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## AFFIDAVIT

I, Tateki SHIRAO, certify that I was senior secretary of the Censorkhip Section of the Ministry of Communications from September 1939 to the end of the war and that during my incumbency all Government telegrams from foreign countries went through my office. I further certify that copies of these telegrams were made before they were delivered to their final destinations and were given to messengers from the Ministry of War, the Ministry of Navy, and the Ministry of Foreign Affairs for delivery to the telegraphic sections of those respective ministries.

I also certify that the telegrams to the Swiss Legation concerning prisoners of war were handled in the above mentioned manner, and I remember that the telegrams sent to the Foreign Office Telegraphic Section were addressed to Hayato KUDO, senior cypher secretary of that section.

Tateki SHIRAO

Saul Josuel Witness

Sworn before me this 24th day of October 1946 at Tokyo, Japan

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