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4	Sig O, Adv Boh.	1 00t 44	Sig O, Rear Ech.	Request acknowledgement of
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2.	G-3	1 Oct 44	m C/S	Advising of missions having bee completed. 3 of them. Davao,
3	G-3	2 Oct. 44	c/s	Cotobato, Misamis Oriental. Advising supply mission to 6th completed. 47 Americans evacua
				ed. Completes evacuation of people south of Luzon.
4 .	G-3	3 Oct. 44	c/s	Advising movement of 3 intel. officers of 6th Army to Samer
5	· G-3	2 Oct 44	c/s	was completed on 30 Sept. Re establishing a Broadcast Transmitter for Luzon. Pre- liminary arrangements which has
6	CW		Gen Chambers	Fwding 2 graphs showing what ti of day highest peak of traffic be expected.
7	G-3	4 Oct 44	C/S	Guerilla forces in Cebu are stro est. Suggrst prior to "A" Cebu forces be notified to harass th
				enemy. Cushing be advised to depatch as much of his force to I coast of Leyte "A" minus 3.
8	G-3	4 Oct 44	C/S	Advising 5 officers and 24 FM qualified as parachutists. By day should have 60 parachutist
9	G-3	5 Oct 44	c/s	Suggested msg to commanders out- side operational area - Instruc
10	GHQ, SWPA	1 Oct 44		ns. STAFF STUDY "GEORGE" Re utiliza
11 de	front of courses for	1200		forces in support of Southwest Pacific forces throughout op-
1	G-3	6 Oct 44	c/s	Fwding an up-to-date map of cur radio, weather and air warning
290	Hqs Sixth Army Chamberlain Sutherland	1 Oct 44	PI Section, GHQ C.W.	Information desired on Leyte. Minutes of Conference with Chie of Staff, 0740 hours, 27 Sept
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4	G-2	5 Oct 44	G-3 Opn	Dissemination of intelligence

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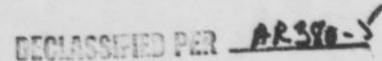


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	C.W.	6 Oct 44	c/s	Draft of Special Communique. Have endeavored to generalize the whole set up so enemy can not get any information from it.
16	Gen Aikin	1 Oct 44	C.W	Info received that Jap ship was sunk off coast of Luzon. Should advise friendly troops there to be on watch for important document
17		9 Oct 44	c/s	Regret to advise "SEAWOLF is presumably lost. List of personnel on board
18 Vw	The G-3	9 Oct 44	c/s	Advising ofmen departing for Phil- ippine service. 28 saboteurs, 12 Radio Operators., 1 OWI man.
19	G-3 Opns	9 Oct 44	G-3 Planning	Suggest attached study on guerilla capabilities in LUZON be referred to 6th Army for its information.
20/18	G-3	11 ct 44	c/s	Suggested call upon the Japanese Commander in Chief. Re removing their installations from Manila.
21	G-3	12 Oct 44	c/s	There are many administrative questions such as appointments as promotions which will have await post war legislative investigation and action. Suggested directive designed to serve purposes indicated
22	G-3	13 Oct 44	c/s	at 1900 hours 12 Oct.
23	G-3	14 Oct 44	c/s	Rawolle have reached Kangleon's net control station and are in direct communication with this he
24	G-3	13 Oct 44	G-4	Revised estimate of Ordnance requirements for Phil operations for December 1944 - June 1945.
25	G-3, PSD	15 Oct 44	CG, Sixth Army	Fwding msg from Cmdr Parsons - To pick up Kangleon - instruction
26	G-3	17 Oct 44	AG, USAFFE Thru: AG, GHQ	Requesting this section be furnished copies of orders per- taining to 5217.
27	G-3	18 Oct 44	G-3 Admin	Request approval for installation of phone in tent 53.
28	L.A.T.	23 Oct 44	Col. Curtis	Units comprising first ecn.
29 /	L.A.T.	23 Oct 44	Gen Chambers	Re Sabotage parties, Demolition equipment etc.

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30	G-3	24 Oct 44	AG USAFFE Thru: AG, GHQ	Requesting orders on Capt Richmond to proceed outside con-
31	G-3	27 Oct 44	Gmdr , AIF Gmdg G 13th AF Gmdg G 5th AF	secret location. Re reported bombing of restricted areas
32	LA.T	27 Oct 44	G.W.	Fuding up to date may of radio
33	G-3	29 Oct 44	Adv G-2	and weather stations in Phil. Info on John B. Wooster.
34	G - 3	29 Oct 44	Cmdr-in-Chief	Existance of Free American Nation als on Mindanao.
35	C	30 Oct 44	Memo for G-2, 6th Army	Fwding items from Hd s Leyte Area for immediate combat value they may be.
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GENERAL HEADQUARTERS SOUTHWEST PACIFIC AREA

G-3 Advance Echelon A.P.O. 500 30 October 1944

HEMORAIDUM FOR G-2, SIXTH ARMY

- 1. The following items received from the Headquarters, Leyte Area Command, October 29, 1944 are forwarded herewith:
- a. Skotch of Valencia Landing Field, Ormoc, Leyte as of July 1944,
- b. Sketch of Landing Fields (Dulag, San Pahlo, San Diego, Malabka) as of September 1944,
 - c. Enemy situation map for Northern Leyte as of September 1944,
 - d. Four Japanese diaries,
 - e. One packet of Japanese cards and miscellaneous papers,
 - f. One bundle of ten Japanese Technical booklets,
 - g. One bundle of miscellaneous Jap magazines, letters, etc.,
 - h. One envelope of captured Jap documents,
 - i. Twenty five captured Japanese maps.
- 2. These documents are forwarded to you for any immediate combat value they may have. It is requested that just as soon as they have served their purpose they should be forwarded to G-2, GHQ, for normal processing.



Colonel, Air Corps Chief, Philippine Subdivision

G-2, GHQ, Rea Echelon G-5, Civil Affairs

Proquency Allocation for Philippine Islands. PO/HMC/gjs 30 Oct 44 G-3, Philippine Section. C Sig O 1. Reference is made to paragraph 1 of check sheet this office subject as above, dated 28 Aug 1964. 2. In accordance with conversation this date between Lt. Hale, your effice, and Lt. Crooks, this office, frequencies 5590, 9965, 4835, and 6245 kilocycles are considered to be no longer required for use on circuits working to parties in the Philippine Islands, and will not be protected for this use in the future. F. M. E. DECLASSIFIED PER JCS LTR ON 20 AUG. 75 NOTE FOR RECORD: Our ref check sheet made frequencies available for working the Philippine Islands. The frequencies above have never been used on the circuit in question. This cancels our protection of these frequencies. H. N. C.

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File No.:

Subject: Request for Tactical Call Signs.

From: G-3 P.S.D.

To: CSigO, GHQ (Att'n: Lt Crookes) etc: 2 September 1944

Request this office be furnished a block of 100 Tactical Call Signs for use by stations in the PHILIPPINE ISLANDS. These calls are in addition to those furnished this office by check sheet from CSigO dated 28 July 1944, Subject: Tactical Call Signs.

2) CSigO, GHQ

To: G-3, GHQ

Date: 2 September 1944

The following Tactical Call Signs are allocated for use by the PHILIPPINE Sub-Division of G-3, GHQ:

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GENERAL HEADQUARTERS SOUTHWEST PACIFIC AREA CHECK SHEET (Do not remove from attached sheets) Tactical Call Signs Subject:

6-3, GHQ-Philippine From:

Subdivision

File No.:

To: C Sig. U, Attn: Radio Sect. Date: 16 July 1944

- 1. Inclosed for your information is a consolidated list of call signs now in use or used within the past few months by radio stations of the Allied Intelligence Bureau and United States Philippine Island Force. These calls have been allocated at random, primarily by the organization operating the radio station itself.
- 2. It is considered highly desirable discontinue the use of the above arbitrary call signs as soon as practible and substitue therefor normal tactical radio calls. This procedure will permit ready identification of stations intercepted by intelligence organizations and eliminate possible confusion due to duplicate assignments.
- 3. It is therefore recommended that this section be allocated a block of five hundred (500) tactical call signs for reallocation to organizations in the Philippine Islands. This numbereis considered necessary to permit allocation of calls to all existing and proposed stations and to permit frequent changes for security purposes.
- 4. This request for call signs is over and above that furnished the AIB by your Check Sheet, File OP/DWH/ac dated 6 July 1944. The recent separation of the responsibility for Philippine operations from the AIB makes it highly desireable that both organization be furnished independent fall sign allocations.

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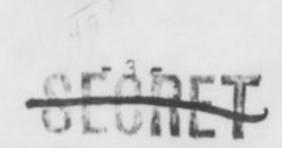
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File No.: PO/HNC/efr

Subject: Tactical Call Signs.

From: CSigO, GHQ

To:

G-3, GHQ-Philippine Subdivision. Date: 28 July 44

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1. Reference paragraph 2 of basic communication, this office concurs in the replacement of presently used arbitrary call signs by normal tactical call signs.

2. Reference paragraph 3 of basic communication, the following tactical call signs are allocated for use by your organizations:

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Adv G-2

29 October 1944

1. Information as requested relative to John B. WOOSTER as follows:

Born: 25 September 1900 in San Francisco, California.

Education: High school 1913-1917. Sunyat Sent University,

Canton, China in 1933 studying languages.

Service: Served 18 months with guerrilla forces on NEGROS as
lst Lieutenant.

In Philippine Islands since 1939.

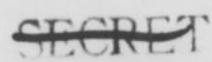
2. Wooster has spent the past 22 years in the Far East. Reliable evacuess reported that he is a "dead-beat" and subject to nefarious practices. He is considered as unreliable and highly undependable. Reference is made to Philippine Evacues Report No. 352 "sted 9 August 1944.

_ S.J.C._

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SOUTHWEST PACIFIC AREA
G-3 OPERATIONS, PHILIPPINE SUB-DIV.

27 October 1944

SUBJECT: Map, Radio and Weather Stations, PHILIPPINE ISLANDS.

TO : Colonel Whitney.

- 1. Inclosed herewith "up to date" map, PHILIPPINE Redie and Weather Stations.
- 2. Military Districts have been segregated and stations on KAZ net are indicated.
- 3. Request that I be notified if information is desired in more explicit form.

Lee A. TELESCO Major, Air Corps





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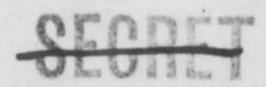
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Request for orders.

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(Three AG, CHQ)

24 October 1944

1. For the performance of a secret mission approved by the C-in-C it is requested that secret letter orders be issued for the following named officer, of the organization indicated, to proceed from this head-quarters to a secret location on or about 25 October 1944 and return at an indefinite date:

CAPT RICHMOND, John R. 0-409767 Inf., 503rd Proht Inf Regt

- 2. Travel by any or all types of usual transport should be authorised.
- 3. Military and naval transportation outgoing has been arranged.
- 4. Request that orders be delivered to G-3 Operations, GHC, APO 500.

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MEMORANDUM FOR RECORD:

Capt Richmond is scheduled for Lt Comdr Rowe's area to establish and coordinate with Rowe intelligence nets in the MINDORO area.

L.A.T.

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23 October 1944 Colonel Curtis Major Telesco 1. In reference to our convergation over the telephone the following data is furnished for your information: 2. Units to comprise the first echelon -Major Lee A. TELESCO S/Sgt Ralph C. ASLENIAN T/4 Edwin S. SPENCER T/5 Walter L. BUTT Pfc Rene SELTON 3. Separate roster of the 978th Signal Service Company (Message center) and Radio station KAZ is to be handled by the Chief Signal Officer. L.A.T.

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Request a te the G-S G-4 Philippine tional requirements and thru G-S Opns.

IMMEDIATE ACTION

Request for Additional Telephone Service.

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19 October 1944

Request a telephone be installed in Tent 55 for use of officers of the G-5 G-4 Philippine Sections. This phone is necessary due to present operational requirements and its installation is urgently needed immediately.

S. J. C.





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IMMEDIATE ACTION

G-3 Opns P.S.D.

G-3 Administration

18 October 1944

- 1. It is requested that approval be given for the installation of a telephone in tent 53.
- 2. The tent is occupied by officers of G-3 G-4 Philippine Section and a telephone is urgently required in view of the present operations.

L.A.T.





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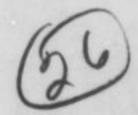
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17 October 1944

- 1. It is requested that this office be furnished copy of any secret orders or special orders pertaining to 5217th Reconnaissance Battalion (P) and 978th Signal Service Company. Orders should be sent to G-3 GHQ, Philippine Sub-Division.
- 2. It is further requested that copy of orders published since 25 September 1944 be sent to this office.

S.J.C.





Major Telesco

Colonel Brown

17 October 1944

1. It is requested that this office be furnished copy of secret orders and special orders pertaining to 5217th Reconnaissance Battalion and 978th Signal Service Company published since September 25, 1944 as well as any orders to be published in the future.

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From:

G-3

To: Chief of Staff

Date: 6 October 1944

- 1. Herewith for your information is an up to date map of our radio, weather and air warning facilities in the Philippines.
- 2. Prior to the recent destructive blows against enemy air power in the Philippines we were receiving an average of fifty air warning flashes per day with an average transmission delay of less than five minutes. This speaks well for the efficiency and intelligence of our wide spread operatives. Weather information throughout the Philippines is coming in with equal accuracy and efficiency.
- 3. It is assured that these established facilities will render a satisfactory account of themselves in the coming operations.

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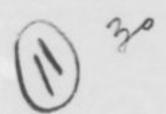
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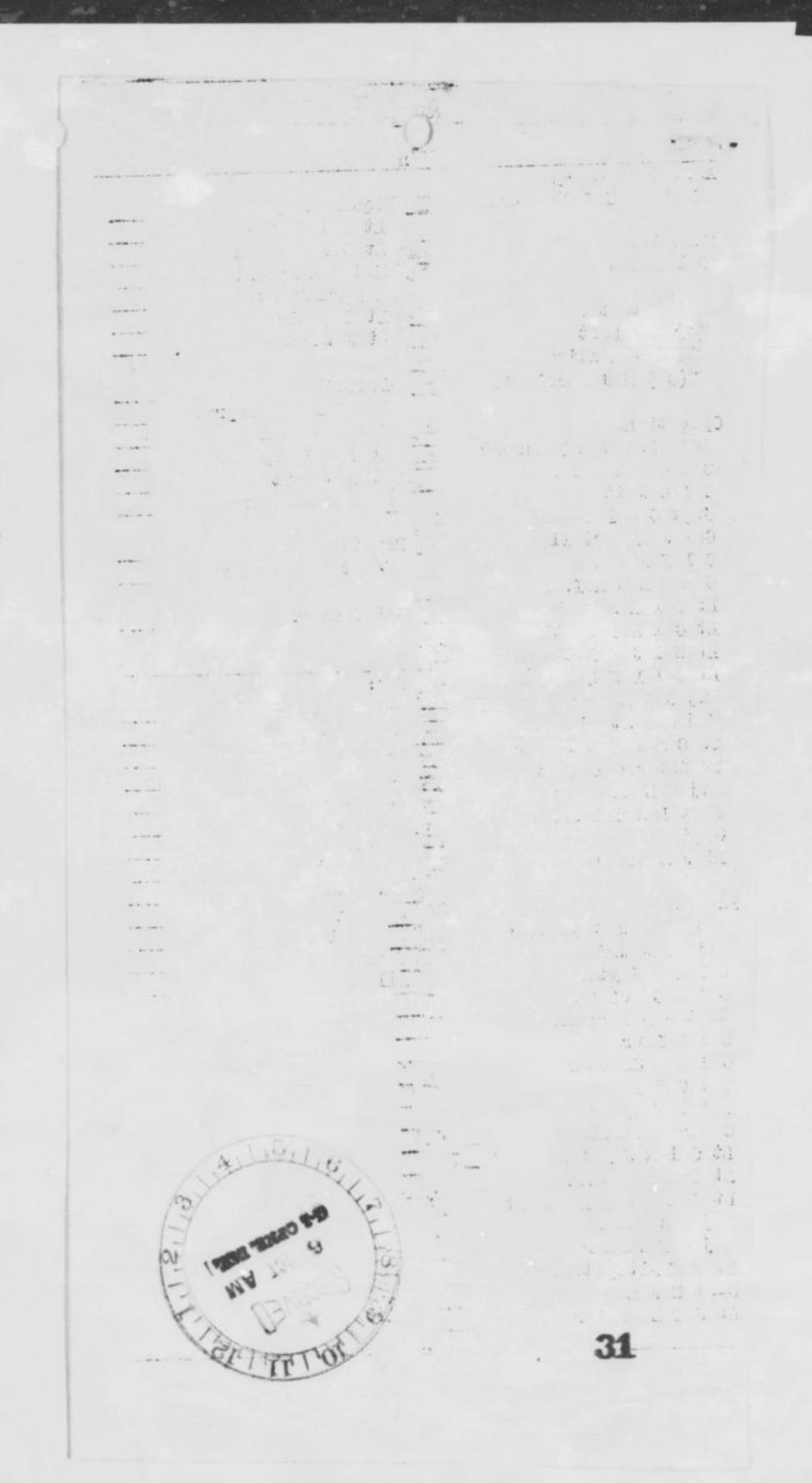
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File No.:

Subject:

From: G-2

To: G-3 Ops (Gen. Chambers)

Date: 5 Oct 1944

l. Following our conversation this A.M., the following means of disseminating PI intelligence are now in effect:

IMMEDIATE OPERATIONAL INTELLIGENCE: Movement of aircraft and shipping.

a. Aircraft in flight are reported over the aircraft warning net, and relayed directly to fighter commands. Cincpos has been informed of the AW frequencies, likewise Task Force 58.

b. Shipping in the PI is reported via coast watcher system directly to D of NI, 7th Fleet, who distributes it to agencies concerned.

ROUTINE and CONFIRMATORY INTELLIGENCE: Ground movement of troops, troop dispositions, planes on the ground, shipping in ports, installations, results of air and neval actions:

a. Air data (not including l.a. above) is abstracted from messages and sent via courier to Cincpoa. D of NI. 7th Fleet, FEAF, and 5th AF.

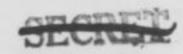
b. A daily summary of PI intelligence, including all PI data less l.a. above is distributed each evening to 132 offices.

c. 6th Army has a G-2 liaison officer with the PI Section of G-2 for the purpose of disseminating to 6th Army, by more rapid means then is now normal, such PI data as he feels would be desired by the 6th Army.

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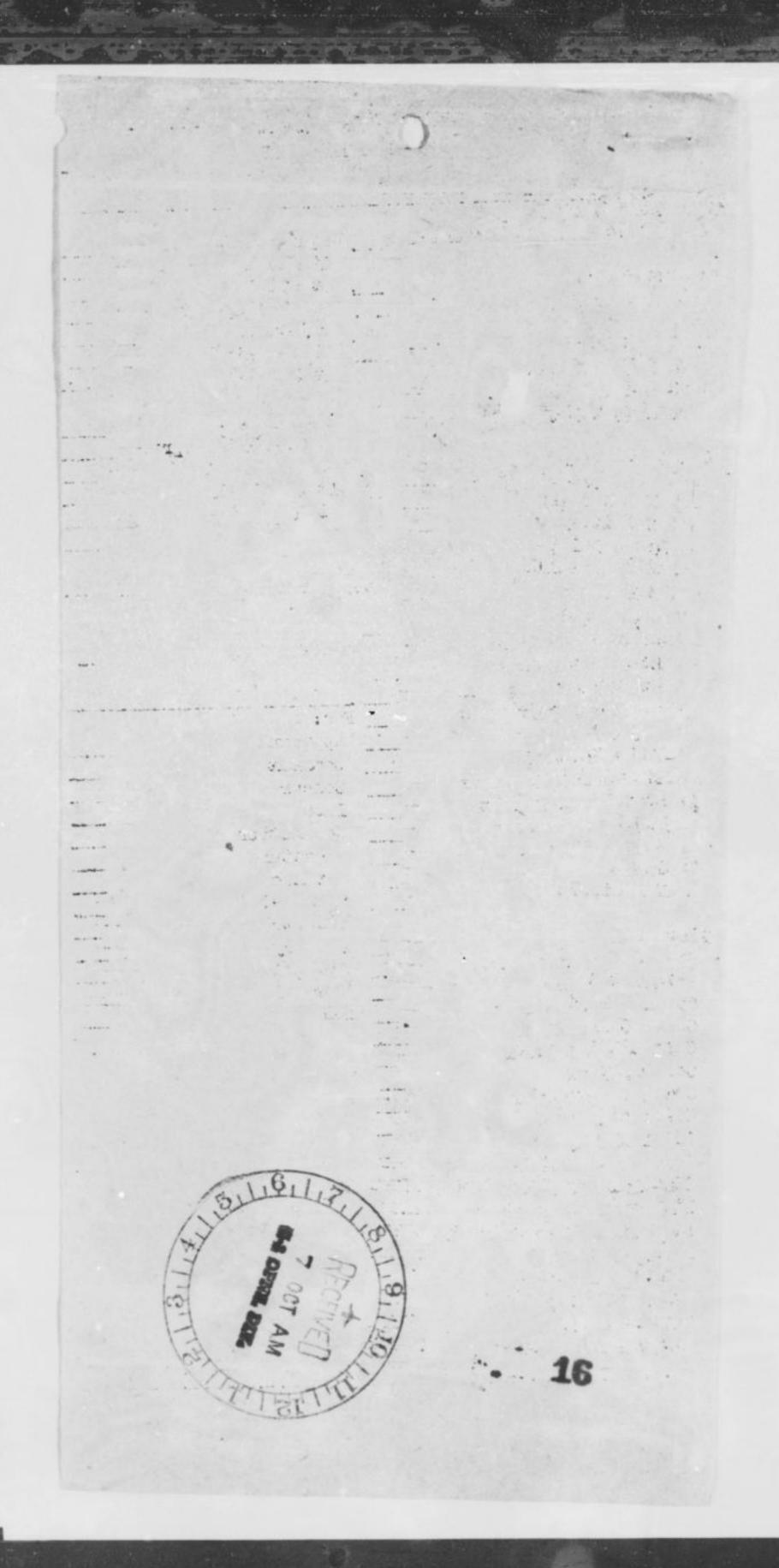
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1944.

FROM: CHIEF OF STAFF

TO:

Deputy Chief of Staff
Ass't Chief of Staff G-1
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To: Chief of Staff

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Date: 5 October 1944

1. On "A" Day, K-2 operation, our Commanders in the Philippines outside of the objective areas will require general instructions. By policy heretofore enunciated, to GHQ is reserved the control and direction of their forces. It is accordingly recommended that the following message be dispatched to FERTIG (Mindanao), CUSHING (Cebu), ABCEDE (Negros) and PERALTA (Panay) in addition to such specific instructions as may, upon the request of the Commanding General, Sixth Army, be approved:

THE CAMPAIGN OF REOCCUPATION HAS COMMENCED PD PAREN MACARTHUR
TO ALL COMMANDERS PAREN ALTHOUGH YOUR AREA IS NOT AT PRESENT WITHIN
THE IMMEDIATE ZONE OF OPERATIONS IT IS DESIRED THAT YOUR FORCES BE
COMMITTED TO LIMITED OFFENSIVE ACTION WITH THE SPECIFIC MISSION OF
HARASSING THE MOVEMENT OF ENEMY RESERVES WITHIN YOUR AREA AND AS FAR
AS POSSIBLE CONTAINING HIM TO HIS PRESENT POSITIONS PD INTELLIGENCE
COVERAGE MUST BE INTENSIFIED IN ORDER THAT I BE FULLY AND PROMPTLY
ADVISED OF ALL MAJOR CHANGES IN ENEMY DISPOSITIONS OR MOVEMENT PD IN
THE ACCOMPLISHMENT OF YOUR TASK YOU ARE AUTHORIZED TO RECRUIT UP TO
DOUBLE YOUR TOWNS STRENGTH FROM AMONG ONLY RPT ONLY CAREFULLY
SELECTED ABLE BODIED MEN WITH PREVIOUS MILITARY TRAINING TO I SHALL
APPANCE TO DELIVER YOU ADEQUATE ARMS CMA AUMUNITION AND OTHER ESSENTIAL
EQUIPMENT BY SURFACE CRAFT OR AIR DROP AS SOON AS THE MILITARY SITUATION

CHALLENGE TO THE MAXIMUM EFFORT OF YOUR FORCES AND THE PEOPLE IN SUPPORT OF OUR OPERATIONS PD THE VIOLENCE OF OUR ATTACK WILL ENSURE THE ENEMY'S ULTIMATE DEFEAT BUT THE SPEED OF OUR ADVANCE WILL DEPEND IN NO SMALL MEASURE UPON THE STRENGTH OF YOUR SUPPORT PD MAY GOD STRENGTH YOU IN THIS STRUCCES.

2. Limited authorization has been included in the above message as all of the Commanders addressed have reported a reserve of trained manpower available should it be required. Such manpower may be most profitably employed if properly organized and directed. We have a firm basis for such action in the areas indicated.

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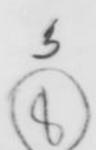
- 1. Advise that out of the first parachutist class of the 5217th (Filipino) Reconnaissance Battalion 5 officers and 24 enlisted men qualified as parachutists on 30 September and are now available for dropping into positions if necessary to implement future plans. The course of instruction culminated with 4 daytime and 2 night time jumps from aircraft.
- 2. A new class started on 2 October which has 6 officers and 67 men in attendance.
- 3. This project is proceeding satisfactorily and should provide a force of no less than 60 intelligence and communications trained Filipino parachutists by "A" day for K-2 operation. These men may be utilized to give immediate flexibility to existing intelligence or communication nets in the Philippines, or to augment the reconnaissance elements of regular parachute units, as required.
- 4. Their considerable value in future Philippine operations, if profitably employed, is indicated.

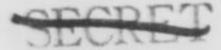
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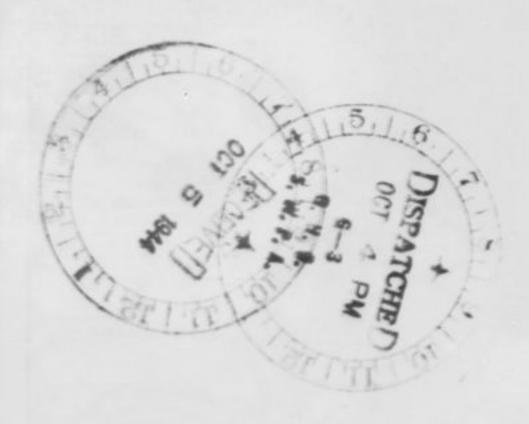
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GENERAL HEADQUARTERS SOUTHWEST PACIFIC AREA CHECK SHEET (Do not remove from attached sheets) File No.: Subject: **FRES** To: Chief of Staff Date: 2 October 1944 G-3 From: 1. Advise that supply mission (NAUTILUS) to the 6th Military District (PANAY) was successfully accomplished on 30 September. 2. Forty seven Americans were evacuated under the C in C's policy of evacuation. They have been enroute to the evacuation center for several months and complete the project insofar as the general area PANAY-ROMBLON-CUYOS-Northern PALAWAN is concerned. 3. With the exception of a few remaining Americans from the CEBU-NEGROS area who will shortly be evacuated from Southern NEGROS further evacuation from the area south of LUZON is not contemplated.

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1. MENTIVE.

a. This Staff Study is drawn pursuant to verbal directive G-3, OHQ, SMPA dated 27 September 1944. It covers utilisation of the existing Philippine generalla forces and organised Pilipine groups in support of Southwest Pacific forces throughout operations in the PHILIPPINE Archipelage.

b. Objectives of Philippine guerrilla forces and organised
 Pilipino groups ares

(1) Primary.

To support operations of Southwest Pasific forces during recommunication of the PHILIPPINE Archipelago.

(2) Ultimate.

To assist Southwest Pagific Area Forces in the re-establishment and defence of the constituted government of the PHILIPPINE ISLANDS.

2. ASSINGTIONS.

a. Hostile.

- (1) That the enemy counter-espionage system will be sufficiently effective to preclude dissemination of operational plans prior to D-day to friendly forces within enemy-held areas.
- (2) That major utilities and communication installations in enemy hands will be strongly guarded.



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- (3) That enemy forces will take vigorous reprisal action against any armed civil uprisings or demonstrations.
- (4) That enemy forces will be in sufficient strength within SWPA operational areas to preclude ground offensive combat in strength by guerrilla forces behind enemy limes.
- (5) That major enemy forces within SWPA operational areas will not be diverted to offensive action against guerrilla forces after D-day.

b. Oun Forces.

- (1) That existing Philippine guerrilla forces and organised Filipino groups will remain in being throughout Southwest Pasific forces' operations in the PHILIPPINE Archipelago until consolidation has been obtained.
- (2) That existing means of communication will continue to function.
- (3) That present means of submarine supply to friendly forces in enemy-held areas may be complemented by asrial and light naval craft supply from established bases after 20 November.
- (4) That Philippine guarrilla forces will be effective for intelligence, minor sabotage and harasament of enemy lines of communication prior to junctions with invading friendly forces, and capable of minor organised defensive and offensive action after such junctions have been effected.

- (5) That organized friendly Filipino groups will be effective for intelligence purposes, and for provision of assistance to friendly ground and air forces operating behind enemy lines.
- (6) That trained sabotage teems will be available for employment in areas where major sabotage missions are required.

3. OPERATIONS.

a. Gonoepta

This plan visualises operations by Philippine guerrilla forces and friendly Filipino groups in active and passive offensive action against enemy forces in the PHILIPPINES in support of operations by Southwest Pacific forces, as outlined in the MUSKETKER Plan.

PHILIPPINE Archipelago will be controlled, supplied and directed by G-in-G SWPA, within and outside the geographical limits of designated operational areas prior to D-day for those areas. During the period prior to D-day, activities of all forces and groups will be largely confined to securing general and specific tactical and strategical intelligence for ground, air, and naval forces. Sabetage and harasaing missions within capabilities of guarrilla forces shall be accomplished inside objective areas as requested by the Army Commander (or army directed task force commander) charged with conduct of operations within the area concerned.

Upon establishment of the Army Commender (or army directed task force commender) within an objective area,



groups within the objective area will pass to the
Army Commander (or army directed task force commander)
who shall assume responsibility for control, supply
and direction of those forces for the accomplishment
of such missions as will further his plan of campaign.
When consolidation of successive objective areas has
been completed, control of guarrilla forces and friendly
groups passes to the agency designated by C-in-C SWPA.

b. Scheme of Operations.

Prior to assumption of control by the Army Commander (or army directed task force commander) of guerrilla forces and friendly groups within designated objective areas, GHQ will collect pertinent intelligence information and direct execution of such sabotage and harassing missions as may be requested by the Army Commander (or army directed task force commander) concerned.

Dissemination of all tactical and strategic intelligence emanating from Philippine sources will be accomplished by GHQ.

Shall present to the Army Commander (or army directed task force commander) concerned, an objective folder for the assigned area of operations showing strengths and locations of guerrilla forces and friendly groups within the areas, together with specific sabotage and harassing missions that are considered practicable of execution. Any of these missions (or other determined practical missions) desired for execution prior to D-day by the Army Commander (or army



directed task force communder) in furtherence of his plan of campaign will be directed by GHQ.

All guarrilla forces and friendly groups inside operational objective areas will be notified by GHQ, as arranged with the Army Commander, that control and command of their forces and groups will pass to the Army Commander (or army directed task force commander) upon his establishment at the beachhead.

The Army Commander (or army directed task force commander) will establish control and regulation of the communications system of guerrilla forces and Filipino groups and of CHQ, in objective areas, concurrently with his establishment at the beachhead.

The Army Commander (or army directed task force commander) will be relieved of control of areas within the objective area at such time as the G-in-C, SWPA may direct, and control of guerrilla forces and friendly groups within the confines of the areas specified will pass to the agency designated by the C-in-C SWPA.

Supporting Assesses.

Allied Air Forces

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- Logistic support of Filipino guerrilla forces and friendly groups as directed.

Allied Haval Forces - Operations of light neval craft in support of Filipino gaserilla forces and friendly groups.

> - Operations of aircraft in support of Filipino guerrilla forces and friendly groups.

4. CAPABILITIES.

a. General.

Capabilities of organised guerrilla forces and friendly groups are, in general, limited to the secomplishment of the following type of missions:

- (1) The securement of general and requested specific intelligence of energy activities behind the lines both prior to and after D-day.
- (2) The post D-day harasament of enemy movements behind the lines by:
 - (a) Ambushing enemy ground forces and patrols within designated areas.
 - (b) Demolishing small bridges and railroad tracks.
 - (c) Sabotaging the enemy railroad system.
 - (d) Disrupting enemy telegraph, telephone, or cable lines of communication within designated areas.
- (3) Assistance of movement into pre-determined positions of small parties or recommissance patrols.
- (4) Reinforcement of ground force communications and reconnaissance agencies.
- (5) Provision of guides and interpreters to aid ground force commanders.
- (6) Protection of Allied ground, air and neval personnel operating behind enemy lines.
- (7) Accumulation of local labor and transport facilities.
- (8) Garrison and police of re-compded areas.
- (9) Provision of guard for enemy prisoners of war.
- (10) Provision of personnel to assist the evacuation of the wounded.

b. Organisation.

- (1) Controlling policies:
 - (a) To adhere to the pre-war military district division



insofur as possible in the development of guerrilla leadership and activity. (See Appendix 4. b. (1).)

- (b) To formally recognise a command within a given area once unification thereof had been effected under one leadership, and to recognise that leader as its Commander.
- (e) To supply, equip and finance such command once recognised, as available transport facility would permit, and to guide and direct its activities.

(2) MINDANAOA

The HINDANAO area contains guarrilla forces with organizations and strengths as shown in Appendices 4. b. (2) and 4. b. (2 s).

(3) YISAYASA

The VISAYAN eres contains guerrilla forces with organizations and strengths as shown in Appendices 4. b. (3) and 4. b. (3 a).

(A) INZONA

Due to the heavier enemy concentrations and wide distribution of enemy forces in that area, the guerrilla situation in LUZON is necessarily confined more to the commentional type of an underground movement than is the case in the Islands south of LUZON where large free areas of maneuver permit organised open resistance.

While it is known that mamerous guerrilla organisations exist with secret agents reportedly running into hundreds of thousands covering almost every important area and phase of enemy activity throughout LUZON, the situation is still too obscure to permit the presentation of a detailed picture thereof in reliable form. Specific information is now being developed, however, by agents



of GHR which when completed will be prepared and disseminated as a supplement to this study.

c. Communications

The radio consequications system presently in existence and functioning in the Philippines is as shown in Appendix 4. c. The density of its development has been premised upon the requirement to provide channels to all important centers of enemy activity, through which general and combat intelligence might be flashed to GHQ, and to link up the detached elements of area commands. In its development existing facilities of guerrilla forces and other friendly groups have been fully availed of and massrous specially trained GHQ detechments have infiltrated into the Islands to strengthen and sugment such existing facilities. INZON has lagged behind in this development by established priority but ONG now has three signal intelligence detachments penetrating into North and Central IUZON equipped for the mission to establish a radio not covering all vital enemy installations. To give immediate flexibility to existing communication nets as required a trained reserve of Filipine personutists is maintained by GHQ.



d. Intelliamon.

To strengthen and augment existing sources of guerrilla er other friendly group intelligence, GHQ has infiltrated into the Philippines numerous specially trained agents who maintain direct radio contact with GHQ and operate under its direction. To give immediate flexibility to existing intelligence note a trained reserve of Filipine parashutists is maintained by GHQ.

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The weather observatory system presently in existence and functioning throughout the Philippines is shown in Appendix 4. c.

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all observatories are equipped and staffed by specially trained 6500 weather parsonnel infiltrated into the positions indicated. All observatories flash complete weather reports at 0500, 1100, 1700 and 2300 hours local time daily which permits the preparation of an accurate weather map of the Philippines as of the hours stated and the forecast of future weather.

f. Quarrilla Operational Areas (GOA).

Operational Areas (hereinafter referred to as GOAs) for the purpose of presenting Army commanders (or army directed task force commanders) with clearly defined areas wherein active intalligence, sabetage or harmseing missions may be accomplished. In view of personal, political and geographical considerations, it is considered impractical to attempt a revision of organization or occurred of existing guarrilla forces or friendly Filipino groups in enemy held areas at this time. Division of OCAs are as shown in Appendices 4. d. (1) (2) (3).

S. Preparation of Planes

Facilities and personnel of GHQ will be made available to representatives of Army commanders (or army directed task force commanders) to assist in the preparation of plans for employment of guarrilla forces and friendly Filipino groups and the CHQ specially trained Filipinos already dispatched to the Philippines or in reserve on missions other than those shown in objective folders.

Notes This plan will be supported by Staff Studies as follows:

to Staff Study - "Objective Folder --- GOP 14."

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SOUTHWEST PACIFIC AREA

OPERATIONS

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From: G-3

To: Chief of Staff

Date: 1 October 1944

1. Advise that the following Philippine operations have been successfully completed within the past few days:

- (a) The supply of the 10th Military District through CARAGA (East coast of DAVAO);
- (b) The supply of the 10th Military District and the discharge of an officer and thirty five enlisted men, to reinforce communications and intelligence in the SARANGANI Bay area and along the Sayre Highway, at KIAMBI (South coast of COTABATO);
- (c) The supply of the 10th Military District and the discharge of three Filipino enlisted operators in the area of the MACAJALAR Bay (MISAMIS ORIENTAL).

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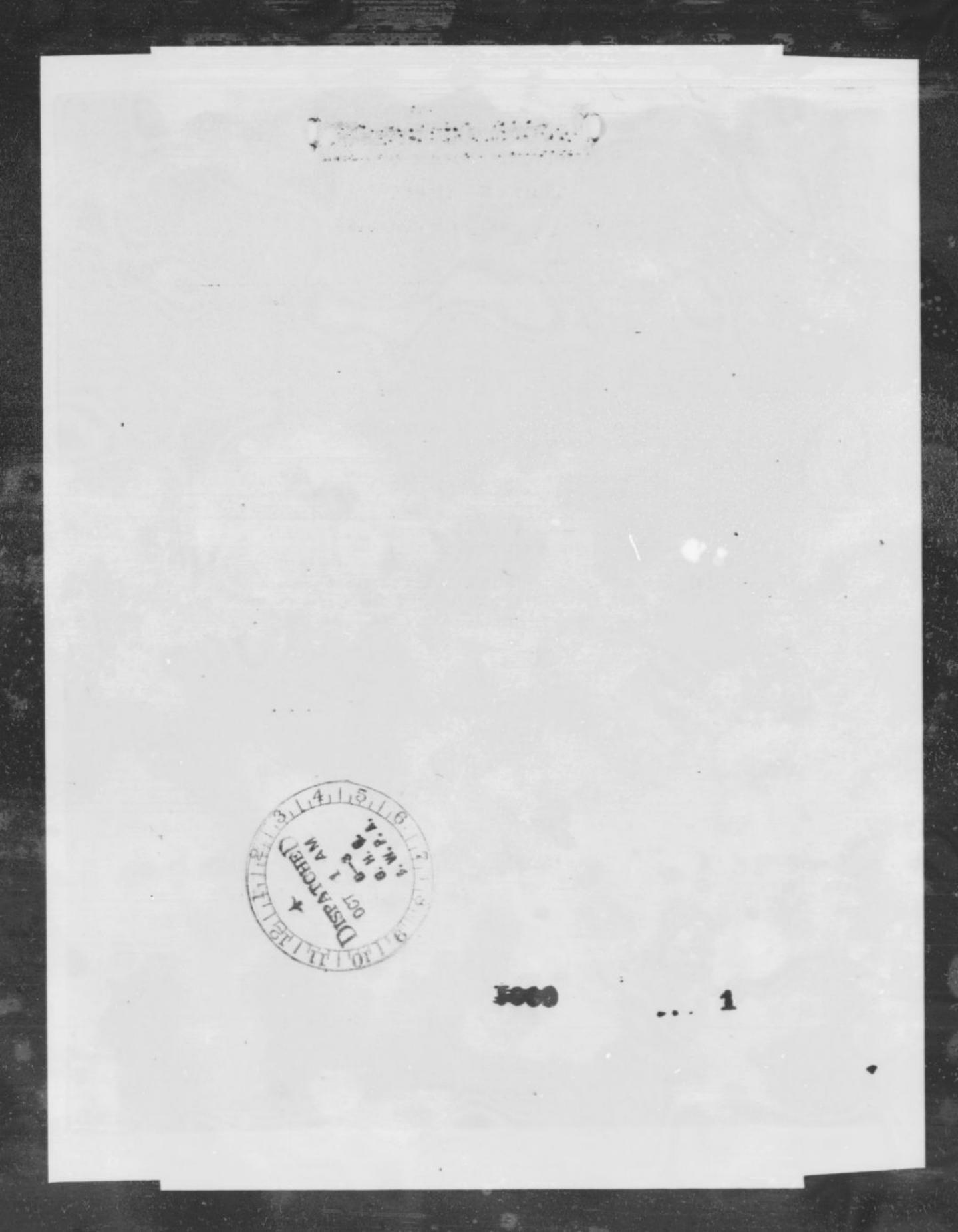
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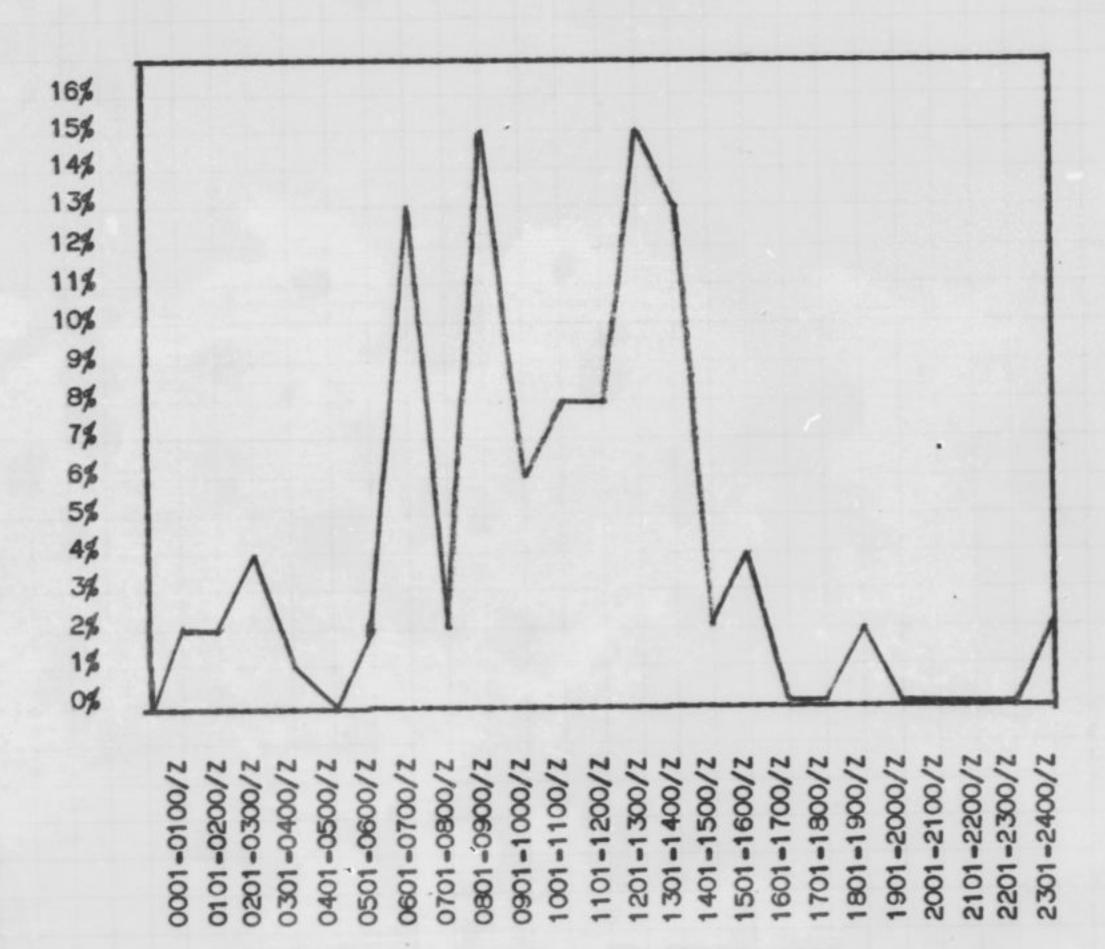
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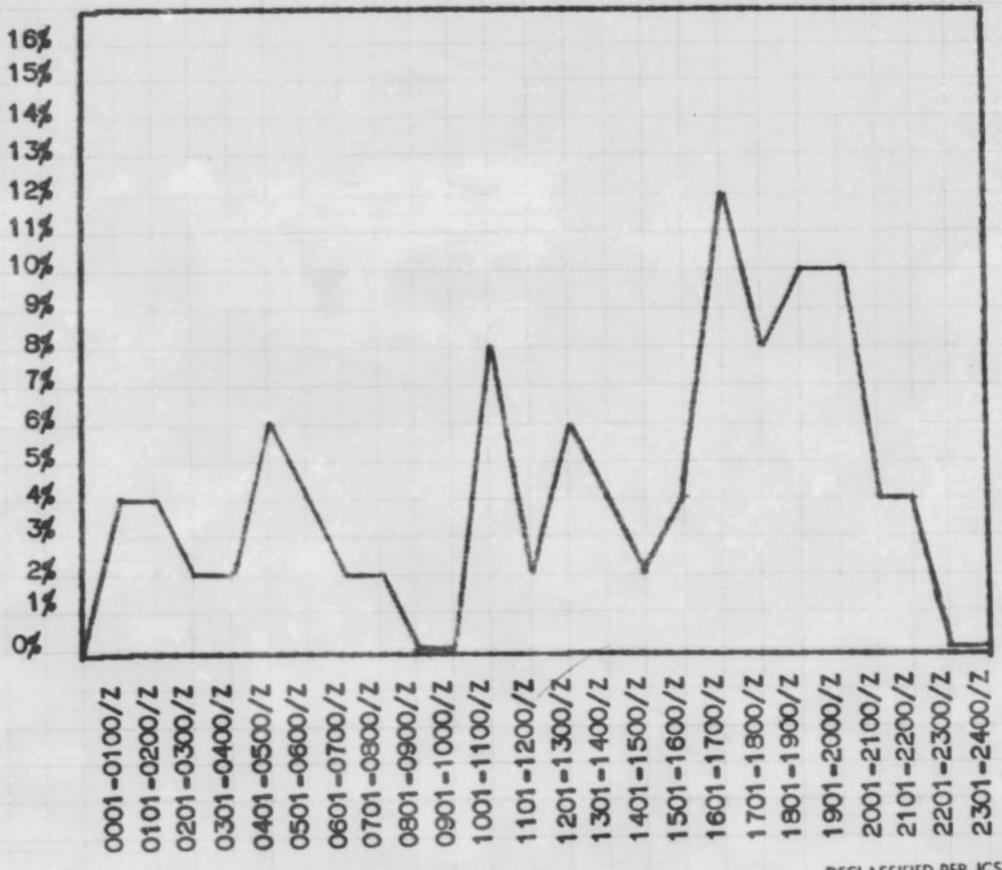
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978TH SIGNAL MESSAGE CENTER GRAPHIC PRESENTATION OF "TIME READY FOR DELIVERY" OF TRAFFIC

(EXPRESSED IN ZED TIME)



SUMMARY BY 8 HOUR PERIODS OF ABOVE

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