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8 May 1947

MEMORANDUM FOR: Lt. Colonel T. MORNANE
FROM : Mr. Johnson F. MUNROE
SUBJECT : HOSHINO, Naoki

Pursuant to oral request to Investigation Division dated 7 May 1947, investigation has been conducted at the Cabinet Secretariat to determine the government positions, if any, held by subject individual between 28 December 1929 and 8 July 1932.

Information was furnished by SATO, Tamo, Chief of the General Affairs Section, Cabinet Secretariat, on the 7th of May 1947, as follows:

- 1929 April 24 Appointed Secretary of National Taxation Bureau, Finance Ministry, and concurrently temporary Secretary of Land Investigations Section, Finance Ministry.
- 1929 December 28 Awarded 6th Order of Sacred Treasure.
- 1932 January 11 Appointed Chief of National Owned Property Section, Finance Ministry.
- 1932 July 8 Appointed Bank Examiner, Finance Ministry. (Additional duty to above by Imperial appointment)
- 1932 July 9 Requested retirement from above positions. Request granted same date.

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JOHNSON F. MUNROE,
Investigator, ID-IPS,
Room #381

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subject of IPS case file # 6.9

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DATE 2 April 1947

PROGRESS REPORT OF: HOSHINO, Naoki (MUTO)

<u>ITEM</u>	<u>Partially Completed</u>	<u>Fully Completed</u>
1. Information in the hands of the Investigation Division.	_____	<u> X </u>
2. Statement in application for subpoena as to subject of witness's testimony.	_____	<u> X </u>
3. Examination of case file, if any.	_____	<u> X </u>
4. Cross-reference file on case files in office of Investigation Division.	_____	<u> X </u>
5. Cross-reference card file by subject matter of evidentiary documents in Document Division.	_____	<u> X </u>
6. Reference in evidence to witness or to the subject matter of his testimony.	_____	<u> X </u>
7. Preparation of summary of testimony already given by witness.	_____	<u> X </u>
8. Memorandum prepared by Mr. Lopez, dated March 11, 1947, relating to decorations awarded to defendants and their witnesses.	_____	<u> X </u>
9. Statement of any other investigation conducted by you.		<u>One of defendants</u>

Pedro Lopez
Capt. James J. Robinson
William E. Edwards

By

Pedro Lopez