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Taihoku, Formosa (Taipei, Taiwan)

Declaration Accepting the Jurisdiction of the International Criminal Court

In conformity with Article 12, paragraph 3, of the Rome Statute of the International Criminal Court, ('the Statute'), the Government of the State of the Empire of Japan hereby recognizes the jurisdiction of the Court for the purpose of identifying, prosecuting and judging authors and accomplices of crimes within the jurisdiction of the Court committed in the territories of the occupied Empire of Japan, especially Formosa and the Pescadores since 2 July 2002.

This declaration is without prejudice to any other declaration the State of the Empire of Japan may decide to lodge in the future.

Accordingly, the State of the Empire of Japan undertakes to cooperate with the Court without delay or exception, in accordance with Chapter IX of the Statute.

This declaration shall be valid for an unspecified period of time and shall enter into force upon its signature.

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The Plenipotentiary Prime Minister of the State of the Empire of Japan