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MEMORANDUM

July 28, 1942

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From the desk of A. H. L. Mellor  
To Staff members dealing directly with Japanese  
Subject: Instructions to Japanese - Defence of Canada Regulations

All Japanese nationals and all Japanese who have become naturalized Canadians since 1922 must report each month to their nearest Registrar of Alien Enemies.

It is becoming evident that in some cases this is not being done and the Royal Canadian Mounted Police have requested us to emphasize to the Japanese the necessity of reporting regularly, otherwise, prosecutions will have to follow.

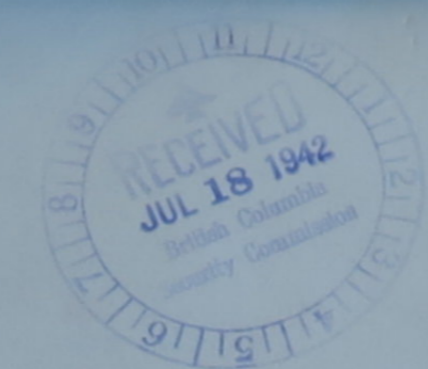
It is therefore desired by the Commission that all members of the staff who deal personally with the Japanese should inform those classed as alien enemies that their parole certificates must be endorsed by the local registrar to whom they have been reporting when they are about to be evacuated to some Commission project and that, moreover, on their arrival at such project, they must immediately report to the nearest Registrar of Alien Enemies at such point. They can easily discover who he is by asking any of our representatives or the local postmaster.

It is quite likely that the failure of many Japanese to continue reporting on their removal from their homes is because of ignorance so it is desired that the above remarks be made as public as possible.

*A. H. L. Mellor*  
A. H. L. Mellor,  
Executive Assistant  
B. C. Security Commission

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OTTAWA, July 13th, 1942.

Mr. Austin Taylor,  
Chairman, B. C. Security Commission,  
Marine Building,  
Vancouver, B. C.

Dear Mr. Taylor:-

The attached copy of letter from  
the Deputy Minister of Justice is self explanatory  
and is forwarded for your information.

Yours sincerely,

*A. MacNamara*

A. MacNamara,  
Associate Deputy Minister

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PLEASE ADDRESS  
THE DEPUTY MINISTER OF JUSTICE  
OTTAWA

OTTAWA March 26th, 1942.

J.R. 6630-42

Dear Sir:

Referring to your unsigned letter of March 17th, I enclose herewith copies of the Orders in Council therein listed.

I would point out that the Consolidation of the Defence of Canada Regulations, established by Order in Council P.C. 5295 of July 15, 1941, has been frequently amended and that a new Consolidation is now being prepared. The Consolidation forwarded is not, therefore, up to date. Immediately upon the new Consolidation being printed I will forward copies to you. I believe that all amendments to Regulation 4, which is the relevant Regulation, are enclosed herewith.

The last item requested in your letter is an Order of the Minister of Justice made on March 4 and is not an Order in Council. A copy of this Order is enclosed.

Yours truly,

Enc.

*F.P. Varcoe*

Deputy Minister.

*Received  
M.M.*

The Secretary,  
British Columbia Security Commission,  
1130 Marine Bldg.,  
VANCOUVER, B.C.

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Mar. 21, 1942.

R U S H

Secretary,  
Dept. of Labour,  
OTTAWA.

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B.C. SECURITY COMMISSION.

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