NOTE FOR THE PRIME MINISTER

- 1. The Department of the Secretary of State very strongly urge that the Japanese Proclamation should be done over again on the department's paper. The paper is specially made for vitally important documents that need to be preserved in the Archives for an indefinite period of time. It is like our departmental Treaty paper.
- 2. Accordingly, the document has been done over again, and signed by Mr. Michaud, and we need to get the Prime Minister's signature, before having it taken to the Governor General by the Under-Secretary of State of Canada.
- 3. A special edition of the Canada Gazette will come out late this afternoon, with copies of the Proclamation in English and in French.

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