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OWING SITUATION RESULTING TODAY'S JAPANESE ACTION BELIEVE  
HIGHLY ESSENTIAL TO DECLARE STATE OF EMERGENCY ALERTING  
ALL CIVILIAN DEFENSE ORGANIZATIONS AND REQUESTING ALL  
INDIVIDUAL MEMBERS STAND BY. ALSO BELIEVE HIGHLY IMPORTANT  
EVERY POSSIBLE PRECAUTION BE TAKEN AGAINST SABOTAGE WITH  
REGARDS TO ALL THE VITAL FACILITIES SUCH AS WATER AND POWER  
SUPPLY, MEANS COMMUNICATION TRANSPORTATION, DEFENSE  
INDUSTRIES, ETC. SUGGEST THIS INFORMATION BE PASSED TO  
PROPER LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS REQUESTING SPECIAL GUARDS  
FOR SUCH FACILITIES. SUGGEST ANY UNORGANIZED COMMUNITIES  
MAKE FULL USE AMERICAN LEGION. AM SURE THEY WILL COOPERATE  
FULLY, BELIEVE ESSENTIAL MAXIMUM PRECUATIONS BE TAKEN  
UNTIL SITUATION MORE EXACTLY DETERMINED THAN PRESENTLY  
POSSIBLE. IF SUCH PRECAUTIONS UNNECESSARY CAN BE RELAXED LATER=

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