

SECRET

TO : Operational Clearance Officer

18 August 1950

FROM : Chief, FDE

SUBJECT: Request for Operational Clearance

- ✓ 1. Subject of above titled memorandum, dated 18 August 1950, is ASO TATSUO.
2. Attached is Part I of subject's PRQ for your information.

[Chief, FDE]

Originator: []

[]

DECLASSIFIED AND RELEASED BY
CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE AGENCY
SOURCE METHOD EXEMPTION 3B2B
NAZI WAR CRIMES DISCLOSURE ACT
DATE 2008

SECRET

13. Father - full name, occupation, present residence, year and place of birth, nationality at birth and subsequent nationalities.

ASO, Shizuyuki, Japanese, Waseda Village, Oita Prefecture, 10 Mar. 1877

14. Mother - same information as 13.

ASO, Hekome, Beppu City, Oita Prefecture - Japanese - 14 Mar. 1877

15. Wife (or husband) - full name, maiden name, date and place of birth, date and place of marriage, nationality at birth and any subsequent nationalities, present residence, divorce, annulment. (Give data for all previous marriages.)

YUKO, TANAKA - Changchun, China, 4 March 1928 (born)

16. Children - full names, sex, year and place of birth, nationality at birth and any subsequent nationalities, present residence.

17. Brothers and sisters - Same information as 16.

ASO, AKIE, younger sister, Japanese, Kumamoto Girls High School, teacher

ASO, EIKO, " brother, " , last heard of in Daiichi (1945) - nsp. company

ASO, EIKO, " " , last heard of while student at Tokyo Engineering College (1945).

18. Relatives in service of any government, names and positions held.

19. List all official identity papers held with dates, numbers, place of issue and duration of validity.

Conscriptee passport issued by NECC at Chengdehu, China

20. Religion - degree practiced, membership in religious orders

Buddhist

21. Present and past political affiliations

*Lama (Buddhist)
Mongolian Religious Group
Eastern Mongolian Autonomous Group - neither Communist
or Nationalist*

22. Travel outside country of present residence - country, dates,

purpose, people and firms visited

*Inner Mongolia - June 1932 to 1946 (at least) - purpose study
+ research*

23. Education - school, location, course, degree, dates

*Grammar School - Beppu City - Oita Prefecture, Japan
High School " "
Osaka Foreign Language College - grad. 1932 w/ degree in languages*

24. Languages and dialects (Indicate proficiency as good, fair, poor.)

Language Japanese Speak Excellent Read Excellent Understand Excellent

Language Mongolian Speak " Read " Understand "

Language Russian Speak " Read " Understand "

English Good Fair Fair

Chinese

25. Military service - dates, country, unit, rank, duty, where services performed, decorations, when discharged, why. Give details if ever prisoner of war

26. Present and past membership in organizations (professional, social, political, etc.)

East Mongolian Autonomous Group.

27. Special skills, abilities, hobbies (radio, photography, etc.)

Intelligence agent - expert on Mongolian affairs

28. Financial status - earnings, bank deposits, securities, property

*Receives nominal salary in NEC.
given gifts*

29. Employment history - type of work, salary, dates, employers, ad-

resses, reasons for leaving. Include employment by any government.

1932-1934 .. Mongolian Army, TRANSLATOR

*1934-1941 .. Mongolian Cadet Officers School, instructor of
languages*

1941-1944 .. Kwangtung Army Intel. Section (part time)

1944-1945 .. Lantz Head Bureau Advisor, Wangyehmiao

1948 .. working in Peiping as ESO translator

29. (Continued)

30. Has subject done any writing? Give details including titles of books, articles, publishers, dates.

31. List persons living at same address, close associates, (individuals or groups,) correspondents at home and abroad.

32. List five character references.

33. Court record - court, date, arrests, charges, punishments, sentences, acquittals, denazification, etc.

34. Description (Use American standards of measurement, if possible.)

Age <u>40 (1950)</u>	Posture <u>SQUAT</u> <u>Slight - Good</u>
Apparent age _____	Weight <u>121 lbs</u>
Height <u>5' - 9"</u>	Teeth _____
Eyes <u>Brown</u>	Hair <u>Black - bushy</u>
Face - shape <u>Angular - thin</u>	Scars <u>None</u>
Complexion <u>Dark</u>	Build <u>Slight</u>
Sex <u>Male</u>	
General appearance <u>Good</u>	
Prominent features <u>Mole on forehead between eyes + on right side of right eye.</u>	
Other identifying features <u>Blinks eyes frequently</u>	

35. Other miscellaneous biographical data and comments.