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The Summary of Progress up to the Appointment of Members of Saitama Pref. Labor Relations Commission.

1. Outline:

The term of office of the members of Saitama Pref. Labor Relations Commission was to expire on 31 March. In December last, about three month beforehand the expiration of the term of office of the former members, the Labor Dept. of Saitama Pref. Government started the preparatory business for the appointment of new members.

Up to the closing date of recommendation of new members, the Labor Dept. suggested to the trade unions to participate in the procedure of recommendation as

possible.

The status of recommendation was as follows.

	'No. bodies 'required to 'recommend	'recom-	'No. of unions 'recognized 'qualification	'persons re-
Labor union	762	136	121	25
Employers' organization	16	6		11

The investigation of qualification conducted by the Labor Policy Section, as a preparatory procedure, ended on 14 February. The screening by the Pref. Labor Relations Commission was brought to a close on 25 March. In advance to it, the Labor Dept. selected the candidates of the employer member and the labor member after considering their adequacy from various points of view.

The candidates were unofficially decided on 25 March. As for the candidates of the public member, both labor and employer members agreed with them on 31 March. The Governor, therefore, officially announced the members respectivelly on 1 April.

The election of chairman and acting chairman was carried out on 5 April. Thus, the procedure of appointment of new members was brought to an end normally.

2. Preparatory measures

- (1) Laid down the plan for the appointment of members in 1950:
 - 7 December .
- (2) Announced by the Saitama Prefectural Gazette:

20 December

DECLASSIFIED E.O. 12065 SECTION 3-402/NNDG NO. - 6of the Trade Union Law, accompanying the letter of recommendation, so that the union might easily conduct a recommendation. Thus, the Labor Dept. adopted the letters of recommendation of trade unions which were deemed as suitable for the screening, With regard to the evidential data, if there were no provisions in the labor agreement, Labor Dept. requested the union to submit the following data: a. The agreement concerning the union activities during the working hour. b. The sphere of the out-sider union member. c. The provision concerning the treatment of the full time union officer. d. Documents certifying that the union receives no subsidy from the company. e. As for the federation, the names of unions organizing the federation. (2) Term of recommendation. From 1 to 10. Feb. 1950. The term of recommendation was not very long, but the conditions of recommendation were favorable. (3) Investigation into qualification conducted by the Labor Policy Section. From 10 to 24, Feb. 1950. With regard to the investigation business of union's qualification, the Labor Policy Section conducted investigations into per evidential datum thoroughly in accordance with the business program previously arranged. Thus, each datum was forwarded to the Pref. Labor Relations Commission in each case with a tag attached on it, mentioning "applicable" or "not applicable". In the progress of the investigation of qualification, if there were found incomplete data, the Labor Policy Sect. demanded the union directly to supplement them, so that the Pref. Labor Relations Commission might not take time in conducting the screening business.

The Labor Dept. unofficially decided the candidates of labor members and employer members after due consideration of their character, conditions of recommendation, the union's organization by its affiliation, etc.. Both in the labor member and the employer member, the new appointment was one respectively.

4. Decision of public members.

31 March 1950

At the meeting of the ten members representing labor and employers who were unnofficially decided, the panel of candidates of public members were presented to them and asked for their agreement.

After deliberations, all the members of labor and emoloyers agreed with the candidates. Thus, five public members were unofficially decided. The new member was one.

DECLASSIFIED E.O. 12065 SECTION 3-402/NNDG NO. -8-5. Appointment. 1 April 1950 The labor members, employers members and public members were appointed on 1 April respectively.

In succession, the election of Chairman and Acting Chairman was carried out on 5 April. Thus, the procedure of appointment of members of Prefectural Labor Relations Commission was completed. S/T/I

The Panel of Members of Saitama Labor Relations Commission, '50. (As of April 1, 1950)

Labor Policy Section

Classi- fication			Present 'coccupation '	Main career	'Political ' 'Party ' 'affiliated'	appoint-'	Address	
Public	Chairman, Mikita Kubota	62	Lawyer	Chief of Dept. of Supreme Court, Chairman of Pref. Labor Relations Commission	None	l April 1950	68, 2-chome, Takasago-cho, Urawa City	
member	Acting Chairman, Yutaka Awaya		Professor of Saitama University	Professor of Urawa Higher School. Acting chairman of Pref. L. R. C.			822 Daitakubo, Urawa City	
	Sukeji Yoshino	4-6	Surgeon	Dr. of Medicine. member of Pref. L. R. C.			91 5-chome, Taka- sago-cho, Urawa City	
	Kiyotada Ohnishi		Urawa	Head of the Aomori, Wakayama and Utsu- nomiya Branch Offices of the H.B. of Japan Member of Pref. L. R. C.			36, 7-chome, Tokiwa-cho, Urawa City	
	Nobuyuki Kondo	4.5	Lawyer	Procurator of Higher Procurators' Office			1,239 Shimo-takano, Takano-mura, Kita- Katsushika-gun	

Classi- fiestien		'Age'	Present occupation	Main career	'Political ' 'party ' 'affiliated'	Date of appoint-	Address
Suployer	Eunio Hatsumoto		Head of Urawa Plant of Niigata Tron Works	Member of Pref. L. R. C.			558, Yono-machi, Kitaadachi-gun
	Yasuo Samato		Head of Omiya Plant of Toho Special Motor- car Co.				147, 2-chome, Kitaurawa, Urawa City
	Kenji Enemote		Head of Urawa Plant of Toa Spinning Co.				795, Tsuji-cho, Urawa City
	Motout Ohno		Head of Ohono Electric Cast- ing Plant. Sember of Pref. School Board		Liberal		91, 3-chome, Sakae-cho, Kawaguchi City
	Hiroshi Kakamura		lrector and bief of General	Head of Kamine Plant of Minsei Industry Co.			34, Kamifujimae-cho, unkyo Ward, Tokyo

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	Katsuud Kuribara	Employe of Kanto Electric Supply Co.	Member of Pref. L.R.C. Executive Committee- men of Electric Industr Workers Union Kanto Hq. Executive Committee-mar of E.I.W.U. Gyoda Branch		1 April 1950	1,186, Hanyu, Hanyu-machi, Kitasaitama-gun
	Saburo Shiratori	Employe of Nippon Piston Ring Co.	Member of Pref. L.R.C. Standing Executive Committee-man of G.F.T.	Democratic		865, Komurada, Yono-machi, Kitaadachi-gun
	Kentichi Ebe	Employe of Fukuroku Factory. Member of Pref. Assembly	Member of Pref. L.R.C. Vice-chairman of G.F.T.U. Pref. Council Chairman of Kawaguchi Metal Workers Union			39, 1-chome, Salwai-cho, Kawaguchi City
	Kasuo Nakamura	Employe of Mitsui Machine Tool Co.	Member of Pref. L.R.C. Central Executive Committee-man of Mitsui Machine Tool Workers Union	None		48, Sumiyoshi-cho, Okegawa-machi, Kitaadachi-gun
	Kiyoshi Masuko	Employe of Chichibu Cement Co.	Chairman of Chichibu Area Labor Council. Chairman of Chichibu Cement Labor Union			942. Omiya. Chichibu-machi. Chichibu-gun