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SUBJECT ROK-Japan Relations Contribution of Funds from KODAMA Yoshio to OM Yo-sop			ABSTRACT	
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ACTION REQUIRED - REFERENCES FKSS-3654				
<p>1. Transmitted herewith is a report on the contribution of funds from Japanese rightist KODAMA Yoshio to OM Yo-sop, Chairman of ROK International Affairs Institute. It was received by [] from [] on 6 January 1965 who obtained the information from [], a member of the Toseikai gang, who, showing a letter address to OM, requested advice from [] on how to transfer the money.</p> <p>2. Since we are not aware of just where OM stands politically and since the amount of money is relatively insignificant, we are not making a formal dissemination of this report. It may be passed to OBACID and ODIBEX. Perhaps Seoul can add meaningful comment with respect to OM's political role.</p>				
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SUBJECT: Contribution of Funds from Japanese Rightist
KODAMA Yoshio to ROK International Affairs
Research Institute Chairman OM Yo-söp.

DOI : Late December 1964

PADA : Japan, Tokyo (6 January 1965)

SOURCE : A Korean resident in Japan (C) from Toseikai Gang member representing MACHII Hisayuki, alias CHÖNG KÖn-yöng, leader of the gang and an adopted son of KODAMA. Sub-source asked source for advice on how to exchange Japanese yen for ROK currency, and was advised simply to purchase a cashier's check at a bank in Tokyo; this check would be negotiable on the black market in Seoul. Appraisal of Content: Though precise motive of KODAMA is not clear, facts of the contribution are probably accurately reported.

1. KODAMA Yoshio, rightist and undercover agent for political and business interests in Japan, requested Toseikai Gang leader MACHII Hisayuki to arrange to deliver a contribution of 500,000 yen to OM Yo-söp (0916/1031/3610), former Republic of Korea (ROK) Minister to Japan under the CHANG Myön regime and now Chairman of the ROK International Affairs Research Institute in Seoul. MACHII sent the contribution to OM in the form of a check on a Japanese Bank enclosed in a sealed envelop in the care of his friend KWÖN Il, Chairman of the Korean Residents Union in Japan (Mindan), who left Tokyo for Seoul on 31 December 1964. KWÖN was not aware of the contents of the envelope.
2. KODAMA told MACHII to send the money without identifying KODAMA as the donor for the time being and indicated that this was to be the first remittance in a series of contributions to be made to OM.

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