Exclusion Zones, WDC with proposed changes.
WESTERN DEFENSE COMMAND AREA

EXCLUSION AREA AS PROPOSED BY 8 AUGUST 1944 LETTER

SECRET
EXCLUSION AREA PROPOSED BY 8 AUGUST 1944 LETTER, AS MODIFIED BY 16 DECEMBER 1944 RADIO
PROCEDURE IN DETERMINING MILITARY NECESSITY FOR INDIVIDUAL EXCLUSION

CIVIL AFFAIRS DIVISION

RESEARCH BRANCH
(1) Requests intelligence reports from CNI, FBI, DEW, GAD and other agencies.

COMMANDING GENERAL

(1) Notifies individual:
   a. Information for consideration of case is being assembled;
   b. Pending consideration, prohibited from entering stated areas;
   c. Exempted from Proclamations and Civilian Orders theretofore issued pertaining exclusively to Japanese;
   d. After intelligence information is received and evaluated, individual will be notified as to whether his exclusion will continue, and, if so, will be given hearing.

COMMANDING GENERAL

(1) Reviews file and issues order for exclusion or non-exclusion.
(2) If exclusion is ordered, directs that subject be notified thereof and not be given the right of appeal and hearing before the Individual Exclusion Hearing Board.
(3) If non-exclusion is ordered, individual is exempted from Proclamations and Civilian Orders pertaining exclusively to Japanese persons.

CIVIL AFFAIRS DIVISION

OFFICER IN CHARGE
(1) Reviews file and makes recommendation for or against exclusion to the Commanding General.

RESEARCH BRANCH
(1) Receives intelligence reports from CNI, FBI, DEW, GAD and other sources.
(2) Prepares consolidated individual intelligence reports.
(3) Summarizes and accompanies individual report.

INDIVIDUAL EXCLUSION HEARING BOARD

PREPARATION
(1) Board staff prepares and docket case for hearing.
(2) Causes Notice of Hearing to be served.

HEARING
(1) Subject appears, testifies, and is given opportunity to present evidence.
(2) Subject may have counsel of own choosing.

RECOMMENDATION
(1) Board prepares findings, makes recommendation for or against exclusion.
(2) Transmits entire record including transcript of testimony at hearing.

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EXECUTIVE OFFICER
(1) Reviews, summarizes and analyzes entire file.

OFFICER IN CHARGE
(1) Makes recommendation for or against exclusion.
(2) Transmits entire file to the Commanding General.

HEADQUARTERS WESTERN DEFENSE COMMAND
20 SEPTEMBER 1944