

Name: Kase Toshikazu

Date of Birth: January 12, 1903

Address: 333 Sasame Omachi Kamakura City

Mar 1921 Graduated First Middle School of Tokyo Apr 1924 Entered Tokyo Commercial University Nov 1925 Passed the Diplomatic Service Examination Dec 1925 Ordered to study in the U.S.A. Feb 1926 Left Tokyo Feb 1926 Arrived Washington Mar 1929 Attached to Embassy, Washington July 1930 Attache to Embassy, Berlin July 1930 Left Washington Aug 1930 Arrived Berlin July 1931

July 1931 Appointed member of the suite of the Japanese Delegate to the 12th session of the assemly of the league of Nations at Geneva

Sept 1931 Acting Consul, Bankok

Feb 1932 Left Berlin

Mar 1932 Arrived Bankok

Feb 1933 Ordered home

Apr 1933 Left Bankok

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Apr 1932 Appointed Secretary of the Foreign Ministry; assigned to the 1st Section of the Information Bureau

Apr 1932 Granted the War Medal in consideration of the merits at the incident 1931 and 1934

Sept 1935

Allowed to accept and wear Commemoration Medal of Manchurian Emperor's visit to Japan sent from Manchurian Emperor

Nov 1935 Attended the London Disarmament Conference

Nov 1935 Left Tokyo

Mar 1936 Arrived Tokyo

Sept	1937	Appointed Third Secretary to Embassy in London
Oct	1937	Left Tokyo
Dec	1937	Arrived London
Jun	1938	Appointed Second Secretary to Embassy on London
Sept	1940	Ordered home
Sept	1940	Left London
Nov	1940	Arrived Tokyo
Nov	1940	Appointed Secretary, Asiatic Bureau and con- currently Private Secretary to Foreign Minister
Mar	1941	Accompanied Foreign Minister to Europe
July	1941	Appointed Section-Chief of Commerce Bareau, Foreign Office
Oct	1941	Appointed Section-Chief of American Bureau
Jan	1942	Appointed Private Secretary to Foreign Minister
Sept	1962	Relieved off Praivate Secretary to Foreign Minister
Nov ·	1942	Appointed Chief of 6th Section, Political Bureau, Foreign Office
Mar	1943	Ordered to make an official trip to China and Manchukuo
May	1943	Concurrently Private Secretary to Foreign Minister
.Nov	1943	Assigned to Political Bureau, Foreign Office
Mar	1944	Appointed Secretary to the House of Peers
Nar	1944	Assigned to 2nd Section, Investigation Division, Foreign Office
Feb	1945	Appointed Private Secretary to Minister for Greater East Asia
Feb	1945	4th Class order of the Sacred Treasure
June	1945	Relieved off Private Secretary to Minister for Greater East Asia
June	1945	Appointed Chief of 5th and 6th Section, Political Bureau, Foreign Office

Aug 1945	Appointed Director of the Third Division of the Board of Information
Sept 1945	Concurrently Secretary to the House of Peers
Nov 1945	Appointed Director of News Division, Board of Information
Dec 1945	Abolition of the Board
June 1946	Appointed Councellor of the Embassy Attached to the General Affairs Bureau of the Foreign Office

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TOGO, Shigenori

- (a) The nationality of the witness is Japanese;
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Personal History

Name: KASE, Shunichi

Born: October 23 1897

Social Status: Samurai, Tokyo Prefecture

Graduated from the Waseda Private Middle School. 1915 Mar. Graduated from the First Higher School. 1919 Jul. Entered the Law Department of the Tokyo Imperial University. 1919 Sep. Passed the Higher Civil Service Examination for Diplomats. 1920 Oct. Appointed eleve-consul; 1920 Nov. 30 Conferred the 7th Rank of the Higher Civil Service (Cabinet); Granted the 3rd Grade Salary (Foreign Ministry); Ordered to serve at CANTON. Conferred the 7th Court Rank, Junior Crade. 1920 Dec. 20 Appointed diplomatic probationer; 1921 Apr. 21 Conferred the 7th Rank of the Higher Civil Service. (Cabinet) Granted the 3rd Grade Salary (Foreign Ministry); Ordered to serve in Germany (Foreign Ministry) (Poreign Ministry) Granted the 2nd Grade Salary. 1921 Dec. 26 Granted the 1st Grade Salary. (Foreign Ministry) 1922 Dec. 27 Promoted to the 6th Rank of the Higher Civil Service (Cabinet); 1923 Mar. 31 Granted the 2nd Grade Salary. (Foreign Ministry) Conferred the 7th Court Rank Senior Grade. 1923 May 10 Ordered to accompany Representative of Japan to the 4th Meeting 1923 Aug. 13 of the League of Nation's Ceneral Assembly at Geneva, Switzerland. (Cabinet) Ordered to serve in Poland. (Foreign Ministry) 1924 May 7 Granted the 1st Grade Salary. (Foreign Ministry) 1924 Dec. 26 Ordered to serve in Soviet Union. (Foreign Ministry) 1925 May 21

1925 Aug. 20	Appointed 3rd Secretary to the Embassy; Conferred the 6th Rank of the Higher Sivil Service (Cabinet); Cranted the 1st Grade Salary (Foreign Ministry); Ordered to serve in Soviet Union. (Foreign Ministry)
1925 Dec. 26	Appointed Vice-Consul; Conferred the 6th Rank of the Higher Civil Service (Cabinet); Granted the 1st Grade Salary (Foreign Ministry); Ordered to serve at Khabarovsk. (Foreign Ministry)
1926 Jun. 30	Promoted to the 5th Fank of the Higher Civil Service (Cabinet); Granted the 2nd Grade Salary. (Foreign Ministry)
1926 Jul. 15	Conferred the 6th Court Bank, Junior Grade.
1926 Nov. 16	Appointed secretary to the Moreign Ministry; Conferred the 5th Rank of the Higher Civil Service (Cabinet); Granted the 5th Grade Salary (Roreign Ministry); Assigned to the 1st Section of the Bureau of European and American Affairs. (Foreign Ministry)
1927 May 26	Appointed temporary commssioner for the Higher Civil Service Examination. (Cabinet)
1928 Jan. 25	Released from position as temporary Commissioner for Higher Civil Service Examination. (Cabinet)
1927 Dec. 28	Granted the 4th Grade Salary. (Foreign Ministry)
1928 Mar. 27	Appointed temporary commissioner for the Higher Civil Service Examination. (Cabinet)
1929 Jan. 16	Released from position as temporary commissioner for the Higher Civil Service Examination. (Cabinet)
1929 Apr. 19	Appointed temporary commissioner for the Higher Civil Service Examination (Cabinet)
1930 Jan. 25	Released from position as temporary commissioner for the Higher Civil Service Examination. (Cabinet)
1930 Apr. 17	Appointed to the Special Committee for Higher Civil Service Examination. (Cabinet)
1930 Jun. 30	Promoted to the 4th Rank of the Higher Civil Service (Cabinet); Granted the 3rd Grade Salary (Foreign Ministry)
1930 Jul 2	Appointed 2nd Secretary to the Embassy; Conferred the 4th Rank of the Higher Civil Service (Cabinet); Granted the 2nd Grade Salary. Ordered to serve the United States. (Foreign Ministry)

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1930 Jul4	Appointed temporary commissioner for the Higher Civil Service Examination. (Cabinet)
1930 Jul 15	Conferred the 6th Court Rank, Senior Grade.
1931 Jan. 21	Relieved of position as temporary commissioner for the Higher Civil Service Examination. (Cabinet)
1933 Jun. 9	Decorated with the Order of the Sacred Treasure, 6th Class.
1934 Mar. 31	Ordered to serve in Soviet Russia. (Foreign Ministry)
1935 Jul. 1	Granted the 1st Grade Salary. (Foreign Ministry)
1935 Aug. 1	Conferred the 5 Court Rank, Junior Grade.
1935 Nov. 25	Appointed secretary of the Poreign Ministry; Conferred the 4th Rank of the Higher Civil Service. (Cabinet); Granted the 2nd Grade Salary; Ordered to serve in the European-Asiatic Bureau. (Foreign Ministry)
1935 Dec. 21	Appointed chief of the First Section of the European-Asiatic Bureau. (Foreign Ministry)
1935 Dec. 26	Appointed investigator of the Relief Investigation Committee. (Cabinet)
1936 Jan. 28	Appointed concurrently Secretary of the Agriculture and Forestry Ministry (Cabinet); Conferred the 4th Rank of the Higher Civil Service. (Cabinet); Ordered to serve in the Fisheries Product Bureau. (Agriculture and Forestry Ministry)
1936 Jul. 1	Conferred the 3rd Rank of the Higher Civil Service (Main post) (Cabinet);
	Granted the 1st Grade Salary. (Foreign Ministry)
1936 Dec. 26	Conferred the 3rd Rank of the Higher Civil Service. (Cabinet) (Concurrent post)
1937 Apr. 17	Appointed temporary commissioner for the Higher Civil Service Examination. (Cabinet)
1937 Jun. 3	Decorated with the Order of the Sacred Treasure, 5th Class
1937 Jul 30	Released from position as investigator of the Relief Investigation Committee. (Cabinet)
1938 Jan. 13	Released from position as temporary commissioner for the Higher Civil Service Examination. (Cabinet)

1938 Apr. 18	Appointed temporary commissioner for the Higher Civil Service Examination. (Cabinet)
1938 Oct. 15	Appointed First Secretary of the Embassy; Conferred the 3rd Rank of the Higher Civil Service. (Cabinet)
1938 Oct. 15	Ordered to serve in the United States. (Foreign Ministry)
1940 Jan. 20	Appointed Councillor of the Embassy; Conferred the 2nd Rank of the Higher Civil Service (Cabinet); Ordered to serve in Germany (Cabinet); Granted the 3rd Grade Salary. (Foreign Ministry)
1940 Mar. 13	Decorated with the Order of the Sacred Treasure, 4th Class.
1940 Feb. 15	Conferred the 5th Court Rank, Senior Grade.
1941 Jan. 23	Appointed Japanese Delegate at the Special Mixed Committee of Japan, Germany and Italy held in Berlin. (Not recorded in the Official Gazette) (Cabinet)
1942 May 16	Ordered to serve in Italy. (Cabinet)
1942 Jun. 3	Appointed Envoy Special and Minister Plemipotentiary and concurrently councillor of the Embassy; Conferred the 2nd Rank of the Higher Civil Service. (Cabinet)
1942 Jun. 3	Ordered to Italy (as Minister); Ordered to serve in Italy (as Councillor) (Cabinet)
1942 Jun. 3	Granted the 3rd Grade Salary. (Foreign Ministry)
1942 Jul. 10	Appointed Japanese Delegate at the Special Mixed Committee of Japan, Germany and Italy held in Rome. (Not recorded in the Official Gazette)
1942 Aug. 1	Appointed member of the Standing Committee for the Inter- national Agricultural Association. (Cabinet)
1942 Oct. 29	Conferred the 1st Rank of the Higher Civil Service. (Main and concurrent posts) (Cabinet)
1942 Oct. 29	Granted the 2nd Grade Salary. (Foreign Ministry)
1942 Dec. 9	Decorated with the Order of the Sacred Treasure, 3rd Class.
1943 Mar. 1	Conferred the 4th Court Rank, Junior Grade.
1943 Oct. 20	Relieved of concurrent duty. (Cabinet)

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1944 Aug. 16 Called back from Italy. (Cabinet)

1944 Aug. 16 Ordered to serve in Switzerland. (Cabinet)

1940 Apr. 29 Decorated with the Minor Cordon of the Trder of the Rising Sun for meritorions services during the China Incident.

1946 May. 21 Relieved of main post at own request. (Cabinet)

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Mar	1929	Attached to Embassy, Washington
Jul	1930	Attache to Embassy, Berlin
Jul		Left Washington
Aug		Arrived Berlin
Jul	1991	Appointed member of the suite of the Japanese Delegate to the 12th session of the assembly of the league of Nations at Geneva
Sep	1931	Acting Consul, Bankok
Feb	1932	Left Berlin
Mar	1932	Arrived Bankok
Feb	1933	Ordered home
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**	1934	Appointed Secretary of the Foreign Ministry; assigned to the 1st Section of the Information Bureau
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Nov		Attended the London Disarmament Conference
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Mar	1941	Accompanied Foreign Minister to Europe
Jul		Appointed Section-Chief of Commerce Bureau, Forein Office.
Oct	**	Appointed Section-Chief of American Bureau
Jan	1942	Appointed Private Secretary to Foreign Minister
Sep		Relieved off Private Secretary to Foreign Minister.
Nov		Appointed Chief of 6th Section, Political Bureau, Foreign Office
Mar	1943	Ordered to make an official trip to China and Manchukuo
May		Concurrently Private Secretary to Foreign Minister
Nov	44	Assigned to Political Bureau, Foreign Office
Mear	1944	Appointed Secretary to the House of Peers
Mar		Assigned to 2nd Section, Investigation Division, Foreign Office

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Memo for the file:

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KASE is subject in the following Case files:

File 392. Serial 2: Former secretary to MATSUCKA; enjoyed the confidence of MATSUCKA and has remained in touch with him.

File 164, Serial 1

KASE is subject of IPS Case file #418.

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