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FERGUSON, CHARLES

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HEADQUARTERS
UNITED STATES ARMY FORCES IN THE FAR EAST
OFFICE OF THE COMMANDING GENERAL

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PEXO

AFG 501
21 Jan, 1944

PEXO 245.8

SUBJECT: Orders.

TO : Officers concerned, 978th Sig Serv Co, APO 923.

1. PEXO LO 1655, this hq dated 3 Dec 43, is revoked.
2. Authorization for payment of per diem as authorized by PEXO LO 1249¹, this hq, dated 8 Oct 43, to officers indicated, is terminated effective 3 Dec 43.

1ST LT CHARLES B. FERGUSON	0454081	SIG C
2ND LT CLINTON B. McFARLAND	01613661	SIG C
2ND LT EDWARD H. HALE	01637369	SIG C

By command of General MacARTHUR:

CHAS W. CLINGG
Lt Col AGC
Adj Gen

DISTRIBUTION
 3 concerned (3 ea)
 CO 978th Sig Serv Co
 TFO (2)
 FO Base 3 (2)
 AG GHQ
 AG-Rec (4)

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GENERAL INVESTIGATIVE
DIVISION UNITED STATES ARMY

TO: Mr. Ferguson, Charles E.
(12 Jan 44)

23 JAN 1944

SUBJECT: Orders.

TO : SAC OF CHICAGO & MEMPHIS OFFICE RE 9700th Sig Serv Co.

Revised 0 now on trip by A12 and 980 SF on or about 15 Jan 44 to Memphis, TN, on trip by car purpose carrying out instructions. Upon completion will return by airplane.

Travel by rail aircraft, all priority, cost minor 7 and will cost. RM.

Also of not to exceed 10 pounds personal baggage while traveling by air mail.

In lieu of note first per class \$4.00 and while traveling and while on trip by 12 first tickets or similar not provided and necessary facilities not being or, in lieu of note first per class \$8.00 and 12 first tickets or similar provided but necessary facilities not available. During period both first tickets or similar provided and necessary facilities not, per class also to camp. REF. RM. 98-2 P 438-22 J. 2/1/44.

By command of General [Name]

R. W. HARRIS,
2nd Lt. Col.,
Acting Adjutant General.

- DISTRIBUTION:**
- Sig 6 (3)
 - A12 (1)
 - TO CHICAGO OFF. (1)
 - TO MEMPHIS OFF. (1)
 - SO 9700th Sig Serv Co (2)
 - SO Ferguson (3)
 - SO Records (2)

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Ferguson, Charles B., Travel Orders.

Deputy Controller, A.I.B.

Chief Signal Officer, GHQ.
Attention: Col. Auchincloss.

10 January, 1944.

1. In order that he may assist during the turn-over period when US/SOS will relinquish operation of station KAZ to Signal personnel of the 975th Signal Service Company, it is asked that travel orders be requested for

CHARLES B. FERGUSON, 1ST LIEUT., S.C. (O-451031)

authorizing him to travel from Brisbane to Darwin on or about 16 January, 1944 and to return within ten days.

2. Travel by rail or military aircraft should be authorized.

3. Lieut. Ferguson will be also acting as Officer Courier for A.I.B. on earth-bound mission and will be placed in charge of a cargo going by special aircraft. Inasmuch as the entire aircraft is assigned for A.I.B. purposes, it will not be necessary for Lt. Ferguson to apply for priority through G.S.C. Regulating Service.

A. W. I.



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GENERAL HEADQUARTERS
SOUTHWEST PACIFIC AREA

CHECK SHEET

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File No.:

Subject: 10TH M.D. NET STATION CONTACTS

From: CAPTAIN FERGUSON

To: COL. WHITNEY, G-3

Date: 03 SEPT.

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1. The attached map illustrates the meager number of stations in the TENTH M.D. with which direct communication can be established. This is due to the fact that FERTIG has either not allowed net stations to contact us directly or has not reported the disposition of cryptographic systems which have been shipped him.

2. Today we sent a service message requesting that a report be submitted at once informing us of the exact location of eight (8) systems of which we hold a copy. We further requested that Fertig tell us which stations near spot "A" and "D" should have systems delivered to them on the next shipment.

3. Refer to the attached map:

a. The green circles represent stations/which communication can be established. It is hoped that Fertig will inform us of the disposition of the other systems which he now holds.

b. The Red circles represent stations which I believe should have direct contact with the invading forces on "D" day.

4. Captain Elvove's five (5) ground observer posts are also being equipped to act as independent intelligence stations. This office will have copies of all systems held by the observer posts as well as the Net Control for the posts.

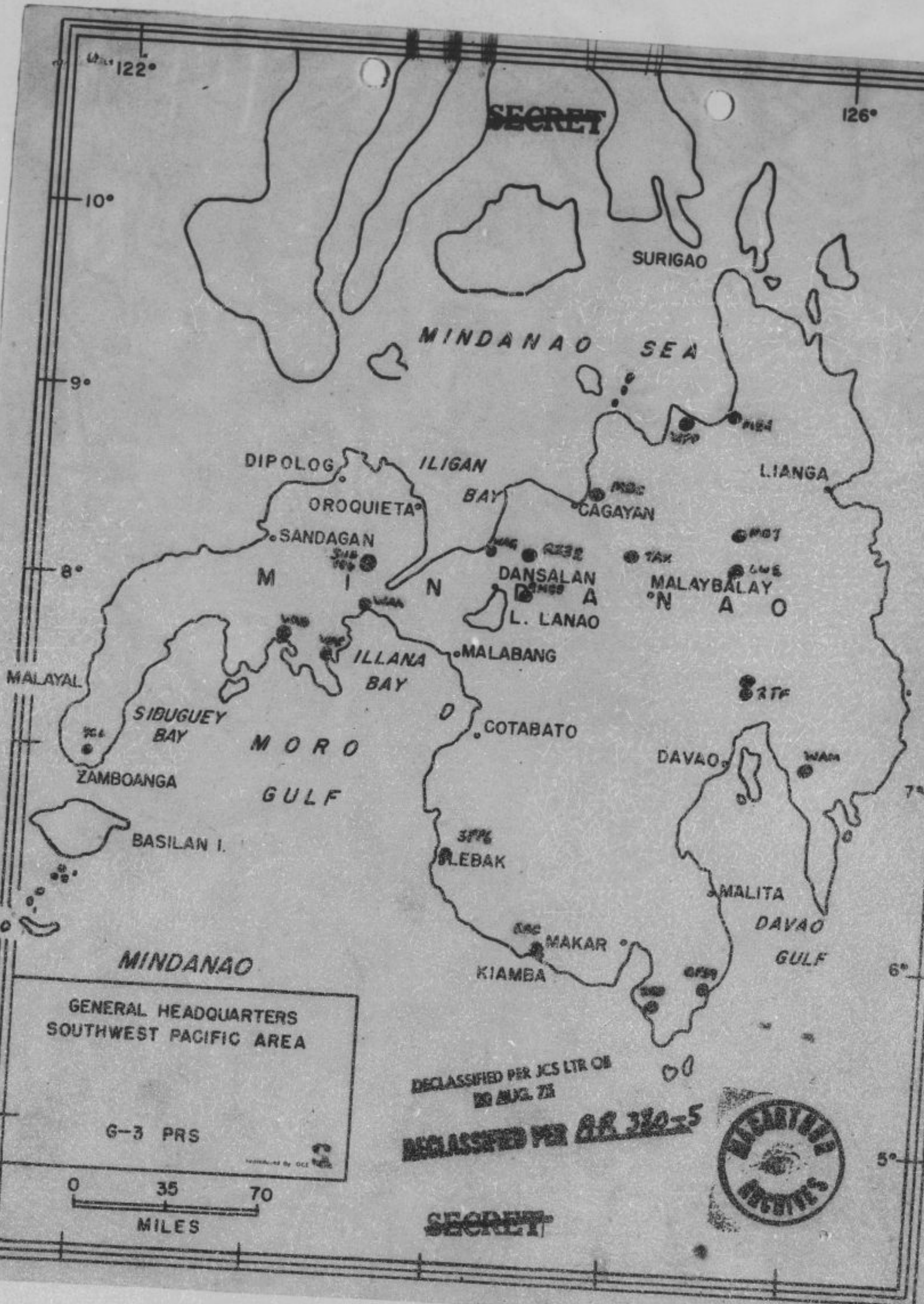
5. Please inform me if I have picked out the correct stations for possible direct contact. I have tried to choose existing stations whose location falls as nearly as possible in important areas as well as stations which will assume the function of reporting combat intelligence on "D" day.

6. It is suggested that consideration be given the possibility of selecting members from the 978TH SIGNAL MESSAGE CENTER for duty with the invading army. Due to the peculiarities of our systems, our knowledge of place names, and our experience working with the guerilla, I think it is only logical to put our experience to the best usage.

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MEMO TO: COLONEL WHITNEY:

FROM : LT FERGUSON

1. BEFORE KAZ CAN TRANSMIT TO VIXO THEY WILL HAVE TO GET THE CONCURRENCE OF THE CHIEF SIGNAL OFFICER.

2. I SUGGEST THAT A MEMO BE WRITTEN TO GENERAL AKIN REQUESTING PERMISSION TO DO THIS. THIS UPON THE ADVICE OF THE SIGNAL SECTION, GHQ WITH WHOM I CONFERED YESTERDAY IN REGARD TO THIS MATTER.

LT FERGUSON



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