in disposing of all foreign securities and currencies uncovered in Germany except those identified as loot or presumed to have been looted. According to our understanding of United States policy, non-looted foreign securities and currencies found in United States zone Germany are to be disposed of on the assumption that they represent rights, titles or interests in German external assets. If this is so, the problem of title in German Law would appear to have solved by the vesting provisions of Control Council Law Number 5 with these exceptions:

(1) German non-looted assets within jurisdiction of United States, United Kingdom, and France and USSR, which are exempt under Art IX of Law 5. This would prevent disposition of all non-looted securities issued by these countries and found in Germany at least until such

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time as German owners who delivered these assets under Military Government Law 53 have been divested of title. It would also prevent return of United States and United Kingdom currencies (external assets). It would not prevent return of French and Russian currencies (presumed to have been looted).

(2) Assets delivered under Law 53 by non-Germans. As noted above, we are opposed to release these assets to owners inside Germany, but are willing to study possibility of release to owners outside Germany.

(3) Assets delivered under Law 53 by "Non Law 5 Germans". We presume it is desired that a way be found to effect legal disposition of these items as external assets. Of course the relative value of such assets is probably small.

9. We appreciate the growing urgency of above problems, particularly in view of the increasing trend towards cancellation of securities in various countries noted your WX 80616. As early as March in our CC 8421 we called attention to these cancellation laws and requested your views. Your WX 97097 advised us not to take an active interest in the matter here since the foreign security problem in all its aspects had been referred to Moscow for tripartite demarche

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to Soviets. Inasmuch as diplomatic conversations have been called off, we would appreciate your early comments.

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CC 7048 is CM IN 3528 (21 Nov 46) CAD
CC 7239 is CM IN 860 (6 Dec 46) CAD
CC 7492 is CM IN 4093 (27 Dec 46) CAD
CC 8354 is CM IN 2246 (13 Mar 46) JCS
CC 9390 is CM IN 187 (3 June 47) CAD
CC 7553 is CM IN 508 (4 Jan 47) CAD
CC 8394 is CM IN 2938 (16 Mar 47) CAD
CC 8781 is CM IN 2107 (12 Apr 47) CAD
CC 9607 is CM IN 3578 (16 Jul 47) JCS
CC 8421 is CM IN 3030 (18 Mar 47) CAD
CC 9926 is CM IN 3058 (18 Jul 47) CAD

ACTION: CAD

INFO: ASW, CAD (State), JCS, ID, P&O, SSP, SWNCC

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From: OMGUS Berlin Germany sgd Keating

To: AGWAR for WDSCA

Nr: CC 1117 4 August 1947

Please correct Page 1, Line 9 to read as follows:

all repeated to USPOLAD.

2. In view of complexity securities and currency problem, we feel situation as it has developed here can be understood only in sharp distinction drawn between following aspects of problem,

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From: OMGUS Berlin, Germany sgd Keating

To: AGWAR for WDSCA ECON

Info: EUCOM; CAD EUCOM for Adcock; JEXIM Minden

Nr: V-21206 4 August 1947

Reference your cable WCL 36767 dated 24 July 1947.

Establishment Joint Export Import Offices outside Germany not necessary if plans discussed in your cables WCL 27005 dated June 1947 and WX 81360 dated 4 July 1947 and our cables CC 9479 dated 10 June 1947 and V 20671 dated 19 July 1947 are completed. After appointment, commercial firms or agencies in other countries will provide office space to visiting Joint Export Import Agency Representatives and also can obtain any required legal or commercial advice.

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V 20671 is MC-IN 57951 (19 July) CAD

ACTION: CAD

INFO: ASW, CAD (State), P&O, SWNCC

MC-IN 51435 (5 Aug 47) DTG 041539Z svc

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From: OMGUS Berlin Germany sgd Keating

To: CINCFE for MacArthur

Info: AGWAR for JCS

Nr: CC 1091 31 July 1947

Please note insertion of paraphrase note.

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NOTE: Supplementary copy of CM IN 23 (1 Aug 47) CAD

ACTION: CAD

INFO: AAF, Adm Leahy, ASW, JCS, ID, Adm Nimitz, P&O, SSP, SWNCC, CSA

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From: OMGUS Berlin, Germany sgd Keating

To: CINCFE for MacArthur

Info: AGWAR for JCS

Nr: CC 1091 31 July 1947

Subject is repatriation of non-obnoxious Germans ex-Japan on USAT General Black. Reurad CX 54377, 28 July 47.

1. Subsequent to dispatch ourad CC 9878, 14 July, British and French zones have agreed to receive those non-obnoxious Germans in Japan formerly domiciled those zones. Since the other zone concerned has agreed in principle, we are prepared for you to include in shipment on USAT General Black the 485 non-obnoxious German refugees ex-Japan, whose former domiciles are in the occupied zones of Germany; VIZ, 135 U.S., 267 British, 38 Soviet, 19 French, 26 Berlin.

2. Request that non-obnoxious and obnoxious refugees prior to arrival be segregated, and further, that separate nominal rolls be made up, consisting of residents for each zone to facilitate transfer from Bremerhaven.

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NOTE: CX 54377 is CM-IN 4597 (28 July) CAD
CC 9878 is CM-IN 2336 (15 July) CAD

ACTION: CAD
INFO: AAF, Adm Leahy, ASW, JCS, ID, Adm Nimitz, P&O, SSP, SWNCC, CSA

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From: CINCFE Tokyo Japan, sgd MacArthur

To : OMGUS; WAR (JCS)

No : CX 54377 28 July 1947

Reurads May WARX 99179, June WARX 80502, and ourad June CX 53302.

It is urgently requested that action be taken to effect reconsideration of the decision concerning the repatriation of non-objectionable Germans from Japan into zones not controlled by the United States.

Critical economic conditions in Europe are well known; however conditions in Japan are believed to be no less critical.

It is not because of these economic conditions however that repatriation of the 350 women and children from Japan is desired. I believe that there are overriding humanitarian considerations, the most cogent of which is the fact that most of these refugees have husbands or families already in Germany awaiting their arrival. Most of these refugee women and children are from the Netherlands East Indies, they are completely destitute here, have little knowledge of either the Japanese or English language and are unable to support themselves in a war ravaged economy. Inasmuch as funds are not available to finance another repatriation vessel in the fiscal year 48, the present decision forces these refugees to remain here destitute and separated from their families for at least 1 more year, thus continuing imposition of unjust hardships on innocent women and children. Difficulties

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From: CINCFE Tokyo Japan, sgd MacArthur

Nr : CX 54377 28 July 1947

in connection with this additional repatriation are understood. However in other fields greater difficulties have been surmounted in order to carry out the American policy of affording just and humane treatment to individuals or groups, as evidence of our adherence to the principles for which the war was fought. Failure in this case will be particularly evident when it comes to public attention that space is available on the USAT General Black to transport this group of indigents to their home land where most of them will be rejoined with their husbands or other members of their families. In order to avoid what must inevitably be adverse publicity, I urge that reconsideration be effected on the highest level, and that if no other solution is possible, these refugees be accepted in the United States Zone of Germany until arrangements can be made for their return to their homes.

Information requested by your CC 9878 will be forwarded air mail prior to the arrival of the General Black in Bremerhaven. End

NOTE: CX 53302 is CM IN 1955 (13 Jun) CAD
CC 9878 is CM IN 2336 (15 Jul) CAD

ACTION: CAD

INFO:: AAF, Adm Leahy, ASW, JCS, ID, Adm Nimitz, P&O, SSP, SW NCC, CSA

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NAVY COORDINATOR

From: OMGUS Berlin Germany sgd Keating

To: AGWAR for WDSCA ECON

Info: EUCOM

Nr: V 20671

19 July 1947

Reurad WCL 27005 and WX 81360 and ourad CC 9479.

JEIA views still as expressed in CC 9479 except JEIA desires removal of UK name from list of countries submitted in para 4.

Comments not yet received from British Foreign Office.

In principle we agree to plan proposed by State and outlined in paragraphs 7, 8 and 9 of WX 81360. Addition of consular and military permit functions however creates administrative problem since POLAD and CTB are also responsible and prompt coordinated action of all 3 agencies would be required under your plan. We will explore possible solutions this problem.

French participation mentioned in para 10 not considered feasible for the present.

Will press British earliest for consideration by Foreign Office of whole problem of foreign representation for JEIA. Suggest State instruct soonest US Foreign Missions listed in CC 9479 Parzsal Sot* that exploratory discussions taken with JEIA. Assume US Missions will consult with foreign governments to determine views on proposed representatives.

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From: OMGUS Berlin Germany sgd Keating

Nr: V 20671 19 July 1947

If early agreement cannot be reached with British Government on complete representation as proposed in WX 81360, feel this should not impede steps to establish foreign commercial representation for JEIA.

End

(*) As received.

NOTE: CC 9479 is CM IN 1635 (11 Jun) CAD

ACTION: CAD

INFO: CAD (State), P&O, SWNCC

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From: SCAP Tokyo Japan

To: WDSCA ECON

Nr: C 53959 11 July 1947

Reurad W 81110, 28 June 1947, and WDTT 8262, WD 9, FEC 14, WD 17, 25 June 1947.

Classification of property known as "looted but not identified as to country or origin or ownership" arose on receipt of reports from Japanese Government wherein the latter admitted subject property was looted but had no record of original source.

Analysis of above will be forwarded by mail approximately 2 weeks as the report is not feasible of radio transmission due to the voluminous and complicated details.

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From: COMGENUSFA Vienna Austria sgd Keyes cite PAACA/V

To: War for WDSCA; CINCFE (War pls pass); Nanking (War pls pass)

Info: EUCOM; OMGUS

Nr: P 7459 26 June 1947

Reference June WX 80502, subject repatriation Austrian in Japan and China. For reply to part three urad see ourad P 7410, 18 June (not to all) Austrian Government willing to repatriate citizens but due to food and housing shortages in Austria recommend transfer of only those who request repatriation at this time.

For WAR only:
Request relay ourad P 7410 18 June to Commander in Chief Far East and Nanking.

End.

NOTE: This message (P-7459) and P-7410 has JUN 30 1947 relayed to CINCFE and Nanking.

NOTE: P 7410 is CM-IN 2971 (19 Jun) CAD

ACTION: CAD

INFO: AAF, Adm Leahy, ~~ASW~~, CAD (State), JCS, ID, P&O, SSP, Adm Nimitz, TC, SWNCC

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From: Chief Army Advisory Group Nanking China

To: War

Info: CINCFE

Nr: CYF 555 25 June 1947

Reurad WARX 80502, part 2, which indicates report is to be made by Nanking per request in paragraph 7 C WARX 99179. Our radio CYF 505 advised Consulate General was communicating with State regarding non-obnoxious Germans; Embassy advises there is no present program for their repatriation. Reference part 4, WARX 80502, Consulate Shanghai advises through Embassy that UNRRA records Shanghai indicate approximately 400 displaced persons desiring return to Austria; breakdown as to zones former domicile unavailable. Recommend matter be coordinated with State, Washington which has ~~SWNCC SECRETARIAT~~ from Consulate on subject.

End

Note: CYF 505 is CM-IN 950 (7 Jun) CAD

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ACTION : CAD

INFO : AAF, Adm Leahy, ASW, CAD (State), JCS, ID, Adm Nimitz, P&O, SSP, SWNCC, TC, BUD, CSA

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From: Hq EUCOM Frankfurt Germany sgd Huebner cite SEGEC

To: AGWAR for WDSCA

Info: CINCEUR; OMGUS; USFA

Nr: SX 5868

25 June 1947

Reference urads WX 94218 of 18th March 47, WX 86523 of 27th November 46, and ourads SX 2611 of 24th February 47, SC 14998 of 13th February 47, SC 14551 of 10th February 47. Subject is resettlement of displaced persons in France.

1. Deputy Director of IGCR operations for Germany and Austria has presented to this Headquarters agreement concluded 10th June 47 between IGCR and French Government for employment and permanent resettlement in France of displaced persons located in US Zones Germany and Austria.

2. Form of agreement follows generally IGCR/Belgian agreement (see our SC 14998 of 13th February 47), but offers, in addition to mining, opportunities for industrial, agricultural and domestic employment without restriction as to categories and numbers involved. It involves no substantial additional military responsibilities.

3. French authorities have indicated that up to 50,000 worker-immigrants are desired within the next 3 or 4 months, to be joined by family members after period of 60 days for miners and 90 days for other workers. Agreement is not associated with previous French proposal for recruitment of German labor.

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4. Agreement becomes effective upon notification to French Government by American Embassy Paris that this Headquarters advise to fulfill military responsibilities involved therein. Embassy is being advised, through IGCR, that agreement is acceptable to this Headquarters and can be implemented immediately, but that following 3 points should be brought to attention of French Government:

A. It is understanding of this Headquarters that agreement will apply only to displaced persons and refugees as defined in IRO Constitution.

B. In implementing agreement, this Headquarters will delegate to IRO some functions and material obligations which are involved, according to IRO/CINCEUR agreement.

C. Since this Headquarters is aware of reluctance by displaced persons to accept employment and resettlement in France unless definite assurance is given that they will not be subject to involuntary repatriation or removal from France, it is considered desirable that French Government make a positive announcement to this effect in order to insure success of program.

5. IGCR has been advised to discuss with USFA similar project for displaced persons in US Zone Austria.

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6. Understand text of agreement was forwarded from Embassy Paris to State Department by air mail 11th June 47.

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SX 2611 is CM IN 4288 (25 Feb) CAD
SC 14551 is MC IN 53640 (11 Feb) CAD
SC 14998 is MC IN 55070 (14 Feb) CAD

ACTION: CAD

INFO : ASW, CAD(State), ID, P&O, SSP, TC, SWNCC

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From: SCAP Tokyo Japan

To: WARTAG for Civil Affairs Division

Nr: C 53539

Retrad WAR 99668.

Part 1. Data re SS "Conte Verde" still obtain. Estimated cost reflost vessel and repair sufficiently to permit sailing under own power at least 50,000,000 yen, time required approximately 17 months; for overseas 215,000,000 yen, time required 5 months.

2. SS "Miramar" seized by the Japanese on 30 December 1941 at Saigon, Indo-China, used by Japanese Navy until December 1942. By agreement between the Swedish Legation in Japan and the Japanese Government a charter party was signed on 9 December 1942 and remained in effect until the end of hostilities. No known material damage since acquisition. Present condition operable.

3. No other salvageable or now operated non-Allied vessels have been located in Japan. There are 2 Portuguese vessels, 1 the SS "Pluto" aground in Moppu, Korea, the second, SS"Wing Wo", has not yet been located.

Part 2.

4.and 5: Concur in return of vessels co-belligerent and neutral; however recommend that costs

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From: SCAP Tokyo, Japan

Nr: C 53539 22 June 1947

refloating and repairs to vessels as well as costs of movement of the vessels for delivery should be borne by the claimant country or at owners expense. Several items of materials which will be required for repairing the vessel for oversea tow or for operation under own power must be obtained from US sources. Further, recommend that claimant nation agree to reimburse SCAP in dollars for the cost of all dollar procured materials which are employed or consumed in refloating, repair, and delivery.

End

ACTION: CAD

INFO : AAF, Adm Leahy, ASW, CAD(State), JCS, ID, Navy, P&O, SSP, SWNCC, TC

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From: SCAP Tokyo, Japan

To: WARTAG for Civil Affairs Div

Nr: C 53360 14 June 1947

Reurad W 99510, 6th June 47. Subject is treatment of certain public and private property including that of ultra-nationalistic and terroristic societies. This radio in 2 parts.

Part 1. Information and reports requested Part 1 urad being prepared in detail and will be forwarded on or about 15th July 1947.

Part 2. Information requested in Part 2 urad being compiled and will be consolidated with above reports. Material will probably be forwarded via air mail due to bulk.

End

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ACTION : CAD

INFO : AAF, Adm Leahy, ASW, CAD (State), ~~SWNCC, SSP, TAG~~, Adm Nimitz, P&O, SSP, SWNCC, CSA

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From: SCAP Tokyo Japan

To: WDSCA ES

Nr: C 53027

31 May 1947

Reurads WAR 97693, 9th May 1947 and WAR 97959, 14th May 1947.

Concur in part 2 State Department draft of tentative SWNCC revision of WCL 30315 as forwarded in your WAR 97693. In connection with the execution of paragraph 4 of the reference SWNCC paper, it is pointed out that considerable materials, which Japan is using in the repair and fitting of ships, are being furnished from basic ingredients imported from the United States under the overall GARIOA program. In addition to this the United States is making direct outlays for such services as marine surveyor, fuel oil and lubricants required in redelivery.

This matter is presently under study with a view to determining methods to be used in arriving at dollar value of these expenditures. Views and recommendations will be the subject of a separate radio in the near future. In order to expedite restitution of ships the above observation should not operate to delay action on the SWNCC revision of WCL 30315 since it may be appropriately treated in a separate paper.

End

ACTION: CAD

INFO: AAF, Adm Leahy, ASW, CAD (State), JCS, ID, Adm Nimitz, P&O, SSP, SWNCC, CSA

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From: SCAP Tokyo Japan

To: War Department WDSCA ES

Nr: C 52851 23 May 1947

Reurad W 97960, 14th May 1947. Netherlands vessel SS Reael is being refitted to the satisfaction of the Netherlands mission in Japan. Certain articles which are considered as luxury items used on passenger ships in peace time are not available in Japan, but Netherlands mission has stated that it is satisfied to have these omitted from the ships inventory as part of the refitting, preparatory to restitution.

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INFO : AAF, Adm Leahy, ASW, CAD(State), JCS, Navy, ID P&O, SSP, TC, SWNCC, CSA

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From: GHQ SCAP Tokyo Japan

To: War Department for WDSCA

Nr: C 52535

10 May 1947

Reurad W95917, 11th April 47, SWNCC 357, copy 51, 24th March 47 and ourad C52061, 23rd April 47. This radio in 10 parts.

Part 1. Interim restitution program has been in operation for past 6 months pursuant to JCS 1380/15, ourad C61641, 3rd June 46; and urad W98279, 25th August 46, and W94628, dated 23rd March 47. Results of program to date are satisfactory in every way. Further, it has been proposed to extend restitution program to include restitution to authorized agents in Japan of United Nations Nationals outside of Japan. See ourad Z41294, 3rd April 47.

Recommend no change be made prior to peace treaty or time when interested United Nations Nationals are allowed free entry to Japan.

Establishment of claims tribunal at this time impracticable and undesirable. Existing economic situation is such as to make desirable deferment of final settlement of money claims until peace treaty is signed or until Japan is opened to private trade. However subject of SWNCC 357 merits consideration with view to adoption at later date. Comments and recommendations on proposed paper are stated herein.

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Part 2. The figures presented in Appendix A of SWNCC 357 were submitted by SCAP in October 1946 based on information obtained in the fall of 1945 when main source of information was restricted to the Japanese Government. Present data on allied property values at outbreak of war and on properties destroyed indicate that original Japanese reports were extremely incomplete and inaccurate. For instance, present yen balances blocked in name of United Nations Nationals total 435 million as compared with appendix A figure of 362 million. Further, analyses of reports and field investigations now indicate that figure of 4.8 million yen for real property and movables damaged and lost is far too conservative. It is estimated that at least 50% of allied owned real property require major repairs or complete reconstruction. Cost of such repairs and reconstruction, if materials were available, would be many times the yen value of such property at outbreak of war. Movables, including merchandise, cargoes, plant equipment and personal effects are estimated to be 90% lost. These altered figures and facts all tend to weaken the arguments for immediate settlement of claims in yen, in kind or by rehabilitation.

Part 3. Appendix B to SWNCC 357. The arguments set forth in appendix B follow SCAP principles and it is fully agreed that compensation for property losses in Japan should be separate and apart from the reparations claims of each United Nations Government. It is not agree, however, that these settlements of claims can be made either now or within the next two year period without causing serious injury to Japanese economy.

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The present depressed condition of Japans entire economy makes deferment of claims settlement on proposed basis most desirable. All Japanese financial institutions presently involved in general reorganization which will result in wholesale scaling down of resources. Corporate reorganization program will cause heavy loss and drastic downward readjustment for both large and small industry, for which foreign trade cannot be expected to compensate in the near future. Government fiscal difficulties, short revenues with mounting costs further indicate increasing inability to meet burden that would be imposed under proposed plan. In view of circumstances, deferment of execution of proposed plan is considered advisable.

Part 4. Principles of restoration (Para 5). Restitution of property available for return to the owner is a prerequisite to filing a claim for compensation for loss or damage. Restitution program should continue independent of claims for compensation under SCAP and successor authority after the treaty of peace is signed. It is recommended that all reference to principles of restoration (restitution)be omitted from the proposed paper to FEC with the exception of statement to the effect that "restitution program covering property falling in the categories outlined in para 4 of this paper is progressing satisfactorily under the policy adopted by FEC on 6th March 47 (FEC 011/28)".

Part 5. Claims tribunal (para 6 and appendiz "C"). Establishment of A claims tribunal in the near future is premature in that the settlement of claims for compensation under principles of compensation as proposed by SWNCC 357 or in accordance with recommendations contained herein must await:

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A. Relaxation of restrictions upon foreign trade;
B. Relaxation of regulations regarding entry of individuals into Japan;
C. Availability of materials to rehabilitate properties;
D. Stabilization of economy of Japan;
E. Determination of effect the settlement of claims will have upon Japanese economy.

It is recommended that para 6 of the conclusions of the proposed paper be amended to include the following wording: "A United Nations Claims Tribunal shall be established at the time of the signing of the treaty of peace with Japan or at such time as unrestricted foreign trade for Japan is reestablished".

It is further recommended:
A. That "SCAP or successor authority" be inserted in the entire paper in each instance that the "Supreme Commander" or "SCAP" are mentioned;
B. That para 7 be amended to include the following wording: "The decision of the tribunal on any claim shall be subject to review by SCAP or successor authority and shall be transmitted to the government which submitted the claim and to the Japanese Government through SCAP or successor authority";
C. That para 8 be amended to include the following wording: "The Japanese Government shall be responsible to SCAP or successor authority for the execution of rulings or judgments of the tribunal".

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Part 6. Procedure for filing claims for compensation (para 7). The procedure for filing and processing claims should closely parallel the procedure now in practice for effecting restitution and the claims tribunal should not be concerned with this administrative matter. It is recommended that para 7 of the proposed paper be amended as follows:

A. "Except as otherwise provided by the Supreme Commander or successor authority, claims for rehabilitation of and compensation for property shall be presented, in the first instance, by each member of the United Nations to the Japanese Government through the Supreme Commander or successor authority on behalf of its nationals, and all claims shall be filed within 1 year after restitution has been effected unless application for an extension, showing due cause, is presented to and approved by then Supreme Commander or successor authority";

B. "Claimant upon obtaining restitution of property shall secure evidence of damage, or other relevant information, in the form of a verified claim for use in negotiations with the Japanese Government or subsequent presentation to SCAP or successor authority";

C. "After presentation of claims to SCAP or successor authority by representatives of the claimants government, and transmission thereof to the Japanese Government, claimants will deal directly with the Japanese Government and accept compensation in whole or in part";

D. Substitute "180 days" for "90 days".

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Part 7. Principles of compensation (para 8). Do not concur in para 8 F (2), 8F (3) and 8F (4). To adjudicate claims on an adjusted basis to compensate for loss due to the depreciation in purchasing price of the yen would impose an unbearable burden on Japanese public and private economy. Suggest consideration be given to return of principal on 1941 valuation basis plus a nominal return on the investment on property.

Part 8. Should not a definite statement with regard to patents, utility models, trademarks and copyrights be included in paper?

Part 9. The term "or successor authority" as used throughout this radio will be construed to mean any commission, delegation, agency or other body duly appointed by competent authority to assume all powers, responsibilities and obligations presently assigned to SCAP in the administration and supervision of the Japanese Government.

Part 10. Due to the many ramifications of the problem and importance of having full understanding of situation here recommend SWNCC representative concerned come to theater for discussion prior to submission proposed paper to FEC.

End

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Z 41294 is MC-IN 51516 (3 Apr) CAD

ACTION: CAD
INFO: AAF, Adm Leahy, JCS, ID (State), P&O, SSP, SWNCC
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From: COMGENUSFMTO, Leghorn, Italy cite NAGCT

To: War Department info for WDGPO

Nr: FX 76115 28 April 1947

Draft Civil and Military Affairs Agreement submitted by COMGENMED FX 75419 is subject.

1. Grateful for information on current status of subject agreement.

2. United States Political Advisor here understands Italians feel agreement with British nearly reached but would like to be able to consider United States in conjunction therewith.

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ACTION : P&O

INFO : AAF, ASW, CAD, ID, P&O (State), SWNCC, JCS, CNO

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From: SCAP Tokyo Japan

To: War Department for WDSCA

Nr: C 52061 23 April 1947

Reference your radio W 95917, 11 April 1947, SWNCC 357 regarding establishment of independent international claims tribunal received. Comments and recommendations now being formulated with view to transmission by radio if feasible.

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From: SCAP Tokyo Japan

To: War Department for WDSCA ES for JCS

Nr: Z-40423 27 March 1947

Reurad W 94628, 23 March 1947, receipt is acknowledged.

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From: COMGENUSFA Vienna Austria cite PASGS from Keyes

To: War Department

Info: CINCEUR Frankfurt Germany

Nr: P 6959 26 March 1947

Recurads P-3560, P-3586, P-5852, P-6336, P-6903, P-6920 to which we have received no answers.

The following message, concurred in by this headquarters which was forwarded this date to the Secretary of State by the United States Minister for Austria, is quoted for your information.

"Attention is invited to the fact that large numbers of Jewish refugees now in Austria are being fed and cared for by extraordinary arrangements which will automatically terminate June 30 next, and that after that date there will be no source whatever for the feeding and care of these Jewish refugees unless some new action is initiated in the meantime.

"As already reported on numberous occasions, large numbers of Jewish refugees, coming largely from Poland, have during the past year infiltrated into Austria through the Soviet Zone. Arriving in Vienna, they were without resources and there was no provision for their feeding and maintenance, except as was provided by the United States Army. Their objective was to proceed to the United States Zone of Austria in the hope of continuing from there to some ultimate destination, preferably Palestine. These

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large numbers of homeless people without food would have become a menace to public health and safety if left at large to fend for themselves. For this reason, and in accordance with the "Haven policy", as announced by the President, United States Forces in Austria provided for their food and shelter in Vienna and orderly transportation to the United States Zone where they have continued to be fed and cared for by United States Forces in Austria. This refugee group must be clearly distinguished from displaced persons. Both UNRRA and the Austrian Govt undertook certain obligations with respect to displaced persons, but neither would or will undertake any responsibility for the refugees because they were not displaced persons and have entered Austria illegally. In view of this and the announced United States Govt "Haven policy", the refugees were cared for by the United States Army.

"When these refugees arrived, UNRRA and the Austrian Govt refused to accept any responsibility for their feeding or maintenance. Therefore, there was no source of supply for them except captured enemy material and CA/MG stocks remaining from the pre-UNRRA supply period. Throughout the first two quarters of the fiscal year 1947, these refugees were fed and maintained from these residual CA/MG stocks, captured enemy material and military stocks. For the third and fourth quarters of fiscal year 1947, these refugees are being fed and maintained from CA/MG stocks shipped for civilian supply under the program outlined in the United States Forces in Austria cable P-3602 to War (the 80,000 displaced persons mentioned in paragraph 2 of

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P-3602 included 30,000 refugees) and War Department cable 99136 to USFA. Where indigenous supplies and services necessary for the maintenance of Jewish refugees are procured from the Austrian economy; as an interim measure pending further War Department instructions, they are paid for by USFA with schillings advanced by the Austrian Govt for occupation costs. Special accounting is being kept of these funds in order to facilitate reimbusement of the Austrian Govt as these expenditures cannot be considered to be rightfully chargeable to occupation cost and borne by the Austrian Govt.

"The general civilian supply program which is currently being utilized to meet requirements will terminate June 30th. Thereafter, it will be impossible for USFA to continue to make any provision for the Jewish refugee unless the budget requirements for the fiscal year 1948, outlined in USFA cable to WAR P-6920 is approved. It is further pointed out that the Jewish refugees will be unable to get Austrian ration cards since they are in Austria illegally. Refugees are not included in the plan sent to IRO in WARX 92715 of March 1947. British refuse to agree to the use of post-UNRRA relief for them. They will thus be completely without food and maintenance after June 30th, unless some new provision is made in the meantime.

"They now number about 28,000. New arrivals have numbered ten to fifteen a day for the past month, and are expected soon to begin arriving at the rate of about 1000 a month.

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"USFA has repeatedly reported this situation to the War Department and requested authorization to continue assistance after June 30th, but to date has received no reply. In particular, see P-6903, 17th March, P-6429, 16th December, requesting policy guidance, and WX-90899, 22nd July, from USFET to AGWAR, see estimate for 1948 Jewish refugee requirements of $1,740,000 for continuation of present maintenance outlined in USFA P-6920 to WAR, 20th March.

"Unless provisions are made immediately for feeding, care, and maintenance of refugees in Austria after June 30th, from either CA/MG supplies, United States post-UNRRA relief, private organizations, or from US Army stocks; No supply will become possible in time now, since shipments from New York to consumers in Austria take about 9 days after procurement.

"Therefore, it appears that the only solution for this problem would be to move the refugees, prior to June 30th, to Germany where military care and maintenance is still possible. This would, in fact, be the preferable solution to the refugees themselves, since they would not in any case wish to remain in Austria after the withdrawal of US Troops and their presence here is politically undesirable, not only from internal point of view, but also in view of the Soviet attitude towards general question of displaced persons and refugees in connection with the treaty drafting and with Austrian relations with neighboring states thereafter.

"Please inform WAR and instruct whether refugees will

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be removed from Austria or otherwise provided for by June 30th."

It is requested that this matter which has been repeatedly brought to your attention be given most urgent consideration.

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P 3586 is CM IN 1011 (6 Sept) CAD
P 5852 is CM IN 1478 (8 Nov) CAD
P 6336 is CM IN 862 (6 Dec) CAD
P 6920 is CM IN 3649 (20 Mar) CAD
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P 6429 is CM IN 2991 (19 Dec) CAD
P 3602 is CM IN 1252 (7 Sept) CAD

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From: SCAP, Tokyo, Japan

To: War Department for WDSCA GO

Info: COMGENFEAF, Tokyo, Japan

Nr: CX 50955

18 March 1947

Northwest Airlines officials here desire commence operations May. In view of short time reply to ourad CX 50743 of 10 March urgently needed here.

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From: CINCEUR Frankfurt Germany sgd Huebner cite ETGEC

To: War Department

Info: OMGUS Berlin Germany for CRX, District I for S-5, District II for S-5, 7750 DP Operations Group Heidelberg Germany, USMILATTACHE AMEMBASSY Brussels Belgium

Nr: SC 18873 15 March 1947

Recurads SC-14519 of 10 February 47 and SC-14551 of same date as amended by SC-14998 of 13 February 47 for resettlement of displaced persons in Belgium.

1. American Embassy Brussels has advised this headquarters that Belgian Government in letter of 10 March 47 approved terms of Belgian-IGCR agreement for resettlement of displaced persons effective that date.

2. Chief Belgian Degr nolement representative attached to headquarters reported 14 March 47 that several thousand, possibly 10,000, displaced persons workers have indicated desire to accept Belgian resettlement offer soon as possible.

3. Arrangements now being made with IGCR and UNRRA to register volunteers immediately with view to dispatching initial shipment of 800 to 1,000 displaced persons to Belgian border within next 2 weeks.

4. Forms for processing displaced persons now being distributed in field. Appropriate directive to subordinate

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commands will be issued within few days.

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SC 14998 is MC-IN 55070 (14 Feb) CAD
SC 14551 is MC-IN 53640 (11 Feb) CAD

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From: SCAP Tokyo Japan

To: War Department for WDSCA GO

Info: COMGENFEAF Tokyo Japan

Nr: CX 50743

10 March 1947

Prepared to issue immediately SCAP license to Northwest Airlines and Pan American Airways authorizing scheduled operations to, through and from Japan in accordance with policy contained in cured CX66168 of 14th November 1946. Reurad W 87751 neither approved US policy nor interim directive referred to therein received here as yet - Will issue of licenses at this time jeopardize United States position?

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INFO : ~~AAF~~, ASWA, CAD (State), JCS (Cmdr Millett), P&O,

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From: SCAP Tokyo Japan from CCS-IR

To: War Department

Nr: C 50982 19 March 1947

Recurad 23 Feb 47 C-50350 information requested as to when reply may be expected.

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From: GHQ SCAP Tokyo Japan

To: War Department for WDSCA GO

Nr: C 50350

23 February 1947

1. Recurad May C 61443, urad August WX 96256 and September W 81141, in view recent relaxation restrictions on external communications with Japan, urad December W 88575, now propose reopen radiotelegraph service between Japan and Canada via the United States for following classifications:

A. Government, Press, Private and SCM messages subject to same conditions as apply to similar messages exchanged between Japan and the United States,

B. Reply paid messages from Canada to accredited and non accredited persons in Japan and

C. Messages from Japan to Canada utilizing reply paid tolls in payment of messages charges, to be sent on a prepaid dollar basis. SCM and private messages from Canada to Japan to be prepaid at origin.

3. Revenues accruing to United States carriers plus their outpayments beyond the United States to be included in payments presently made to them for prepaid traffic from Japan to the United States.

4. Request interested United States and Canadian agencies be informed of proposed services and SCAP notified whether approved and if so effective date.

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NOTE: C 61443 is CM-IN 6204 (28 May) CAD
ACTION: CAD
INFO : ASW, CAD (State), ID, P&O, BUD, SWNCC
CM-IN 4000 (23 Feb 47) DTG 230412

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From: COMGENUSFET, Frankfurt, Germany sgd McNarney cite ETGEC

To: War Department for WDSCA ES

Info: USMA Brussels, Belgium, COMGENARMY THIRD, Heidelberg, Germany; OMGUS, Berlin, Germany

Nr: SC-14998

13 February 1947

Our SC-14551 of 10 February 47 is amended to read as follows:

Para 3 "Ellipsis beginning 17 February 47 ellipsis"

Para 4 (V) add: "The Belgian Government, in liaison with the Federation of Coal Mines, is responsible for the conditions of employment for the foreigners."

End

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NOTE: SC 14551 is MC IN 53640 (11 Feb 47) CAD

ACTION: CAD

INFO : ASW, CAD (State), P&O, SSP, SWNCC, TC

MC IN 55070 (14 Feb 47) DTG: 131502Z

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From: HQ USFET Frankfurt Germany sgd McNarney cite ETGEC

To: War Department

Nr: S-1786

29 January 1947

Subject is negotiation of French Civil Affairs Agreement. Reurad W-86499 dated 28 November and ourad S-1122 dated 6 January 47. Frequent inquiries received here from US Embassy Paris was to status War Department approval of draft agreement. Request advice as to probable date of final War Department action and probable date of receipt by this headquarters of copies of approved draft agreement.

End

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Note: S 1122 is CM IN 956 (7 Jan) TAG.

ACTION: CAD

INFO: ASW, CAD (State), P&O, TAG, SWNCC.

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PER PARAS 51i and 60a (4), AR 380-5

From: GHQ SCAP Tokyo Japan

To: War Department for WARCOS

Nr: C-69253 19 January 1947

Reurad 89522. Concur except as indicated below:

Part 2. Function of 5 man Reparations and Restitution Delegation as previously stated is to act on behalf of its government for routine matters pertaining to reparations, restitutions or related property matters. It is not intended that the total representation on these matters shall be limited to the 5 man reparations and restitutions delegations. It is agreed that 5 men cannot be expected to comprise all the varied skills that may be required. These delegations are intended to serve as a supplement to existing missions. Therefore, those nations, including the United States, which do not have Missions or similar agencies in Japan, will be authorized technical aides and clerical assistants together not to exceed 20 in number at this time. Numerical limitation is imposed by inadequacy of accommodations and transportation facilities. The composition of the group of technical aides is a matter to be decided by the governments concerned, provided that official delegaions are prepared to act on matters under consideration at any given time.

Part 4. Concur. Technical aides of delegations whose governments have mission personnel. Their entry into Japan subject to normal clearances.

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Part 6. The United States Reparations and Restitution Delegation and its technical aides are separate from SCAP organization but will operate under SCAPS executive authority and operational control. The delegation, assisted by its technical aides will operate as indicated in urad, part 5 paragraph E. Travel and other activities pertaining to their functions and requiring regulation will be coordinated and authorized by SCAP. For the United States delegation and technical aides, or other delegations where missions or similar agencies do not have independent facilities in Japan, logistic support will be arranged through General Headquarters on a revenue basis. (Dollar credit or currency acceptable by United States Agencies for payment must be available to pay for any support received from United States resources.) Due to the nature of this duty, dependents of members of the Reparations and Restitution Delegations and of technical aides will not be cleared for entry into Japan, and should be so advised.

Part 8. A mandatory Restitution Agency such as described in urad is not desored because it is unnecessary and would only result in delays and handicaps to the Restitution Program. Reasons follow.
A. It would have general disadvantages similar to those described in our reply (C-69250) to urad W 89269 regarding proposed reparations Technical Advisory Committee.
B. The established policy for identification of looted property should be retained for the following reasons. There will probably be an overlapping of claims.

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The total amount of claims presented would probably exceed the available property which means that 2 or more countries will be placing claims for more diamonds than are in custody. Claims from other Nations have not been submitted. In such circumstances, SCAP could only allocate on some proportionate basis which would not necessarily bear any relation to just restitution to the original owner. In case of identification under present rules a just claim is recognized. In view of the preceding facts, it is considered better to adhere to present rules of identification and to consider all unidentifiable assets as being available for reparations under provisions of paragraph 6, radio W 82295, 6 October 1946, which proposes that costs of imports in Japan to prevent disease and unrest shall be a first charge against precious metals and precious stones.

End

NOTE: C 69250 not identified in SMC

ACTION: CAD

INFO: AAF, Adm Leahy, ASW
CAD (State), JCS, ID
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THIS MESSAGE REQUIRES PARAPHRASE. SEE PARAS 5 [illegible]
60a AR 380-5

From: HQ USFET, Frankfurt, Germany sgd McNarney cite ETGEC

To: War Department for WDSCA ES

Info: USMA Brussels, Belgium; OMGUS, Berlin, Germany; Third US Army

Nr: SX 1121 6 January 1947

Reference your WX-86523 of 27 Nov 46 subject resettlement of displaced persons in Belgium. 1. Further discussions held here with Chief of Belgian Prime Ministers Cabinet and his assistant, representatives of UNRRA US Zone Hqs, retired General John S Wood and other local IGC representatives, and small number of representative Baltic displaced persons. In addition, contact has been maintained with American Embassy, Brussels.

2. Belgian Government representatives are anxious to initiate program and officially confirm that responsibility for employment conditions will rest with Belgian Government. Immigrants will receive without discrimination same wages, working and living conditions, legal rights, privileges, benefits, and protection under Belgian Law in exactly same manner as Belgian workers. They state that contract between individual displaced persons and Coal Mine Association will be supported and backed by Belgian Government. No amendments to contract (including changes in wage scale) can be made without Belgian Government approval. In event of contract violations, workers may apply to Belgian Government.

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Nr: SX 1121

6 January 1947

3. As mentioned in para 1 of both our S-4345 of 29 Sep and SX-5753 of 5 Nov, this is permanent resettlement program. Immigrants will be given privilege of applying for first grade of Belgian citizenship after normal 5 year period under established Belgian law. This carries all rights of full Belgian citizenship except right to vote or hold elected political office. After 10 years, full citizenship may be obtained.

4. Belgian representatives plan to recruit and select immigrants. Normal military screening would be employed in eliminating known war criminals, traitors, quislings, German Nationals, etc.

5. Only those displaced persons who do not desire to be repatriated (including Poles) would be eligible for immigration to Belgium. Adequate opportunities and facilities have been made available for repatriation of persons wishing to return to their homeland.

6. Since Para 5 of WX- 6523 indicated that State Dept was raising subjects of IGCS contracting with Belgian Government, this Hq delayed sending Displaced Persons Delegation to Belgium and conclusion of final agreement. Upon recent return from London, IGCS General Wood was contacted regarding subject. He immediately displayed enthusiasm and indicated willingness to assist in every possible manner. He contacted Emerson in London by telephone, who indicated that to his knowledge IGC had not yet been approached by State Dept but that IGC would undoubtedly be willing to handle project upon US request.

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Nr: SX 1121

6 January 1947

7. Belgians state they will be required to increase present recruitment of Italians to meet coal mine labor shortage if this project is delayed. They are also negotiating with British Zone authorities for DP immigrants. Belgian representatives again arrived Frankfurt 31st December for further discussions and final planning. Possible loss of 31 thousand German PWs in Belgium in 1947 adds to urgency of project. This Hq is prepared to initiate program as soon as contract is signed.

8. Belgian Government officially notified IGC Brussels 23d December 46 that IGC participation and protection for workers would be welcomed. It is urgently requested that State Dept immediately seek IGC full participation and contract with Belgian Government. Preliminary negotiations have now reached point where immediate contract is required. IGC appears willing and enthusiastic. Meantime, Displaced Persons Delegation will be sent to Belgium in January and General Wood or other IGC representative will accompany, in anticipation of States' approach to IGC London and subsequent London-Frankfurt instructions.

End

NOTE: S-4345 is CM IN 5740 (29 Sep) CAD
SX-5753 is CM IN 1023 (6 Nov) CAD

ACTION: CAD

INFO : ASW, CAD (State), P&O, SWNCC

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From: SCAP Tokyo Japan

To: War Department for WDSCA ES

Nr: C 68645 30 December 1946

Reurad W 88521, part 1, reply to W 87390 and W 84268 being dispatched today ourad C 68626. Reurad W 88521, Part 2, information airgram referred to in Paragraph 6 of ourad C 68424 is State Department information circular air gram, dated 6 December 1946, subject US proposals re Japanese reparations, addressed to certain American missions.

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NOTE: C 68626 not identified in SMC
C 68424 is CM IN 3600 (22 Dec) CAD

ACTION: CAD

INFO : AAF, Adm Leahy, ASW, CAD (State), JCS, ID, Adm Nimitz, P&O, SSP, SWNCC, CSA

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From: HQ USFET Frankfurt Germany sgd McNarney cite ETGEC

To: War Department for WDSCA

Nr: S-7404 27 December 1946

Reurad W-88403 dated 26 December. 6 copies of draft French CA agreement dispatched by this headquarters 10 December, registration number 1023. Addressed to AG WAR Department, Attention Civil Affairs Division. Additional copies being forwarded this date via air mail.

End

ACTION: CAD

INFO : ASW, CAD (State), P&O, SWNCC

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From: GHQ SCAP Tokyo Japan

To: War Department WDSCA ES

Nr: C 68424

21 December 1946

Correct page 2 lines 3 thru 8 to read:

Insert 1

(3) The apathy of business enterprise resulting from continued indecision reparations, assured levels of industry, etc., plus reforms attendant upon occupation such as Zaibatsu dissolution, economic purge, tax reforms, etc. (4) General inflationary conditions and labor restlessness.

Correct page 2 line 9 to read:

C. Whole subject of industrial capacity reflects.

Correct page 2 lines 16 and 17 to read:

Insert 2

Most continuous process industries are operating on less than 300 day year and will continue to do so.

Correct page 6 lines 21 and 22 to read:

Insert 3

"removals from Japan may superimpose conditions that may result in payment therefor many times over in American dollars."

Correct page 6 lines 24 and 25 to read:

Insert 4

The proposals offered herewith are practical, logical and completely in consonance with the terms of the Potsdam Agreement and other pertinent directives.

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From: GHQ SCAP Tokyo Japan

Nr: C 68424 21 December 1946

Correct page 7 line 24 to read:

A. No disarmament needed beyond interim reparations program levels,.

Correct page 8 lines 10 and 11 to read:

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As a secondary instrument of control, a system of reporting by the Japanese of production, materials used,.

End

Note: Supplementary copy of CM IN 3566 (22 Dec) CAD

ACTION: CAD

INFO: AAF, Adm Leahy, ASW, CAD (State), JCS, ID, Adm Nimitz, P&O, SSP, SWNCC, CSA

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From: GHQ SCAP Tokyo Japan

To: War Department for WDSCA ES

Nr: C 68424 (annex A) 21 December 1946

Reurad W-87390 reply to W-84268 to be dispatched 22 December. Reply 80413 contained ourad C-66072. This replies urad W086893 and contains 1 part of 12 paragraphs and an appendix. (annex B)

1. Approach to industrial capacities retained by Japan initially was substantially as outlined paragraph (3) urad W-86893. Procedure now subject to modification for following reasons: (annex B)

A. Original Pauley recommendations and comments on capacity estimates here were based upon initial data supplied by Japanese. Continuing plant inspection during past year and review of current production, incicate that capacity figures used represented generally peak wartime loads, attained by wartime expanded labor effort, overloading of plant and equipment and exaggeration in wartime production reporting. This has been indicated to Pauley Mission and to other US observers subsequent to initial comments.

B. Ability of Japanese with own resources to rehabilitate, repair and maintain industrial plant is extremely low. This condition is attributable to many factors, including (1) lack of available imported raw materials resulting in gravely low basic industrial production, hence necessity for applying all such production to maintenance of essential goods and services with no excess for

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