(2) Λ flight starting inside Japan and arriving outside Japan; or

(3) A flight across Japan without landing, starting outside

Japan and arriving outside Japan.

2. Any aircraft having the nationality of any foreign state other than a Contracting State (excepting any aircraft which is used for the enterprise of any foreign international air transport enterprise and any aircraft which is used for transportation by any person who has obtained permission under Article 130-(2)) and any aircraft, having the nationality of a Contracting State, which is used by any foreign state, any public entity and its equivalent in any foreign state, shall obtain permission from the Minister of Transportation when it makes a flight referred to in any item of the preceding paragraph.

3. Any aircraft which is used in military, customs or police service shall be regarded as "aircraft used by a state" in application of the

provisions of the preceding two paragraphs.

4. When requested by the Minister of Transportation in cases where it makes a flight referred to in any item of paragraph 1, any aircraft having the nationality of any foreign state shall land at the designation.

nated airdrome without delay.

5. Any aircraft having the nationality of any foreign state, when it makes a flight mentioned in paragraph 1, items 1 or 2, shall land at or take off from the airdrome designated by the Minister of Transportation except when prevented by weather or other unavoidable causes. However, the same shall not apply in cases permitted by the Minister of Transportation.

(Use of Foreign Aircraft Inside Japan)

Article 127. No aircraft having the nationality of any foreign state (excepting any aircraft which is used for the enterprise of any foreign international transport enterprise and any aircraft which is used for transportation by any person who has obtained permission under Article 130–(2)) shall be used for air navigation between points inside Japan. However, the same shall not apply in cases where permitted by the Minister of Transportation.

(Prohibition of Carriage of Munitions)

Article 128. Unless permitted by the Minister of Transportation, no aircraft having the nationality of any foreign state shall carry munitions (as specified by Ordinance of the Ministry of Transportation) on a flight referred to in each item of paragraph 1 of Article 126.

(International Air Transport Enterprise by Foreign Nationals) Article 129. Notwithstanding the provisions of Article 100, paragraph 1, and Article 121, paragraph 1, a person referred to in any item of paragraph 1, Article 4, may, upon permission of the Minister of Transportation, run a business to transport passengers or freight on any flight referred to in Article 126, paragraph 1 (including the one between points within Japan which is performed in continuance thereof) for remuneration on demand of other persons.

2. Any person who intends to obtain permission under the preceding paragraph, shall submit an application to the Minister of Transportation, describing his business program, scheduled commencement date for operation and other matters stipulated by Ministry of Trans-

portation Ordinance.