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(NEUTRALITY)NAVY DEPARTMENT  
U.S. COAST GUARD  
HONOLULU, T. H.

## MERCHANT VESSEL BOARDING SHEET

Date: 25 October, 1941. Time Boarded: 1640 (HST)Name of Vessel: DONA AURORA Nationality: FilipinoType: MS ~~Passenger~~ Freighter Home Port: Iloilo, P.I.  
SS ~~Tanker~~  
TCMaximum Speed: 14 Normal Speed: 13.5 Gross tons: 5010 Net: 2976Name of Master: H. C. VentosaName-Address of ~~line~~ owners: De La Rama S.S. Co., Iloilo, P.I.Name-Address of Agents: T. H. Davies, HonoluluChartered By: NoneControlled By: De La Rama S.S. Co.Number Passengers on Board: 11 passengers for Manila, all U.S.Number, Nationality officers and crew: 43 total, all FilipinoCARGO: (Itemize and give total): 8900 tons general, steel plate, vegetables,  
and acid.Cargo consigned to: U. S. Government and various in Manila.Maximum cargo capacity; FREIGHTER: 9000 Tons. TANKER: \_\_\_\_\_ Bbls.Bunker capacity; COAL: \_\_\_\_\_ tons. OIL: 960 tons ~~3500~~. WATER: 400 tons.Reason for calling: orders and routingLast previous port: San Francisco Date left: 10-19-41Bound for: Manila, P.I. Date due: \_\_\_\_\_Does vessel submit weather reports to U. S. Weather Bureau? NoARMAMENT (Type, location, etc.): NoneSMALL ARMS and AMMUNITION: 1 .38 cal. Colt, 15 rounds ammunition.Magazine, location, (if any): NoneDegaussing, paravanes, etc. (if any): NoneCruising radius: 55 days, 17820 miles.



Vessel: DONA AURORA (Filipino)  
 Radio Call Letters: KZRX Number of Operators: 2 Auto Alarm: RCA  
 Direction Finder: RCA Location: chart room During what hours  
 are watches maintained: 24 hour watches  
 Frequencies normally used; TRANSMITTING: 500, 475, 425, 400, 375 kes.  
8290 CW - Fone and CW 6650 kes.

RECEIVING: 550 to 1500 kes. 600 kes to 13 megs.

RADIO EQUIPMENT: 1. 2. 3.

TRANSMITTERS:  
 TYPE: RCA ET 8010 RCA Hi-freq. ACT-150 RCA ET-8010-A

POWER: 200 watts 150 watts 50 watts

RECEIVERS:  
 TYPE: RCA AR-8505 RCA 8501 (Crystal rec. RCA type B)  
RCA AR-67

Names of Operators: Begwaras, A. R. Pilar  
 (NOTE: When radio is sealed by Radioman, omit data on transmitters only)

REMARKS: 7500 HP diesel, single screw. Marconi Fathometer. Blinker light  
on port king post at bridge. Fuel on hand 802 tons, water on hand 250 tons.

Tentative departure time and date: 1830, 26 October, 1941.

BOARDING DETAIL:

**C. McNulty, Boatswain.**

cc: O.N.I., 14th. N.D.  
 CG Headquarters.

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