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HEADQUARTERS I CORPS  
APO 301 (Kyoto, Honshu)

AG 454 -U

30 March 1949

SUBJECT: Horses Obtained from Japanese Sources

TO : Commanding Officer  
Kinki Military Government Region  
APO 25

1. Information received from Eighth Army, per their ltr, AGHP 454.1, dtd 13 Dec 48, subj: As above, indicates that effective 1 April 1949, and in conformity with limitations established by General Headquarters, Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers, the number of horses obtained from Japanese sources by I Corps (either captured, obtained on procurement demand or obtained through procurement demand for the services of horses), is limited to one hundred (100).

2. In view of the austerity program of SCAP, service contracts for the maintenance of horses or procurement demands for the services of horses must be on a completely reimburseable basis. However, horses obtained on a concession basis per authority contained in ltr, Hq 8th Army, Office of the SSO, HP 400.12, dtd 24 Feb 49, subj: Forecast of Miscellaneous Indigenous Procurement Requirements for the Occupation Forces, will in no way effect this quota.

3. Future requests for Japanese captured horses or horses obtained on end-service type procurement demand should be made to this headquarters, in order that they may be included in the quota allotted to this headquarters by Eighth Army.

BY COMMAND OF MAJOR GENERAL COULTER:

/s/ A. Seipel  
/t/ A. SEIPEL  
Lt Col, AGD  
Asst Adj General

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BASIC: Ltr, Hq I Corps, APO 301, subj: "Horses Obtained from Japanese Sources" dtd 30 Mar 49

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Hq, Kinki Mil Govt Region, APO 25, 1 April 49

TO: All Team Commanders

For information and necessary action.

BY ORDER OF COLONEL O'MCHUNDRO:

*George Minarik*  
GEORGE MINARIK  
Captain CE  
Adjutant

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