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**OFFICE OF THE CUSTODIAN
JAPANESE SECTION**

To be completed by persons of the Japanese race having property in any protected area. The proper administration of this property requires such persons to give full particulars as requested in this form.

PERSONAL INFORMATIONNAME: **HIKITA, Tatsuya**HOME ADDRESS: **Big Bay Lbr. Co., Georgetown, B.C.**REGISTRATION NUMBER **10464** SEX: **MALE** AGE: **63**OCCUPATION: **Big Bay Lbr. Co., Georgetown, Prince Rupert, B.C.****Sawmill Worker**

* (If any business or businesses carried on, state where, under what name and whether carried on by yourself or in partnership with anyone; if partnership, give partner's name.)

EMPLOYER: **Big Bay Lbr. Co., Georgetown, Prince Rupert, B.C.**MARRIED? **SINGLE**NAME OF WIFE OR HUSBAND: **NONE**ADDRESS OF WIFE OR HUSBAND: **NONE**NAMES OF ANY LIVING CHILDREN: **NONE**ADDRESS OF CHILDREN: **NONE**AGE OF CHILDREN: **NONE****STATEMENT OF ALL REAL PROPERTY** (Each parcel must be mentioned and particulars given)1. LOCATION AND DESCRIPTION: **NONE**2. BUILDINGS AND OTHER IMPROVEMENTS: **NONE**3. INSURANCE (Give particulars; state where policies are) **NONE**4. TAXES (Amount and where payable) **NONE**5. ENCUMBRANCES (Including any unregistered claims or deposit of title deed) **NONE**6. OCCUPANCY AND LEASES (If vacant so state) **NONE**

7. STATE WHEREABOUTS OF TITLE DOCUMENTS: NONE

8. STATE IF ANY OTHER PERSON HAS ANY INTEREST: NONE

9. IF FARM LAND STATE CROPS SOWN: NONE

STATEMENT OF REAL PROPERTY OCCUPIED

1. LOCATION AND DESCRIPTION: Cabin, Big Bay Lbr. Co., Prince Rupert, BC

2. LANDLORD'S NAME AND ADDRESS: Big Bay Lbr. Co., Prince Rupert, B.C.

3. PARTICULARS OF LEASE AND RENT AND DATE TO WHICH PAID:

\$2.50 per month, rent paid up to date.

4. STATE WHEREABOUTS OF LEASE: NONE

5. SUB-TENANTS, IF ANY (Give name, address, rent and to what date paid):

NONE

6. IF FARM LAND, PARTICULARS OF CROPS SOWN:

NONE

STATEMENT OF PERSONAL PROPERTY OWNED:

1. GIVE BRIEF DESCRIPTION AND STATE LOCATION OF FURNITURE, FIXTURES, EQUIPMENT AND MACHINERY, STOCK IN TRADE AND PERSONAL EFFECTS:

1 trunk, 2 boxes at Japanese Association, Fraser St., Prince Rupert, BC

2. HORSES, LIVESTOCK AND OTHER ANIMALS, POULTRY AND PETS:

NONE

3. GIVE THE NAME AND ADDRESS OF ANY PERSON HAVING ANY INTEREST IN, OR CLAIM ON ANY SUCH PROPERTY:

NONE

4. INSURANCE CARRIED ON ABOVE PROPERTY: _____
NONE

5. MORTGAGES, LIENS AND OTHER CLAIMS ON PROPERTY IN POSSESSION OF
 OTHERS: _____
NONE

6. MONEYS OWING TO YOU (State if any of these debts assigned and if so, to whom) _____
NONE

7. BONDS, DEBENTURES, SHARES, STOCKS OR OTHER SECURITIES (State whereabouts)
War Savings Certificates eight at \$5.00, in the possession of
the owner.

8. BANK ACCOUNTS: **NONE**

9. LIFE INSURANCE: **NONE**

10. INTEREST IN ANY ESTATES OR TRUSTS _____
NONE

11. SAFETY DEPOSIT BOX: _____
NONE

LIABILITIES:

1. PERSONAL DEBTS: _____
NONE

2. TRADE DEBTS: _____
NONE

REMARKS: _____
NONE

I certify that the above information is true and complete and fully discloses all my property of every description in any protected area in British Columbia and sets forth all my liabilities direct and indirect.

Dated this 2 3rd day of March 1942.

(Signature) H. HIKIDA

T. J. Williams
 Witness

FOR DEPARTMENTAL USE _____

INFORMATION FROM R.C.M.P.

DATE Sept. 16/43

Our File No. 536

Full Name MIKITA, Tatsuya *Assessed*
(Surname in Block Letters)

Registration No. 10464

Male - Female
(Check)

Age Dec. 24, 1878

Former Address Big Bay Lbr. Co., Georgetown, B.C.

Date Evacuated 13/7/42

Naturalized - Canadian-Born - National
(Check)

Present Address Popoff Farms, Slokan, B.C.

*Dead in New Denver B.C.
April 24/47*

Married - Single
(Check)

Name of Wife _____

Name of Husband _____

Name of Mother Dead

Name of Father Dead

Names of Children under 16 _____

Requested by ECT

Registered with Custodian Yes
(Yes or No)

Additional Information Small Worker

GENERAL SUMMARY

File No. 536

Tatsuya HIKITA, Dec'd.

Reg. No. 10464.

Tatsuya Hikita died at New Denver, B. C. on April 24, 1947. According to our records, he was single at the time of his death and both parents predeceased him.

The only assets declared to the Custodian were eight \$5.00 War Savings Certificates in his own possession and a trunk and two boxes which he left at the Japanese Association in Prince Rupert, B.C. We have no information regarding the War Savings Certificates but it is presumed that these were disposed of during his lifetime. From an inquiry to H. G. Helgeson Ltd., at Prince Rupert, it was found that the trunk and two boxes were shipped to Hikita at Hastings Park, Vancouver, B. C.

The only claim appearing on this file is for the sum of \$80.00 to cover funeral expenses paid by the Department of Labour. The Department of Labour was advised that there were no funds available in this office from which to pay their claim.

This summary is certified
to be in accordance with
information on file.

W. Cleaver

June 20, 1947.

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EVACUATION SECTION
Rec. APR 30 1947
File No. 536
Ans. P.
Referred *M. L. Brown*

G-578

DEPARTMENT OF LABOUR - CANADA

BRITISH COLUMBIA SECURITY COMMISSION

Date: April 29/47

Class

Department of the Secretary of State,
Office of the Custodian,
506 Royal Bank Building,
Vancouver, B.C.

Dear Sirs:

Please be advised that (NAME) Tatsuye HIKITA
(REGISTRATION NO.) 10464 died at (PLACE) New Denver, B. C.
on (DATE) April 24th, 1947.

This is for your information.

Yours truly,

M. L. Brown
M.L. Brown
Office Manager



CANADA

DEPARTMENT OF LABOUR
JAPANESE DIVISION

EVACUATION SECTION	
Rec'd	MAY 17 1947
File No.	376
Ans.	
Referred	<i>MacArthur</i>

360 Homer Street,
Vancouver, B. C.,
May 16, 1947.

Department of the Secretary of State,
Office of the Custodian,
506 Royal Bank Building,
Vancouver, B. C.

Re: Tatsuye HIKITA #10464 Deceased

Dear Sir:

We wish to make claim for recovery of the sum of \$50.00 from the estate of the above mentioned deceased, to cover the cost of funeral expenses paid by this Department in connection with his burial.

Please advise as to whether there are sufficient funds available in the estate to take care of this account, or if there is a relative of the deceased with sufficient assets who would have legal responsibility for the funeral expenses.

For your information, Mr. Hikita died on April 24th, 1947, at New Denver, B. C.

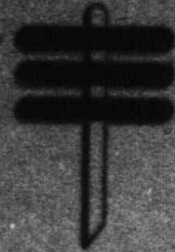
Yours truly,

DEPARTMENT OF LABOUR - JAPANESE DIVISION

M. L. Brown
M. L. Brown
Office Manager.

H. E. ARNOLD, MGR.
NOTARY PUBLIC

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File No. 536 A A 22.

Mr. R.G. Bell,
Office of the Custodian,
Vancouver, B.C.

Dear Mr. Bell:-

Re: Tatsuvo Hibita, Reg. #10464 (Des'd).

Replying to yours of May 20th re above, we have searched this man's file. It contains only the original declaration made by this man on March 23rd 1942 and an order signed by him on May 9th 1942 and addressed to Mr. Geo Rorie, Prince Rupert asking that 1 trunk, 1 Japanese basket and 2 boxes be sent by freight to him at Hastings Park, Vancouver. There is no doubt that this was done, or there would be further correspondence on the matter in the file.

Yours very truly,
H.G. HELGERSON LTD.

H. E. Arnold

NEA

MANAGER.

EVACUATION SECTION	
MAY 30 1947	
Rec'd	PRINCE RUPERT, B.C.
File No. <u>536 / A A 22</u>	May 26th 1947.
Ans.	
Referred <u>Bell</u>	

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May 20th, 1947.

Messrs. H. G. Halgerson Ltd.,
216 Sixth Street,
Prince Rupert, B. C.

Dear Sirs:

Re: Tatsuwa HIKITA - Reg. #10464 (Dec'd.)

We are advised by the Department of Labour, Japanese Division, that the above evacuee died at New Denver on the 24th April, 1947.

His file shows no real property and the only personal property declared (Mar. 23/42), apart from a few War Savings Certificates retained in his own possession, consisted of "1 Trunk and 2 Boxes" left at the Japanese Association Hall. There is no further reference to these articles and as far as our records go they would appear to be at the Hall still. We think it probable that these goods were shipped to owner, but before replying to the Department on the subject of deceased's assets, we should like to know what, if anything, is held for him.

Yours truly,

R. G. Bell,
Office of the Custodian.

RGB/P.

June 10th, 1947.

Attention Mr. H. L. Brown.

Department of Labour,
Japanese Division,
360 Homer Street,
Vancouver, B. C.

Dear Sirs:

Re: Tatsuwa HUKITA - Reg. No. 10464 (Deceased).

We have to acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 16th ultimo and note that the above Naturalized-Canadian Mill-worker from Georgetown, B. C., died at New Denver on the 24th April, 1947.

His file shows the only assets declared by him to have been War Savings Certificates (8 @ \$5.00) and a trunk and 2 boxes of personal effects. The former remained in his possession and did not come under our administration, and the latter were shipped to him.

We have no ledger account in this name.

Yours very truly,

R. G. Bell,
Office of the Custodian.

MB/P.