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## MEMORANDUM

## NATIONAL SECURITY COUNCIL

June 21, 1983

ACTION

MEMORANDUM FOR WILLIAM P. CLARK

FROM: GASTON J. SIGUR *Gast*

SUBJECT: Talking Points for Your Meeting with Presidential Commission on U.S.-Japanese Relations, June 22, 8:30 a.m. in Situation Room

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Approve \_\_\_\_\_

Disapprove \_\_\_\_\_

## Attachment:

Tab A Talking Points  
Tab B List of Members

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- I wish you every success and present you now with your commissions from the President.

MEETING OF THE UNITED STATES-JAPAN ADVISORY COMMISSION

June 22, 1983

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Daryl Arnold  
James F. Bere  
James Hodgson  
William Timmons

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Mr. Shioji

## THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

June 21, 1983

## MEETING WITH US-JAPAN ADVISORY GROUP

DATE: Wednesday, June 22, 1983  
LOCATION: Roosevelt Room  
TIME: 9:50 a.m.  
FROM: WILLIAM P. CLARK *wpc*

- I. PURPOSE: A Presidential drop-in on the US-Japan Advisory Group Meeting.
- II. BACKGROUND: At George Shultz's suggestion, a US-Japan Advisory Group has been established to take a broad look at US-Japanese relations and make recommendations on ways to improve and strengthen these relations. The Group is to provide you and Prime Minister Nakasone with its views about how best to solve some of the difficult bilateral problems that exist between our two countries and how best to further the US-Japan partnership in Asia and around the world.
- Both the U.S. and Japanese members of this Group are distinguished citizens of our two countries. To highlight the importance which you attach to their efforts, you have created a Presidential Commission on US-Japan Relations.
- III. PARTICIPANTS:  
List attached of members. Gaston Sigur, NSC.
- IV. PRESS PLAN: White House photographer.
- V. SEQUENCE OF EVENTS: Brief remarks, White House photo.

## Attachments:

Tab A Talking Points/cards  
Tab B List of Members

Prepared by:  
Gaston Sigur

cc Vice President  
Ed Meese  
Jim Baker  
Mike Deaver



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## TALKING POINTS

- I am delighted to welcome you to the White House for the inaugural meeting of the US-Japan Advisory Group.
- All of you gentlemen are very busy and distinguished people and the fact that you have agreed to serve at the request of Prime Minister Nakasone and myself shows the importance you place on US-Japanese relations.
- For my part, I have made it clear that strong Japanese-U.S. ties are critical for the welfare of the United States and the American people.
- I know that you will approach your deliberations with this in mind. Together, the U.S. and Japan can achieve miracles.
- Our partnership offers the world a model of stability, strength and hope.
- Our two societies unlocked the mysterious power of the silicon chip -- surely we can generate the skill, foresight and cooperativeness to resolve the current and future problems which face us, both outside and within our partnership.
- I wish you every success.

1.

MEETING OF US-JAPAN ADVISORY GROUP

- WELCOME TO THE WHITE HOUSE FOR INAUGURAL MEETING OF US-JAPAN ADVISORY GROUP.
- YOU ARE BUSY & DISTINGUISHED PEOPLE. YOU HAVE AGREED TO SERVE AT REQUEST OF PRIME MINISTER NAKASONE & MYSELF -- SHOWS IMPORTANCE YOU PLACE ON US-JAPANESE RELATIONS
- I MADE CLEAR STRONG JAPANESE-US TIES ARE CRITICAL FOR WELFARE OF US & AMERICAN PEOPLE.
- KNOW YOU WILL APPROACH DELIBERATIONS WITH THIS IN MIND. TOGETHER WE CAN ACHIEVE MIRACLES.

2.

MEETING OF US-JAPAN ADVISORY GROUP

- OUR PARTNERSHIP OFFERS WORLD STABILITY, STRENGTH, HOPE.
- OUR SOCIETIES UNLOCKED MYSTERIOUS POWER OF SILICON CHIP -- WE CAN GENERATE SKILL, FORE-SIGHT, COOPERATIVENESS TO RESOLVE CURRENT & FUTURE PROBLEMS -- BOTH OUTSIDE & WITHIN OUR PARTNERSHIP.
- WISH YOU SUCCESS.

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 NATIONAL SECURITY COUNCIL

June 21, 1983

ACTION

MEMORANDUM FOR WILLIAM P. CLARK

THROUGH: CHARLES P. TYSON *CT*FROM: GASTON J. SIGUR *GS*SUBJECT: Talking Points for Presidential Drop-In on  
US-Advisory Group

SITUATION ROOM

The President is to drop-in to the Roosevelt Room for a few minutes to bid welcome to the new US-Japan Advisory Group during their inaugural meeting on the morning of June 22. A memorandum from you to the President, with his talking points, is attached at Tab I.

RECOMMENDATION:

That you sign the memorandum to the President and forward it with his talking points.

Approve *GS*

Disapprove \_\_\_\_\_

## Attachments:

Tab I Clark memo to President  
 Tab A Talking Points  
 Tab B List of Members

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MEMORANDUM

NATIONAL SECURITY COUNCIL

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June 17, 1983

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MEMORANDUM FOR WILLIAM P. CLARK

FROM: GASTON J. SIGUR *JS*

SUBJECT: First Meeting of US-Japan Advisory Committee

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Chuck *CT* Tyson concurs.

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Approve  Disapprove

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Approve  Disapprove

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MEMORANDUM

TO: WILLIAM CLARK  
FROM: FREDERICK J. RYAN, JR. *FR*  
SUBJ: APPROVED PRESIDENTIAL ACTIVITY

MEETING: Dropby meeting of US-Japan Advisory Committee

DATE: June 22, 1983

TIME: 9:50 am

DURATION: 5 minutes

LOCATION: Roosevelt Room

REMARKS REQUIRED: To be covered in briefing paper

MEDIA COVERAGE: If any, coordinate with Press Office

FIRST LADY  
PARTICIPATION: No

NOTE: PROJECT OFFICER, SEE ATTACHED CHECKLIST

cc:	A. Bakshian	M. McManus	C. Tyson
	R. Darman	J. Rosebush	
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## MEMORANDUM

## NATIONAL SECURITY COUNCIL

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