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S-41 YOUR W-32 BELIEVE SPARE PART SITUATION GREATLY CLARIFIED SINCE YOUR CABLE STOP UNRRA HERE HAS STRONGLY RECOMMENDED LEYTE AND PHILIPPINE GOVERNMENT PURCHASES BUT FEEL WASHINGTON WILL RIGHTLY DEMAND DEFINITE PROPOSITION FROM UNRRA AND CAT HERE STATING A) OVERALL PERCENTAGE EFFECT PHILIPPINE PLUS LEYTE PLUS TOKYO PROCUREMENT AS SATISFYING MASTER REQUISITION STOP THIS DIFFICULT PRECISELY BUT POSSIBLE GENERALLY B) WHETHER SUCH SOLUTION FEASIBLE WITHIN BUDGET STOP WE WILL DEVELOP PICTURE ON FOREGOING LINES BY SENDING OUR PROCUREMENT EXPERT RICHARDSON TO MANILA SATURDAY WHERE HE AND ST LOUIS UNRRA RESPONSIBLE OFFICIAL WILL MATCH UP ALL LISTS AND AVAILABILITY AND CABLE OR TELEPHONE

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PROPOSITION TO WASHINGTON STOP SUBJECT TO SOLVING IMPORTANT PROBLEMS HERE  
WHITEY ALSO GOING MANILA SUPERVISE FORMULATION OF RECOMMENDATION AND WILL  
TELEPHONE YOU STOP DEPENDING ON DEVELOPMENTS WHITEY CAN FOLLOW THROUGH BY  
COMING WASHINGTON OR HONOLULU VIA POA APPROXIMATELY MARCH SIXTH STOP BELIEVE  
ESSENTIAL DOREEN STAY WASHINGTON.

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