



ILLINOIS STATE COUNCIL OF DEFENSE 188 West Rendolph Street CHICAGO

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TO: Local Councils of Defense

FROM: Mejor General Frank Parker Executive Director

SUBJECT: "V-HOME"Sticker Cempaign

We are pleased to transmit herewith the following material pertaining to the "V-HOME Sticker Campaign": (a) Confidential advance notice; (b) Suggested instructions to wardens; (c) Is yours a "V-HOME"? A sufficient number of the "V-HOME Certificates" will follow.

The purpose of the "V-HOME" campaign is to serve notice that every member of every family in every American home is actively engaged in the war effort.

To qualify as a "fighting American home", a household must meet five essential requirements:

- 1. It must follow instructions of the Air Raid Wardens for protection against enemy attacks;
- 2. Conserve food, clothing, transportation and health to hasten an increasing flow of war materials to the men at the front;
- Salvage essential war material which may be converted to immediate war needs;
- 4. Refrain from spreading rumors and fostering racial intolerance;

5. Buy regularly United States Wer Savings Bonds and Stamps.

This campaign is a challenge to your Defense Council to see that every member in your community has earned the right to display the "V-HOME" emblem.

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