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Although the interception of enemy radio broadcasts by the Intelligence Department of the Italian National Defense Ministry was to be stopped because of German objections, it has become clear that they are handling their interception just as before.

MEZASONMA, the Propaganda Minister is pro-Japanese. He is picking up transmissions and, of course, is intercepting all material for us. Moreover, I believe you have complete reports from the --G-- agencies. However, since I will also make reports from here if I have any materials for reference, please let me know if there is any danger of redundancy in overlapping reports.

a - Jōgō Bu.

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