

EXHIBIT NO. 22

(Seal of Prime Minister)

10, DOWNING STREET,
WHITEHALL.

DRAFT OF PARALLEL COMMUNICATIONS TO THE JAPANESE GOVERNMENT

Declaration by U. S. Government that:

1. Any further encroachment by JAPAN in the South West Pacific would produce a situation in which the U. S. Government would be compelled to take counter measures even though these might lead to war between the U. S. and JAPAN.

2. If any Third Power becomes the object of aggression by JAPAN in consequence of such counter measures or of their support of them, the President would have the intention to seek authority from Congress to give aid to such Power.

Declaration by H. M. G.

Same as above, *mutatis mutandis*, the last phrase reading:—"* * * their support of them, H. M. G. would give all possible aid to such Power."

Declaration by Dutch Government.

Same as that by H. M. G.

Keep the Soviet Government informed. It will be for consideration whether they should be pressed to make a parallel declaration.

AUGUST 10, 1941.

U. S. NAVAL COMMUNICATION SERVICE

N. C. S. 387

SRS

From: The President

To: OPNAV "160115"

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For Secretary Hull X I land Saturday afternoon and hope to reach Washington Sunday morning. I suggest you come to White House about eleven or eleven thirty Sunday and that you ask Nomura to see us at White House about four thirty in afternoon. All well best regards

ROOSEVELT.

ATLANTIC FLEET

Outgoing

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Routine

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It seems highly desirable that you and I should see Nomura as soon as I get back X Please ask the Ambassador to be ready to come to the White House either Saturday or Sunday X I shall let you know the exact time as soon as possible X White Twenty X For Secretary of State from the President.

TOD:

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AUGUSTA	Aug 12, 1941		
Action: OPNAV, Washington	Routine:..... Priority:.....	All Despatches considered DEFERRED Unless Originator Checks Higher Classification.	

Formation:

Draft of a proposed communication to the Japanese Ambassador brought to the Department by Mr. Welles following conference between the President and Mr. Winston Churchill

NOTE

This draft was not given to the Japanese Ambassador. See communications given by the President to the Japanese Ambassador on August 17, 1941.

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August 15, 1941

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United States Department of the Interior

Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir:

Reference is made to your letter of August 14, 1941, regarding the

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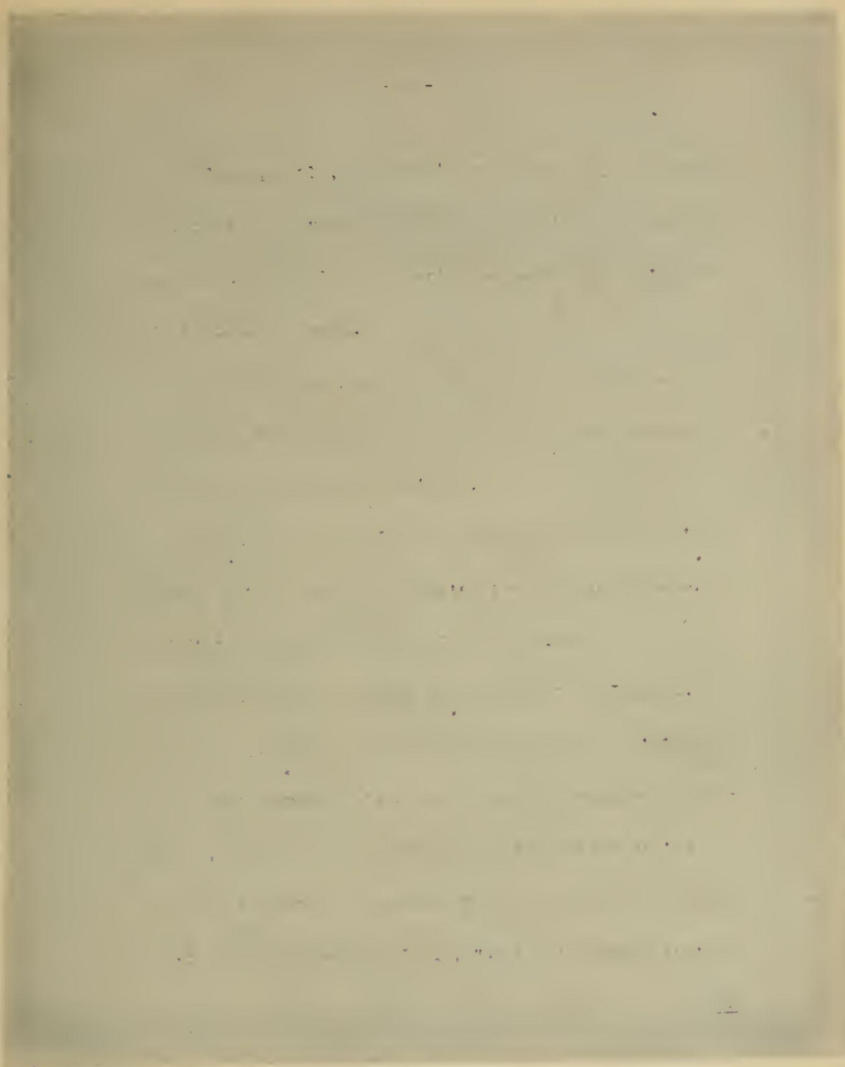
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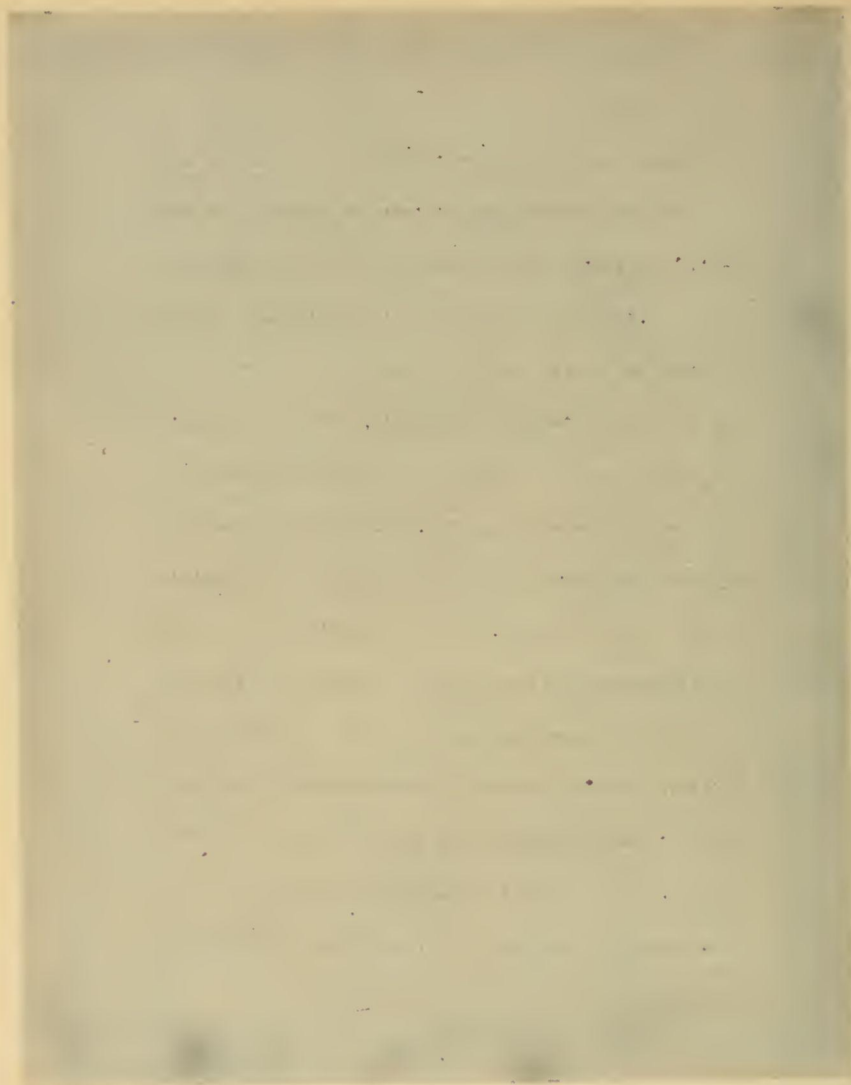
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to be secured by the military, air

and navy forces.

Very truly yours,

Secretary of the Joint Committee

on the Operations of the Government

of the United States

Washington, D. C.

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the use of force or through the threat of force in the
Pacific as well as such conversations are in progress.

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