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Rt. Hon. Mr. McKenzie King,
Prime Minister of Canada,
To whom it may concern,
Ottawa, Canada.

I, a Japanese repatriate, going to Japan voluntary,
do herewith submit a claim for damage incurred as a result of
coercive evacuation from the Pacific Coast.

Before the evacuation, on the solemn pledge that the pro-
perty handed over to the Custodian would be safeguarded in the
interest of the owner, I had complete faith. But unfortunately,
this pledge was not kept--both the movable and immovable pro-
perties were sold at a loss without my consent. Furthermore,
the unemployed and the disabled in the interior housing settle-
ment had to live on what money the Custodian handed over from
the forced sale of our property.

By attaching a sheet of various claims, I do hereby humbly
petition that my financial loss sustained by me as a result of
forced evacuation from the coast be indemnified by the government
of Canada.

Keiji Kishiyama
Signature.