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for the Secretary of State.

The Japanese Foreign Minister cabled to me a request from the Russian train that the official memorandums concerning the conversations with the Fuehrer and the Foreign Minister during the visit in Berlin be handed to him. I request telegraphic answer to Tokyo, whether such memorandums have been dispatched with a courier and can be handed over. Otherwise I propose to cable to me short words also concerning individual questions. The Foreign Minister arrives in Tokyo on 22 April with an aeroplane on the next day of my arrival.

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