

Organization and  
Establishment of  
Divisions at the

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of the

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  - 1045 Saboteur Landings Forecast.
  - 1050 German Navy Yearbook.
  - 1055 "Bonus" to Armed Guard.
  - 1060 Re-insurance Leak Plugged.
  - 1065 Substitute for Third Internationals.
  - 1070 Foreign Intelligence Organizations Other Than Enemy.
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- 2000 Foreign Service, Inclusion of Counter-Intelligence in all Functions of JICA.
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  - 3040 Collaboration on Master List of Suspect Spanish Seamen.

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- 4000 Relationship with State Department in Repatriation of Citizens Between Belligerents.
- 4020 Mechanical Details and Policies of Repatriation.
- 4040 Second Voyage of the Gripsholm.
- 4060 Germany Requests Exchange.
- 4080 State Department List--Japanese Eligible for Repatriation.
  
- 5000 Relocation of Persons of Japanese Ancestry.
- 5010 Assistance to the Government in Celebrated Japanese Test Case.
- 5020 Relocation of Japanese-American Students.
- 5030 Return of Japanese to West Coast.
- 5040 Cooperation with WDO on Civil Suits.
- 5050 Revision of Japanese Suspect Files.
  
- 6000 Intelligence Digests for CINCPAC.
  
- 7000 Study of German Infiltration into Business.
  
- 8000 Integrated Study of the Balkans.
  
- 9000 Smuggling by the Enemy.
  
- 10000 Conspiracy to Undermine Morale.
  
- 11000 Service to the Office of the President in Racial Matters.
- 11010 Racial Information to SOSED.
  
- 12000 Strike Information Furnished to SOSED.
  
- 13000 Total of 9,458 Summaries Written by One Unit in ~~Twenty-~~ <sup>THIRTY-Two</sup> ~~Miss~~ Months.
- 13,010 High Percentage of Naval Interest.
- 13,020 Check on 20,000 Applicants for Work at Pearl Harbor.
  
- 14000 Clearance of Companies Having Naval Contracts.
  
- 15000 Examination of World War I Records.
  
- 16000 Subversives Discharged From the Navy.
  
- 17000 Transfer of Registry of American Vessels.
  
- 18000 Check on 8,000 Japanese-Americans Eligible for Induction Into the Army.

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- 21000 Extensive Report on the Philippine Islands Supplied to CINCPOA.
- 22000 Information on Japanese in Europe Furnished COMNAVEU and SHAEP.
- 23000 Comprehensive Study of German Intelligence Activities in South America, 1943-1944.
- 24000 Survey of Communist Activities in Latin America.
- 25000 Counter-Intelligence Data on Taiwan (Formosa).
- 26000 Counter-Intelligence Data on the Izu and Bonin Islands.
- 27000 Counter-Intelligence Survey of the Nansei Shoto.
- 28000 Fleets Directed to Forward Counter-Intelligence Data.
- 29000 Navy and Army Warned of Lax Security Conditions in Kunming.
- 30000 Effort to Correct Practices of Over-Classification of Documents.
- 31000 ONI (B-7) Collaboration with U. S. Military Intelligence and British Intelligence.
- 32000 Counter-Intelligence Data on Japan.
- 33000 Close Cooperation with Cominch F-20, Cominch F-28 and Op-20-G.
- 34000 Advance Warning of Resumption of Submarine Warfare.
- 35000 Interrogation of German Espionage Agents.
- 36000 Booklet on Japanese Sabotage.
- 37000 Japanese Balloons Loosed Upon West Coast.
- 38000 Membership on Editorial Board for International Developments of Naval Interest.
- 39000 Membership on Joint Japanese Document Board.
- 40000 Liaison with War Crimes Office.
- 41000 Summary Monographs on Intelligence Organizations.
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Soviet Foreign Policy and the Communist International.

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- L3000 Interrogation of German Intelligence Service Personnel.
- L4000 Study of Greater East Asia Ministry.
- L5000 Study of Japanese Foreign Affairs Archives.

APPENDIX

Directives, Operating Plans, Letters, Memoranda, etc. pertaining to B-7.

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