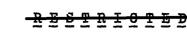
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SUBJECT Release of Information Concerning Cryptanalytic activities.

TO The Commanding Generals,

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Commander-in-Chief,

U S frmy Forces, Pacific
The Commanding Generals,
Theaters of Operations
Defense Commands

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Military District of Washington
Independent Commands under the War Department

1. The following memorandum from the President to the Secretary of War will be brought to the attention of all concerned within your command

Appropriate departments of the Government and the Joint Chicfs of Staff are hereby directed to take such steps as are necessary to prevent release to the public, except with the specific approval of the President in each case, of Information regarding the past or present status, technique or procedures, degree of success attained, or any specific results of any cryptanalytic unit acting under the authority of the U.S. Covernment or any Department thereof.

2. Compliance by all concerned is directed.

By order of the Secretary of War

/s/ Edward F. witsell
EDWARD F. WITSELL,
Major General,
Acting The Adjutant General.

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SUBJECT Release of Information Concerning Cryptanolytic Activities

TO All Military and Civilian Personnel

- 1. Your attention is invited to the letter, reproduced on the reverse of this sheet, from The adjutant General, subject, "Release of Information Concerning Cryptanalytic activities", dated 2 September 1945.
- 2. Certain unauthorized news releases have recently been made which would indicate a relaxation of security regarding Signal Intelligence activities. All personnel of this Agency will observe strict compliance with the directive issued by the President.
- 3. It is requested that this letter be brought to the attention of all personnel.

BY ORDER OF COLONEL HAYES

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