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SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS  
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AG 400.12 (29 Oct 46)CCS  
SCAPIN 1299/12

11 August 1951

MEMORANDUM FOR: JAPANESE GOVERNMENT

SUBJECT: Provision and Procurement of Japanese Communications  
Services, Facilities, Equipment, Material and Personnel

1. Reference is made to:

- a. Memorandum for the Japanese Government, file AG 400.12 (29 Oct 46)CCS, SCAPIN 1299/8, dated 11 April 1950, subject as above.
- b. Memorandum for the Japanese Government, file AG 400.12 (29 Oct 46)CCS, SCAPIN 1299/9, dated 6 June 1950, subject as above.
- c. Memorandum for the Japanese Government, file AG 400.12 (29 Oct 46)CCS, SCAPIN 1299/10, dated 13 October 1950, subject as above.
- d. Memorandum for the Japanese Government, file AG 400.12 (29 Oct 46)CCS, SCAPIN 1299/11, dated 2 March 1951, subject as above.

2. It is directed that the Japanese Ministry of Telecommunications provide communications services, facilities, equipment, material and personnel as follows:

- a. Telephone exchange service wholly within an exchange area of a city or town, which can be furnished by use of existing telephone plant as covered in paragraph 4 below.
- b. Long distance lines and telegraph circuits wholly within one Ministry of Telecommunications operating bureau or division which can be furnished by use of existing facilities, as covered in paragraph 5 below.
- c. Communications personnel as covered by paragraph 5 below.
- d. Bulk materials and construction not in excess of ¥3,600,000 will be provided in accordance with communications orders placed by Commanding General, Japan Logistical Command, or by his authorized representative.
- e. Long distance telephone and telegraph lines extending beyond the boundaries of any one operating bureau, bulk materials and construction in excess of ¥3,600,000 and all other communications services, facilities, equipment, material and personnel not covered

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above as directed by General Headquarters, Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers.

3. Statements of services rendered covering all communications services, facilities, equipment, material and personnel to be furnished and/or for the occupation forces throughout Japan will be prepared on GPA Form 5 and submitted as provided by Appendix 1.

4. Exchange service within the exchange area of a city or town, which can be furnished by use of existing facilities will be furnished by local offices in accordance with communications orders placed by Commanding General, Japan Logistical Command, or by his authorized representative. A representative of the Japanese telecommunications system located in the city or town where service is requested will be authorized to furnish such service without approval of the operating bureau of the Ministry of Telecommunications.

5. Long distance lines and telegraph circuits wholly within an operating bureau or division which can be furnished by use of existing facilities and personnel will be provided in accordance with communications orders placed by Commanding General, Japan Logistical Command, or by his authorized representative. Directors of the operating bureaus will arrange to fulfill the demands without further approval of the Ministry of Telecommunications, citing the communications order number as authority.

6. Communications facilities authorized by this memorandum will be procured on communications order, GPA Form 8, in accordance with Memorandum for the Japanese Government, file AG 400.12 (2 Nov 50)COL-B, SCAPIN 2129, Subj: Policies for Procurement with Termination of War (Works) Funds, dated 2 November 1950.

7. Direct communications between Occupation Force agencies and the Japanese Ministry of Telecommunications is authorized as follows:

a. Civil Communications Section, General Headquarters, Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers, on matters within the scope of this memorandum.

b. Signal Section, Headquarters, Japan Logistical Command, on matters necessary to assure compliance within the scope of this memorandum.

c. Authorized Signal Corps representatives of Commanding General, Japan Logistical Command and the respective operating bureaus of the Ministry of Telecommunications through liaison channels on

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informational matters necessary to assure compliance with the provisions of this directive.

8. The following pages of Inclosures to Inclosure 1 of SCAPIN 1299/8, as amended by SCAPIN 1299/11, are rescinded and the attached pages are substituted therefor:

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FOR THE SUPREME COMMANDER:

1 Incl  
As indicated above

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TELECOMMUNICATIONS RATES FOR  
OCCUPATION FORCE SERVICES

SCHEDULE 8 & 8A

LEASED LONG DISTANCE TELEPHONE & TELEGRAPH RATES

PART I

1.0 Definitions

1.1 Long Distance Telephone Circuit - A long distance telephone circuit is a domestic telecommunications circuit capable of transmitting the ordinary voice range of frequencies, which extend between two points not located in the same exchange area or special subscription area associated therewith, and to which the Japanese regular long distance rate schedule applies.

1.2 Intercity (AC) Dial Equipment - Equipment necessary at each end of a circuit to provide facilities for customer dialing between cities or between widely separated areas.

1.3 Long Distance Telegraph Circuit - Any telecommunications circuit routed over wire plant, which is suitable for carrying direct current telegraph signals. Such a circuit may be a single wire with ground return, a composited or simplex circuit, a channel of a voice frequency telegraph system, etc. This does not include circuits capable of carrying a voice frequency carrier telegraph system. (Local exchange cable pairs furnished as local telegraph circuit loops will be included under Schedule 2b.)

1.4 Official Length of Circuit - The official length of a toll circuit, ordinarily based on the actual route mileage between two points, is the length in kilometers used for computing charges. If, for the convenience of the MOTC or for service reasons, a circuit is routed over other than the most direct route, and the actual routing is longer, the official length will be used. If a circuit is connected through a section of "block" leased facilities, the official length of the circuit will not include the length of the "block" leased section computed to the nearest tenth of a kilometer.

1.5 Temporary Service - Service used for a period of less than one month.

PART II

2.0 Rates included in this schedule are the toll line licensed rates as authorized by the Telegraph & Telephone Charges Law (Law No. 105, 6 July 1948) and apply to long distance circuits, telephone or telegraph, which are leased for the exclusive use of the Occupation Forces. Billing is to be made on Sheets 8 or 8A, GPA Form 5, effective 1 July 1951.

Inclosure 3 to Inclosure 1

TABLE OF RATES  
LONG DISTANCE LEASED TELEPHONE & TELEGRAPH CIRCUITS

1.

	Length	Monthly Rate	Daily Rate
Within	8 km	¥ 24,000	¥ 800
	12	36,000	1,200
	40	72,000	2,400
	80	120,000	4,000
	120	204,000	6,800
	160	252,000	8,400
	200	300,000	10,000
	240	348,000	11,600
	280	396,000	13,200
	320	444,000	14,800
	380	516,000	17,200
	470	624,000	20,800
	590	768,000	25,600
	710	912,000	30,400
	830	1,056,000	35,200
	950	1,200,000	40,000
	1,100	1,380,000	46,000
	1,250	1,560,000	52,000
	1,500	1,728,000	57,600
	1,800	1,980,000	66,000
2,100	2,232,000	74,400	
2,400	2,484,000	82,800	
Over	2,400	2,736,000	91,200

2. Installation charge per telephone circuit terminal - one time charge (does not apply to terminations in offices classified as central offices or exchanges. Does apply to PBX, PAX or termination on subscribers premises or equipment). See application of rates.

52,800

3. AC Dial Equipments 39 per day per km 1,000 per no.

4. Long Distance Telegraph Circuits

The following charges per kilometer per month will be made for leased long distance telegraph circuits: