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- CONFIDENTIAD ENTIRE TEXT.
- 2. UKAWA, IAEA BOARD CHAIRMAN AND JAPANESE DIRECTOR-GENERAL FOR SCIENTIFIC AND TECHNOLOGICAL AFFAIRS, MINISTRY OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS, TOLD US JUNE 2 HE WOULD WELCOME BILATERAL DISCUSSION WITH US REPS IN MARGINS OF JUNE 8-10 IAEA BOARD. HE WILL BE IN VIENNA THROUGH JUNE 11 AND BELIEVES THAT DATE MIGHT BE BEST. WE WILL BLOCK TIME TENTATIVELY ON HIS CALENDAR FOR IT.
- 3. UKAWA SAID THE PRINCIPAL QUESTION HE WISHES TO DISCUSS IS "WHERE WE GO FROM HERE" ON DEVELOPING THE "PERMANENT SOLUTION" ON NUCLEAR RELATIONS BETWEEN JAPAN AND US DISCUSSED BETWEEN RESPECTIVE HEADS OF GOVERNMENT. UKAWA NOTED THAT US HAD SPOKEN OF A NEW "TREATY," WHILE HE HAD SAID IT WOULD BE PREFERABLE TO USE THE ADMINISTRATIVE ARRANGEMENTS ROUTE IN JAPAN.

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- 4. UKAWA RECALLED THAT HE HAD GIVEN A PAPER TO MEMBERS OF USDEL TO FEBRUARY IAEA BOARD OUTLINING JAPAN'S APPROACH. HE WOULD LIKE TO HEAR FROM USDEL NEXT WEEK WHETHER THIS WOULD PROVIDE A SUITABLE BASIS FOR DISCUSSION AND NEGOTIATION. UKAWA SAID, INCIDENTALLY, THAT SAME PAPER WAS GIVEN TO CANADIANS AND THAT HE PLANS TO HAVE DISCUSSIONS WITH THEM IN VIENNA THIS WEEK TO SEEK TO RESOLVE SEVERAL JAPANESE-CANADIAN BILATERAL PROBLEMS.

 5. UKAWA SAID A PARTICULAR POINT HE WOULD WISH TO DISCUSS WAS HOW THE PROSPECTIVE LATE JUNE WASHINGTON VISIT OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY MINISTER NAKAGAWA WOULD FIT INTO ONGOING US-JAPANESE NUCLEAR DISCUSSIONS. UKAWA COULD ACCOMPANY THE MINISTER OR COME TO WASHINGTON AT SOME LATER DATE TO CONTINUE THE DIALOGUE, WHICHEVER US PREFERRED.
- 6. UKAWA NOTED FINALLY THAT, WHILE HE DID NOT HAVE

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