

EXHIBIT No. 14

SECRET

(Paraphrase of a SECRET RADIOGRAM)

G2/C1
FMH

Received at the War Department, November 29, 1941.

From: Fort Shafter, November 29, 1941. No. 986.

To: TAG

With reference to protection of vital installations, namely of Military reservations such as highway bridges, telephone exchanges, and power plants this headquarters by confidential letter of 18 June, 1941 asked the Governor of the territory to use the authority given him by the Organic Act Section 67 which provides that the Governor may call upon the Naval and Military Force Commanders of the United States in the Hawaiian Territory to suppress or prevent invasion, lawless violence, insurrection, etc. In accordance with the above stated Authority on 29 June 1941 the Governor made a confidential formal demand in writing on this headquarters to supply and to keep on furnishing such suitable protection as may be required in order to prevent sabotage, and violence of a lawless nature in connection therewith, being done in the territory against vital structures and installations. Suitable military protection in accordance with the above request is now being given important civilian installations and structures. Upon the suggestion of this headquarters, in connection with the above, the county and city of Honolulu enacted, an ordinance on 30 June 1941 permitting the Hawaiian Dept. Commanding General to restrict the use of and travel upon or to close within the county or city of Honolulu any road whenever such action is necessary in the interest of National Defense. No exercise of the authority thus given has yet been necessary. Cordial relations exist and have been maintained and mutual cooperation has been given on all pertinent matters which involve the FBI and all other Federal and Territorial Officials.

In regard to the secret radiogram of your office numbered 482 dated November 28, 1941, within the scope of investigative responsibility of the War Department (Paragraph No. 3 M1) SC 20-45) and Military establishments which include equipment and personnel, full precautions against activities of a subversive nature are being taken.

Sincere.

EXHIBIT No. 15

SECRET

(Copy)

WPD 4544-13

NOVEMBER 27, 1941.

Memorandum for The Adjutant General (through secretary, General Staff) :
Subject: Far Eastern Situation.

The Secretary of War directs that the following secret, first priority, message be dispatched by cable, radio or telegraph (whichever method is the most secure from the viewpoint of secrecy) to each of the following:

Commanding General, Hawaiian Department

Commanding General, Caribbean Defense Command

Negotiations with Japan appear to be terminated to all practical purposes with only the barest possibilities that the Japanese Government might come back and offer to continue. Japanese future action unpredictable but hostile action possible at any moment. If hostilities cannot, repeat cannot, be avoided, the United States desires that Japan commit the first overt act. This policy should not, repeat not, be construed as restricting you to a course of action that might jeopardize your defense. Prior to hostile Japanese action you are directed to undertake such reconnaissance and other measures as you deem necessary but these measures should be carried out so as not, repeat not, to alarm civil population or disclose intent. Report measures taken. Should hostilities occur you will carry out the tasks assigned in Rainbow Five so far as they pertain

to Japan. Limit dissemination of this highly secret information to minimum essential officers.

L. T. GEROW,
Brigadier General
Acting Assistant Chief of Staff.

EXHIBIT No. 16

PRIORITY -

From: War Department,
Bureau: G-2 scm/mis

T. H. Roderick,
T. E. Roderick,
Lt. Colonel, G. S. C.
Asst. Executive Officer, G-2

TELEGRAM

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NOVEMBER 27, 1941

All Corps Areas
Caribbean Defense Command
Hawaiian Department

Japanese negotiations have come to practical stalemate stop. Hostilities may
cease stop. Subversive activities may be expected stop. Inform commanding
general and chief of staff only end

MURA

Sent no. 478 to Hawaii, 11/27

Sent no. 502 to Panama, 11/27

Sent no. 66 to 1st CA, 11/27

I certify that this message is on official business and necessary for the public
service.

T. H. Roderick,
T. E. Roderick,
Lt. Colonel, G. S. C.
Asst. Executive Officer, G-2

Sent no. 101 to 2nd CA, 11/27

Sent no. 45 to 3rd CA, 11/27

Sent no. 72 to 4th CA, 11/27

Sent no. 40 to 5th CA, 11/27

Sent no. 54 to 6th CA, 11/27

Sent no. 35 to 7th CA, 11/27

Sent no. 75 to 8th CA, 11/27

Sent no. 397 to 9th CA, 11/27

RALPH C. SMITH,
Colonel, General Staff,
Executive Officer, G-2.

Cable recorded in M. L. D.

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EXHIBIT No. 17

[Paraphrase]

G-2
scm/mis
NOVEMBER 27, 1941.

G-2's All Corps Areas
Caribbean Defense Command
Hawaiian Department.

Advise only the commanding officer and the chief of staff that it appears that
the conference with the Japanese has ended in an apparent deadlock stop. Acts
of sabotage and espionage probable stop. Also possible that hostilities may begin
stop. This message to be deciphered only by G-2.

MILES