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Additional regulations signed at Shimoda June 17, 1854, supplementing treaty of March 31, 1854 ¹

Entered into force June 17, 1854

Ratified by Japan in the "1st year of Ansei, Elder Brother, Tiger, 12th month" (January 18 to February 16, 1855)

Japanese instrument of ratification delivered February 21, 1855²

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Additional Regulations,

Agreed to between Commodore Matthew C. Perry, Special Envoy to Japan, from the United States of America, and Hayashi, Daigaku no-kami; Ido, Prince of Tsus-sima; Izawa, Prince of Mimasaki; Tsudzuki, Prince of Suruga; Udono, Member of the board of Revenue; Take no uchi Sheitaro, and Matsusaki Michitaro; Commissioners of the Emperor of Japan, on behalf of their respective governments.

ARTICLE 1ST. The Imperial Governors of Simoda will place Watch Stations wherever they deem best, to designate the limits of their jurisdiction;—but Americans are at liberty to go through them, unrestricted, within the limits of seven Japanese Ri, or miles; and those who are found transgressing Japanese laws, may be apprehended by the police and taken on board their ships.

ART. 2ND: Three landing places shall be constructed for the boats of Merchant ships and Whale ships resorting to this port; one at Simoda, one at Kakizaki, and the third at the brook lying South East of Centre Island. The Citizens of the United States, will, of course, treat the Japanese Officers with proper respect.

ART. 3D: Americans, when on shore, are not allowed access to Military establishments or private houses, without leave; but they can enter shops and visit Temples as they please.

¹ TS 183, ante, p. 351.

² For a detailed study of these regulations, including the question of U.S. ratification, see 6 Miller 439, 646.

³ TS 185, post, p. 362.

⁴ TS 192, post, p. 387.