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TO : DIRECTOR

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ACTION: FE 7

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ROUTINE

IN 10390

TO DIR INFO CITE [] 7082

REF [] 7081 (IN 10397)

1. SUBJ KAYA OKINORI (6320, 1450, 5281, 1357).
2. BORN HIROSHIMA PREFECTURE 1889. GRADUATE TODAI 1917. ENTERED FINANCE MINISTRY 1918. FINANCE MINISTER FIRST KONOYE CABINET 1937 AND TOJO CABINET 1941-1944. MEMBER HOUSE OF PEERS 1938. TRIED AND IMPRISONED AS CLASS A WAR CRIMINAL, RELEASED 1955. ELECTED HOUSE REPRESENTATIVES 1957.
3. ACTIVE IN KISHI FACTION. MENTIONED AS POSSIBLE FINANCE MINISTER OR PRIME MINISTER FUTURE CABINETS. PUBLICLY AND FORCEFULLY ANTI COMMUNIST AND IN FAVOR STRENGTHENING U.S.-JAPANESE MILITARY ALLIANCE.

END OF MESSAGE

C/S Comment: *Reported that SUBJECT (3) of FJTA - 26893 was arriving in Washington on 1 February and queried if a brief meeting with ASCHAM was possible during the first week of February.

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EXEMPTIONS Section 3(b)

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- (2)(B) Methods/Sources
- (2)(G) Foreign Relations

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