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Interim Report by The Hokkaido Integrated Development Deliberation Commission: (Draft)

(Oct. 8, 1949)

The Hokkaido Integrated Development Deliberation Commission finds the development of Hokkaido to be the most appropriate plan, in order to attain the purpose of solving the population issue as well as the purpose of strengthening the economic power by means of developing her natural resources, which are the ~~vital~~ vital themes now our country confronts to.

Hokkaido embraces an area nearly similar but a little smaller to the aggregate of those of Kyushu, Shikoku and ~~Shikoku~~ Formosa, whereas its population counts as little as four million only. By means of developing such resources it is possible further to include as much as ~~several~~ 3 or 4 times of the existing population. The work of development of Hokkaido has been started since the beginning of Meiji era bringing forth a fair amount of fruits, nevertheless, much resources are, in general, still left undeveloped, and her agriculture and other industries are not well-nigh out of a primitive age.

With the development of an area so economically laggard, a satisfactory effect can not be expected unless a fund is utilized on priority principle under an integrated plan.

In this connection, however, due to the fact that the development project of Hokkaido as at present are being planned and carried on by various related administrative organs separately, lacking integration and coordination, the national enterprise funds as invested into Hokkaido can by no means be said to be turning out its maximum efficacy. Under such situation, it is felt essential to see that the development of Hokkaido be carried out on an integrated basis, and for this purpose it is necessary to establish firmly a decided policy relating to three points of

reorganization of administrative structure, establishment of integrated fundamental policy on ~~economical development~~ economy development, and special arrangements for public finance and banking.

This Commission is invariably exercising a strenuous effort in the investigation and research, and is in readiness to report on one after another as soon as any complete plan is arrived at. Finding the problem of administrative structure to be the basic theme in priority to any other one, this Commission hereby presents its report thereon as follows on the reason as per the separate appendix.

## Outline of Integrated development program of Hokkaido

I. For the purpose of contributing towards the recovery of national economy and solution of population issue upon development of land, forestry, mineral, hydraulic, marine and other resources of Hokkaido speedily and on an integrated basis, to avail of them for stabilization of livelihood as well as for elevation of culture, it is necessary to establish a plan concerning an integrated development of Hokkaido and enforce same vigorouly as a national policy.

II. For this purpose, a Hokkaido Development Bill (Tentative nomenclature) providing for fundamental matters concerning an integrated development of Hokkaido shall be drawn up, and be presented to the 7th session of Diet.

III. In the Hokkaido Development Bill the following matters shall be provided for:

1. The national government shall bring the Hokkaido integrated development plan into force as from the 1952-53 fiscal year.

2. For the purpose of functioning on the services of drafting plans for the integrated development of Hokkaido as well as on propulsion of the enforcement there of a Hokkaido Integrated Development Commission (hereafter referred to as the Commission) shall be established as an external bureau of the Prime Minister's Office.

3. The Commission shall be composed of five member of committee.

The members of committee shall consist of one minister of state and four persons appointed as by the Prime Minister from among the persons with knowledge and

experience through the consent of the Diet.

The tenure of office of the committee shall be for five years with no restriction against reelection thereof Provided that the terms for the two members out of the initially appointed five shall be three years.

4. The post of chairman shall be assumed by the minister of state.

5. Of the national budget, those pertaining to the enforcement of Hokkaido integrated development plans shall be placed under jurisdiction of the Prime Minister's Office on the whole, and in case of appropriation being made therefrom the account may be transferred to any of the ministries concerned in charge of the enforcement of the integrated development plans.

6. In order to secure the enforcement of the integrated development plan, the Prime Minister, in accordance with the proposal of the Commission, shall be empowered to give any instruction to any head of authorities of relative ministries.

IV. For the purpose of carrying on the investigation and deliberation on important matters concerning the integrated development plan, a Hokkaido Integrated Development Deliberation Committee (hereafter referred to as "the Committee") shall be set up in the Commission.

The Committee shall be composed of twenty members of committee as appointed by the Prime Minister from among the persons enumerated hereunder:

1. A representative as nominated by the speaker of the House of Representatives and the President of the House of Councillors from among the Diet members.

The governor of Hokkaido.

The President of the Hokkaido General Assembly.

Persons with knowledge and experience. .

The chairman of the Committee shall be fixed on mutual election among the members of the Committee.

The tenure of office of the Committee-members shall be for three years but with no restriction put to reelection thereof.

With respect to the following matters, the Commission shall respect the opinion of the Committee:

1. The matter concerning an annual program of the integrated development plan.

2. The matter concerning the exercise of powers vested with the Commission under the item 5 of III.

3. The matter concerning the exercise of the powers vested with the Commission under the item 6 of III.

4. Other matters which the Commission may determine.

VI. The Commission, for the purpose of carrying out its responsibility, shall be authorized to demand the appearance of a witness or the submission of its opinion; or demand relative administrative organs to submit report and data concerned.

VII A secretariat shall be set up in the Commission and necessary personnel shall be provided with.

VIII. Besides those which are prescribed in the above items, any necessary matter concerning the integrated development of Hokkaido shall be provided for by laws, separately.

IX. The Commission, even in the fiscal year of 1950-51, shall be placed in a position to investigate and deliberate on necessary matters concerning integrated adjustment of

the enterprises relating to the integrated development of Hokkaido requiring to be carried out, and submit its opinion to the Prime Minister in accordance with the item VI modified into an adaptable pattern.

# Reason for the necessity of the Hokkaido Integrated Development Commission

(Oct. 8, 1949)

The administrative organization as existed prior to April 1945 was as follows:

1. Central structure

   The budget required for development of Hokkaido was included in the budgets under jurisdiction of the Ministry of Home Affairs, as(the Expenses for development of Hokkaido), and used to be handled by the Local Affairs Bureau under the responsibility of the Minister of Home Affairs.

2. Spot Agencies

   The actual operation on the spot has been carried out by the governor of Hokkaido in the capacity of national agency.

This pattern of budget is considered to have brought forth quite satisfactory results in practice, securing the integration of budget and coordination of execution. However, the fact that a mere bureau of certain Ministry is taking charge of such agency, inevitably pressed the authority into a position but with a narrow field in sight and caused the same unable to get rid of a criticism to be too weak for a propelling machinery of the national policy..

EXisting conditions

1. Central organization

   At the present there being no administrative agency exclusively commissioned for development of Hokkaido, no program is set up in the sense of integrated development of Hokkaido.

The budgets required for development of Hokkaido are individually compiled as those for various Ministries and Agencies concerned. Consequently there exist much defects in its nature of integration and on the utilization of the expenses as well, and is not bringing forth its full efficacy.

2. Spot Agency

With exception of national forestry connections, the governor of Hokkaido is carrying out the responsibilities under national assignment, Nevertheless, he is under control and supervision of various relative administrative organs severally, and mutual connection and coordination are lacking among them.

As stated above, due to absence of any exclusive administrative agency, the Hokkaido integrated development program is lacking a nature of integration, and the budgets thereof are not bringing forth their full efficacies. As a measure to remedy such defects, in order to have a machinery to engage in the planning of Hokkaido integrated development program and in propulsion thereof, it is necessary to establish a special administrative agency and authorize such authority to have an integrated control over the budgets for Hokkaido integrated development. Particulary, in the light of the characteristic nature of the integrated development of Hokkaido, it is deemed fit to organize such agency in the form of a Commission composed of a Minister of State as its chairman together with persons with knowledge and experience, conpled with a Deliberation Committee composed of members of the Diet, persons with knowledge and experience, the governor of Hokkaido and the chairman of Hokkaido General Assembly.

The above is the reason for presenting this report.

# The Draft of Hokkaido Development Bill

(Oct. 8, 1949)

(Purpose of this Law)

Article 1. The purpose of this Law is to attain the objects of developing the land, forestry, mining electric, marine and other resources, speedily and in an integrated system, contribute towards rehabilitation of national economy as well as solution of population problem, and thus be of service to the stability of livelihood as well as elevation of culture.

(Enforcement of integrated development program)

Article 2. The national government, in order to attain the objects of the foregoing Article, shall carry out the Hokkaido integrated development program as from the 1951-52 fiscal year.

(Establishment of a Commission)

Article 3. In accordance with the provision of Article 5, Paragraph 2 of the National Government Organization Law (Law No. 120, 1948), a Hokkaido Integrated Development Commission (hereunder referred to as the Commission) shall be established.

(Mission and powers of the Commission)

Article 4. The Commission is vested with the mission and powers to plan and draw up a program of the Art. 2 (hereunder referred to as the integrated development program) and to drive the enforcement thereof.

(Organization of the Commission and allowance of the committee members)

Article 5. The Commission shall be composed of five members of committee as appointed by the Prime Minister from among the persons enumerated hereunder:

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| I | Minister of State | 1 person |
| II | Persons with knowledge and experience | 4 persons |

2. In case of appointing the persons as prescribed in the item II of the preceding Paragraph to the committee-member, the consent of the both Houses shall be obtained.

3. The tenure of office of the committee of the preceding paragraph is fixed for five years. Provided that the re-election is not preventend from.

4. The committee members of the Commission shall receive a remuneration as is determined by the Prime Minister in consultation with the Minister of Finance.

(Chairman and his powers)

Article 6. The post of the chairman shall be assumed by the Committee-member who is the Minister of State.

2. The chairman shall govern the entire affairs of the Commission, represent the Commission, and control and supervise the personnel in the organization.

3. In case of any affairs preventing the presence of the chairman, the Committee-member previously designated by the chairman shall carry out the responsibility in his stead.

(Special measures on Budgets)

Article 7. Among the budgets, those which are connected with the integrated development program shall be put under jurisdiction of the Prime Minister's Office. In case of appropriation, if necessary, upon request of the Commission, the Prime Minister may transfer the account to the jurisdiction of other agency.

(Prime Minister's powers for instruction etc.)

Article 8. In order to secure enforcement of the integrated development program the Prime Minister shall be authorized to direct instruction to Ministers of various Ministries or to take any other measure necessary in accordance with the request of the Commission.

(Hokkaido Integrated Development Deliberation Committee)

Article 9. A Hokkaido Integrated Development Committee (Hereunder referred to as the Committee) shall be set-up in the Commission.

2. The Committee functions to research and deliberate on important matters concerning the integrated development program.

(Structure, etc. of the Committee)

Article 10. The Committee shall be composed of twenty members as appointed by the Prime Minister from among the persons as enumerated hereunder:

I. Persons as nominated by the speakers of the House of Representatives and the president of the House of Councillors from among the members of the Diet.

inside of... persons

II. Governor of Hokkaido

III. President of the Hokkaido General Assembly

IV. Persons with knowledge and experience

inside of... persons

2. The tenure of office of the Committee-members shall be for three years, but the term for persons who filled in vacancy caused by a predecessor, shall be the remaining portion of term left by the predecessor.

3. Reelection of the Committee-member is not prevented from.

4. The committee-members shall be commissioned to work in non-standing-service-basis.

5. The chairman of the Committee shall be chosen from among the members of Committee by mutual election.

6. Any necessary matter relating to agenda of the Committee with exception of those prescribed in the preceding paragraph shall be determined by the Committee.

(Powers of the Committee)

Article 11. The Commission shall respect the opinion of the Committee, with regard to the matters enumerated hereunder:

I. Matters concerning the annual planning of integrated development program.

II. Matters concerning the execution of powers of the Committee as provided for in the Article 7.

III. Matters concerning the execution of powers of the Committee as provided for in the Article 8.

IV. Other matters which the Committee may determine.

(Appearance of witness and others)

Article 12. The Commission, whenever necessary, for the purpose of achieving its mission, may demand the appearance of or submission of opinion of a witness, or demand the various relative administrative agencies to submit necessary report or data.

(Secretariat)

Article 13. A secretariat shall be set up in the Commission and a requisite personnel shall be provided for in the secretariat.

(Personnel)

Article 14. Regarding the matters concerning the appointment, disciplinary punishment and other matters concerning personnel affairs, the provisions of the National Public Service Law (Law No. 120, 1947) shall apply.

(The fixed number)

Article 15. The fixed number of personnel of the secretariat shall be provided for by law separately.

(Other matters)

Article 16. Necessary matters concerning the enforcement of the

Hokkaido development program besides those which are provided for in this Law, shall be prescribed for in law separately.

Supplementary Provisions:

1. This Law shall come into force as from the day of its promulgation.

2. With respect to the tenure of office of members of the Commission, the term for the two out of the four members shall be three years, drawn by lot, irrespective of the provisions of the Paragraph 3 of Article 5.

3. The Commission may investigate and deliberate on any matter necessary concerning the integrated adjustment of projects connected with the integrated development of Hokkaido which ought to be carried out in the 1950-51 fiscal year irrespective of the provisions of Article 4.

4. The Prime Minister, whenever find it necessary in the light of the integrated adjustment connected with the enforcement of the projects of the preceding paragraph, may direct an instruction to the chief of any administrative agency concerned.

## The Fundamental Idea of the Basic Policy on the integrated Development of Hokkaido.

~~(the Agricultural & other Economical)~~

(I) Goal

Eight decades of Hokkaido development have yielded many noticeable fruits. However, she is still in a state as confined in a cradle of the primary industrial stage. In these days when a rehabilitation of Japanese economy is strongly demanded a utilization of the Hokkaido's undeveloped recources must be the very thing of paramount importance we need. Stating a little further, under a bird's-eye view of the entire Japan, with regard to; such underground recources as Coal, it's deposit is estimated at a quantity of 8 billion tons occupying 50% of that of the whole country; forestry reserve amounts to 0.5 billion tons (40 cubic foot) which is 30% of the national total reserve; output of aquatic products amounts to 1.7 billion pounds at annual average, 40% of the national total quantity; reclaimable lands are estimated at about 780,000 chōbu (1 chōbu ≒ 0.99174 hectare) 50% of that of the national total. ~~Should~~ the development be carried out under an integrated development scheme, as much as the various industries be speedily promoted, the population counting 4 million as at present may be able to be ~~inhanced~~ enhanced by ~~several~~ 3 or 4 times.

(II) Existing condition

Now then, upon throwing a glance at the development policy hitherto followed and the existing conditions of industries, we will find that there are not a little things need reinvestigation to match the present stage of days.

A scrutinization of the former issue reveals that the following are essential points;

In the middle road of development, the national priority was shifted to external territories and Hokkaido was neglected of

The pattern of appropriating national funds being of complicated variety, is regreted of lacking the center of essentiality.

Fundamental facilities as well as researches are not ample enough.

With regard to the latter item although a partial improvement into higher degree and intensive operation in such primitive industries as agricultural, aquatic and forestry production, majority of others are not well out of a stage of rough management. Further, also in the field of manufacturing industries which are the productive enterprises of second stage, the progression is of very low tone except such industries as iron foundry, steel manufacturing, pulp and paper milling, fertilizer mamufacturing etc. output of which is not more than 4% of the national total production.

(III) Ways and means to carry out the development:

In way of pushing the development henceforward on, in view of the above stated circumstances, it is deemed appropriate to launch the program based upon the basic policies as enumerated hereunder:

With regard to a national enterprise a schedule and measures shall be considered upon a gist of priority which is made distinctly plain.

With regard to the matters pertaining to basic facilities on development such as traffics, transportation, river and land improvements etc., at least around 75% of the total volume should be executed during the ~~five~~ preceding fiscal years previously.

With regard to various industries, a speedy elevation up to an appropriately level shall be enforced in consonance with the operative conditions of respective ~~enterprises~~ industry.

There may be a variety of problems on the road of substantial enforcement of the programs upon the foregoing plans. However, the following matters are especially of pressing and critical need:

(1) Development of electrical resources.

(2) Amplification of traffic and transportation facilities.

(3) Acceleration of flood control and water utilization works.

(4) Development of fishery ponds as well as reorganization and amplification of fishery harbors.

(5) Propulsion of development and land improvement works.

(6) Research on underground resources.

(7) Promotion of industries.

(8) Afforestation and development of maiden forests.

(9) Improvement and fresh accommodation of dwelling houses.

(10) Reorganization and amplification of various experimental and research institutions etc.

Out of the foregoing, particularly the under-enumerated subjects being the plans of impending urgency, a vigorous enforcement thereof is deemed very essential.

Reorganization and amplification of works relating to roads, rivers, ports and harbors etc. which ought to be carried out in priority to any other critical basic facilities on development.

Development of electric resources which serve as a motive power of industrial development.

Advancement of industries with coal as its center of enterprises.

Research as to the resources under ground.

An integrated development of the Valley of the River "Ishikari-gawa" which affords the highest seasonal economical efficacy as viewed from the point of regional connections.

Furthermore, with regard to the integrated development of "Ishikari-gawa" Valley it is considered fit to carry out the works of hydraulic development comfined with the solution of the issues pertinent to forest preservation and flood controls as well as irrigation and water utilization, and radical solution of peat-bogs connected therewith under an integrated systematical scheme similar to the T. V. A.

Table showing comparison of various industries in of Hokkaido versus those of the whole Japan.

| Classification | Description | Hokkaido | Whole Japan | % against whole Japan | Remarks |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Agriculture | Arable land | | | | 1947 |
| | Rice-field | 153,000 (chōbu) | 2,850,000 (chōbu) | 5.3 | |
| | Farm land | 590,000 ( " ) | 2,162,000 ( " ) | 27.2 | |
| | Total | 743,000 ( " ) | 5,012,000 ( " ) | 14.8 | |
| | Cattles: | | | | |
| | Milk Cow | 62,000 | 159,000 | 39.0 | |
| | Horses | 252,000 | 1,054,000 | 23.9 | |
| | others | 136,000 | 436,000 | 31.0 | (Sheep, Swine, Goat) |
| Forestry | Forest area | 5,244,000 (chōbu) | 20,873,000 (chōbu) | 25.1 | 1947 |
| | Reserve quantity | 2,151,000,000 (Koku) | 6,786,000,000 (Koku) | 31,7 | |
| | Quantity of trees fall | | | | |
| | Useful material | 21,024,000 (Koku) | 129,250,000 (Koku) | 16.3 | |
| | Fuel and Charcoal material | 4,912,000 (Koku) | 7,473,000 (Koku) | 65.7 | |
| | Total | 25,936,000 (Koku) | 136,729,000 (Koku) | 18.9 | |
| Aquatic production | Amount of fishing catches | | | | 1947 |
| | Staple fishes | 143,156,000 (Kan) | 453,516,000 (Kan) | 31.5 | |
| | Shellfishes | 1,971,000 ( " ) | 20,004,000 ( " ) | 9.8 | |
| | Seaweeds | 10,940,000 ( " ) | 22,090,000 ( " ) | 49.6 | |
| | Others | 4,606,000 ( " ) | 8,111,000 ( " ) | 56.7 | |
| | Total | 160,653,000 ( " ) | 503,721,000 ( " ) | 31.8 | |

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| ustries | Metal industry | 604 (Million yen) | 39,400 | Million yen) | 1.5 | 1947 |
| | Mechanical " | 1,719 ( " ) | 86,783 ( | " ) | 2.0 | Industrial statistics |
| | Chemical " | 2,516 ( " ) | 55,592 ( | " ) | 2.4 | |
| | Food stuff " | 4,670 ( " ) | 38,489 ( | "" ) | 8.5 | |
| | Ceramic & Sand & stone industry " | 325 ( " ) | 13,325 ( | " ) | 2.4 | |
| | humber milling & wooden ware manufacturing | 3,428 ( " ) | 40,341 ( | " ) | 1.2 | |
| | Others | 1,431 ( " ) | 58,715 ( | " ) | 4.5 | |
| | Total | 14,693 ( " ) | 332,644 ( | " ) | 4.4 | |
| ining | Coal | | | | | 1949 |
| | Estimated quantity of deposits | 8,009 Million tons | 16,218 | Million tons | 49.3 | |
| | Quantity output | 7,744,000 tons | 29,335,000 | tons | 26.4 | |

Remarks:

| Description | Kyūshu | % against whole Japan | Others | % against whole Japan | Remarks |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| oal | | | | | |
| Estimated quantity of deposits | 6,127 Million tons | 37.7 | 2,082 Million tons | 13.0 | 1947 |
| Quantity output | 15,977,000 tons | 54.5 | 5,164,000 tons | 19.1 | |

Note: 1 Chōbu = 0.99174 hectare

1 Koku = about 10 cubic foot

1 Kan = 3.75 Kg.

昭和二十四年十月

# 北海道綜合開發に關する中間答申

北海道綜合開発審議会

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北海道綜合開発審議会

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北海道綜合開発に関する答申

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# 一　北海道綜合開発審議会中間答申

北海道綜合開発審議会は現在わが國が当面する緊急且つ重要な課題である人口問題の解決と資源の開発による経済力の増強を図るためには、北海道の開発が最も適切であると認める。

北海道は九洲、四國及び台湾を包含する面積を有するが、人口は僅か四百万人にすぎない。その開発によつて更に数倍の人口を收容することが可能である。北海道の開発は明治初年以來行われその成果みるべきものもあるがいまだ多くの資源が未開発のまゝ放置されており、その産業も概ね原始的段階を脱していない。

経済的後進地の開発は綜合的な計画の下に経費を重点的に使用しなければ、充分な効果は期待できない。しかるに現在北海道開発事業は関係各行政機関が個別的に立案施行しているため、その間に綜合性、統一性を欠き、北海道に投入される國の事業費は最高の効率を発揮しているとはいい難い。この点にかんがみ北海道の開発は綜合的に行うことが必要であるが、このためには行政機構の改革、綜合的経済基本方針の確立及び財政並びに金融の特別措置の三者について確固たる政策を確立しなければならない。これらの諸問題に関し、本審議会は鋭意調査研究中であつて

成案を得次第逐次答申することとするが、先づ行政機構の問題がその根本であると認め、別紙の理由により左の通り答申する。

## 二　北海道綜合開発要項

第一　北海道の土地、山林、鉱物、水力、海洋その他の資源を急速且つ綜合的に開発して國民経済の復興及び人口問題の解決に寄與し、もつて生活の安定及び文化の向上に資するため、北海道の綜合開発に関する計画を樹立し、國策として強力にこれを実施する必要があること。

第二　これがため、北海道綜合開発に関する基本的事項を規定する北海道開発法案（假稱）を立案し、第七回國会に提出すること。

第三　北海道開発法案には、左に掲げる事項を規定するものとすること。

1　國は北海道の綜合開発計画を、昭和二十六年度から実施するものとすること。

2　北海道綜合開発計画の立案及び実施の推進にあたらせるため、総理府の外局として北海道綜合開発委員会（以下委員会という。）を設けるものとすること。

3　委員会は、委員五人をもつて組織すること。

委員は、國務大臣が学識経験のある者のうちから國会の同意を経て任命するもの四人とすること。

委員の任期は五年とし、再任を妨げないものとすること。但し、最初の委員のうち二人は、三年とすること。

4　委員長には國務大臣たる委員を充てるものとすること。

5　國の予算のうち北海道綜合開発計画の実施に関するものは、一括して総理府所管とし、これを使用する場合に必要があるときは、綜合開発計画の実施にあたる関係各省各庁に移し替えることができるものとすること。

6　内閣総理大臣は、綜合開発計画の実施を確実ならしめるため、委員会の申出により、各省各庁の長に対し指示し、その他必要な措置を採ることができるものとすること。

第四　綜合開発計画に関する重要事項を調査審議せしめるため、委員会に北海道綜合開発審議会

（以下審議会という。）を置くこと。

審議会は、左に掲げる者につき、内閣総理大臣が任命する委員二十人以内をもつて組織するものとすること。

1　國会議員の中から衆議院及び参議院の議長が指名した者。

2　北海道知事。

3　北海道議会議長。

4　学識経験のある者。

審議会の会長は、委員のうちから互選によつて、定めるものとすること。

審議会の委員の任期は、三年とすること。但し再任を妨げないものとすること。

審議会は、左に掲げる事項については、審議会の意見を尊重しなければならないものとすること。

第五　委員会は、

1　綜合開発計画の年度計画に関する事項。

2　第二の5による委員会の権限の行使に関する事項。

3　第二の6による委員会の権限の行使に関する事項。

4　その他委員会が定める事項。

第六　委員会は、その任務を達成するため必要があるときは、参考人の出頭若しくは意見を求め、又は関係行政機関に対し必要な報告及び資料の提出を求めることができるものとすること。

第七　委員会に事務局を置き、事務局に必要な職員を置くものとすること。

第八　右各号に規定するものを除く外、北海道綜合開発計画の実施に関し、必要な事項は、別に法律の定めるものとすること。

第九　委員会は、昭和二十五年度においても執行すべき北海道の綜合開発に関する事業の綜合調整に関し必要な事項を調査審議し、内閣総理大臣に対して第三の6に準じて意見を申し出ることができるものとすること。

## 三　委員会の設置を必要とする理由

昭和二十年四月以前の行政機構は左の如くである。

1　中　央　組　織

北海道の開発に必要な予算は「北海道拓殖費」として内務省所管予算中に一括計上し、内務大臣の責任の下に地方局において取り扱われた。

2　現　地　機　関

現地における実施は國の機関として北海道知事が当つた。

この方式は予算の綜合性、実施の統一性を保持し、実施上良好な結果を得たものと考えられる。

しかしながら特定の省の一局が担当機関であることは視野が狭少たるを免れず且つ國家推進機関として弱少のそしりを免れなかつた。

現　狀

1　中　央　組　織

現在においては北海道開発のための専任の行政機関がないため北海道綜合開発計画は樹立されておらず、北海道開発に必要な予算は、各省各庁所管として夫々個別的に編成されている。

そのため綜合性において欠くるところが多く、経費の効用も充分発揮されていない。

2　現地機関

國有林関係を除いては北海道知事が國の委託を受けて実施しているが関係各行政機関から個別に指揮監督を受けその間連絡協調を欠いている。

かくの如く専管の行政機関がないため北海道綜合開発計画は綜合性を欠き、その予算も充分な効率を発揮していない。この欠点を補ふためには、北海道綜合開発計画の企画立案及び実施の推進にあたらせるため、新たに特別の行政機関が北海道綜合開発の予算をまとめて所管することが必要である。しかも北海道綜合開発の特異性にかんがみて、この行政機関は國務大臣を委員長とし、学識経験のあるもので組織する委員会とし、これに國会議員、学識経験ある者、北海道知事、北海道議会議長で組織する審議会を置くことが適当である。

これがこの答申をせる理由である。

# 參

# 考

# 北海道開発法案

（この法律の目的）

第一條　この法律は、北海道における土地、山林、鉱産、電力、海洋その他の資源を急速に且つ綜合的に開発して國民経済の復興及び人口問題の解決に寄與し、もつて生活の安定及び文化の向上に資することを目的とする。

（綜合開発計画の実施）

第二條　國は、前條の目的を達成するため、昭和二十六年度から北海道綜合開発計画を実施するものとする。

（委員会の設置）

第三條　國家行政組織法第三條第二項の規定により、総理府の外局として、北海道綜合開発委員会（以下委員会という。）を設置する。

（委員会の任務及び権限）

第四條　委員会は第二條の計画（以下綜合開発計画という。）につき企画立案し、その実施の推進

にあたる任務及び権限を有する。

（委員の組織及び委員の手当）

第五條　委員会は、左に掲げる者につき内閣総理大臣が任命する委員五人をもつて組織する。

一　國務大臣　一人。

二　学識経験のある者　四人。

2　前項第二号に掲げる者を委員に任命する場合においては、両議院の同意を経なければならない。

3　前項の委員の任期は五年とする。但し再任を妨げない。

4　委員会の委員は内閣総理大臣が大蔵大臣と協議して定める報酬をうける。

（委員長及びその権限）

第六條　委員長は、國務大臣たる委員をもつて充てる。

2　委員長は、会務を総理し、所部の職員を指揮監督する。

3　委員長に事故があるときは、委員長のあらかじめ指命する委員がその職務を代理する。

（予算上の特別措置）

第七條　國の予算のうち綜合開発計画の実施に関するものは、これを一括して総理府所管とし、これを使用する場合に必要があるときは、委員会の申出により、内閣総理大臣が他の所管に移し替えることができる。

（内閣総理大臣の指示権等）

第八條　内閣総理大臣は綜合開発計画の実施を確実ならしめるため、委員会の申出により各省大臣又は各庁の長に対し指示し、その他必要な措置を採ることができる。

（北海道綜合開発審議会）

第九條　委員会に北海道綜合開発審議会（以下審議会という。）を置く。

2　審議会は綜合開発計画に関する重要事項を調査審議する。

（審議会の組織等）

第十條　審議会は、左に掲げる者につき内閣総理大臣が任命する委員二十人以内をもつて組織する。

一　國会議員の中から衆議院及び参議院の議長が指命した者　二人以内。

二　北海道知事。

三　北海道議会議長。

四　学識経験のある者

2　委員の任期は、三年とする。但し補欠による委員の任期は前任者の残任期間とする。

3　委員は再任を妨げない。

4　委員は非常勤とする。

5　審議会の会長は、委員のうちから互選する。

6　前各項に定めるものを除く外、審議会の議事に関し、必要な事項は審議会が定める。

（審議会の権限）

第十一條　委員会は、左に掲げる事項については、審議会の意見を尊重しなければならない。

一　綜合開発計画の年度計画に関する事項。

二　第七條の規定による委員会の権限の行使に関する事項。

三　第八條の規定による委員会の権限の行使に関ずる事項。

四　その他委員会が定める事項。

（参考人の出頭等）



人以内。

第十二條　委員会は、その任務を達成するために必要があるときは参考人の出頭、若しくは意見を求め、又は関係各行政機関に対し、必要な報告及び資料の提出を求めることができる。

（事　務　局）

第十三條　委員会に事務局を置き事務局に必要な職員を置く。

（職　　員）

第十四條　事務局の職員の任命、懲戒その他人事管理に関する事項については、國家公務員法（昭和二二年法律第百二十号）の定めるところによる。

（定　　員）

第十五條　事務局の職員の定員は別に法律で定める。

（そ　の　他）

第十六條　この法律に定めるものを除く外北海道綜合開発計画の実施に関し、必要な事項は別に法律で定める。

附　　則

1　この法律は公布の日より施行する。

2　最初に任命せられる委員の任期は第五條第三項の規定にかかわらす四人の内二人を三年とする。

3　委員会は第四條の規定にかかわらず昭和二十五年度において執行すべき、北海道の綜合開発に関する事業の綜合調整に関し必要な事項を調査審議することができる。

4　内閣総理大臣は委員会の申出により、前項の事業の実施つき綜合調整上必要があると認めるときは、関係行政機関の長に対し指示することができる。

## 二　北海道綜合開発基本方針の基礎となるべき構想

### (一)　目　標

北海道の開発八十年、その成績見るべきものが多々ある。しかし今だに第一次産業の域を脱しない現状にあり、日本経済復興の要望される今日北海道の未開発資源の活用こそ極めて重大である。即ち日本全体より見て地下資源特に石炭の如きはその埋藏量八十億トンであつて全國の

五割を占め、林産蓄積は二十億石で全國の三割、水産生産高は年平均二億貫で全國の四割、又開拓適地においては七十八万町歩で全國の五割を占めている。この開発を適切な綜合開発計画の下に実施するならば將來においては急速に各種産業を振興せしめると共に又人口においても現在の四百万人を数倍に增加することが可能である。

## (二) 現　狀

次に北海道開発に対する従來の開拓方針竝びに産業の現狀について大觀するに今日の段階においては再考究すべき点尠しとしない。

前者についてこれを見るに

一　開拓中途において國の重点が外地に移行し、北海道が軽視されたこと。

一　國費支出方法が多岐にわたり重点に欠くる嫌あること。

一　基本的施設及び調査の点において充分でないこと等が主な点である。

又後者については農、水、林産の如き原始産業は一部に高度化、集約化を見るもその大部分は粗放的経営の域を脱せず、更に第二次産業たる工業の如きについても僅かに製鉄、製鋼、パルプ、製紙、肥料工業等を除いては極めて低調で全國の生産高の四分に過ぎぬ。

## (三) 開発実施方法

今後の開発に当つては以上の事情にかんがみ左の如き基本方針をもつて計画を進めることを可とする。

一　國費事業にありては重点を明確にして順序方法を勘案すること。

二　開発の基礎的施設即ち交通、運輸、河川及び土地改良等の如きものは、少くとも前期において全量の七割五分程度を先行すべきこと。

三　各種産業についてはその産業の業態に應じ適切な水準迄急速に高めること。

四　右の方針により具体的施策を行うには種々問題があるが特に左の事項は緊急且つ重要である。

(1) 電源の開発。
(2) 交通運輸施設の拡充。
(3) 治水利水の促進。
(4) 漁田開発及び漁港の整備拡充。
(5) 開拓及び土地改良の推進。
(6) 地下資源の調査。

(7) 工業の振興。
(8) 植林及び奥地林の開発。
(9) 住宅の改善及び新設。
(10) 各種試験研究機関の整備拡充等。

以上のうち特に左記の基本的事項は緊急施策であつて、これに対しては強力に遂行する必要があるものと認める。

一 開発の重要な基礎施設中特に先行せらるべき道路、河川、港湾等の整備拡充。
一 産業開発の原動力となる電源の開発。
一 石炭を中心とする工業の振興。
一 地下資源の調査。
一 北海道を地域的に見て最も時期的に経済効率の高き石狩川流域の綜合的開発。

なを石狩川流域の綜合開発は治山、治水、灌漑用水の解決を兼ね合せた水力の開発、これに関連して泥炭地の根本的解決等をT・V・Aの如き一貫せる組織的計画の下に緊急に行うことは最も適切である。

# 北海道各種産業全國対比調表

| 区分 | | 北海道 | 全國 | 全國に対する割合 % | 摘要 |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 農業 | 耕地 | | | | |
| | 田 | 一五三千町歩 | 二、八五〇千町歩 | 五・三 | 昭和二十二年 |
| | 畑 | 五九〇〃 | 二、一六二〃 | 二七・二 | |
| | 計 | 七四三〃 | 五、〇一三〃 | 一四・八 | |
| | 家畜 | | | | |
| | 乳牛 | 六三千頭 | 一五九千頭 | 三九・〇 | |
| | 馬 | 三五二〃 | 一、〇五四〃 | 二三・九 | |
| | その他 | 一三六〃 | 四三六〃 | 三一・〇 | |
| 林業 | 森林面積 | 五、二四四千町歩 | 二〇、八七三千町歩 | 二五・一 | 昭和二十二年 |
| | 蓄積量 | 二、一五一百万石 | 六、七八六百万石 | 三一・七 | |
| | 伐採量 | 二、九二六千石 | 一三九、二五六千石 | 一六・三 | (緬羊・豚・山羊) |
| | 用材 | 四、九一二〃 | 七、四七三〃 | 六五・七 | 昭和二十二年 |
| | 薪炭材 | 二五、九三六〃 | 一三六、七九千石 | 一八・九 | |
| 水産業 | 漁獲高 | 一四三、一三六千貫 | 四五三、五一六千貫 | 三一・五 | 昭和二十二年 |
| | 主要魚類 | 一、九七一〃 | 二〇、〇〇四〃 | 九・八 | |
| | 貝類 | 一〇、九四〇〃 | 二三、〇九〇〃 | 四九・六 | |
| | 藻類 | 四、六〇六〃 | 八、一一一〃 | 五六・七 | |
| | その他 | 一六〇、六五三〃 | 五〇三、七三一〃 | 三一・八 | |
| | 計 | 六〇四百万円 | 二九、四〇〇百万円 | 一・五 | 昭和二十二年 工業統計 |
| 工業 | 金属工業 | 一、七一九〃 | 八六、七八三〃 | 二・〇 | |
| | 機械工業 | 二、五一六〃 | 五五、五九二〃 | 二・四 | |
| | 化学工業 | 四、六七〇〃 | 三八、四八九〃 | 八・五 | |
| | 食糧品工業 | 三三五〃 | 一三、三四〃 | 二・四 | |
| | 窯業及土石工業 | | | | |

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 林業 | 森林面積 | 五[illegible]二四千町歩 | 二〇、八七三千町歩 | 二五・[illegible] | 昭和二十二年 |
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| | 薪炭材 | 四、九一二〃 | 七、四七三〃 | 六五・七 | |
| | 計 | 一五、九三六〃 | 一三六、七二九千石 | 一八・九 | |
| 水産業 | 魚獲高 | | | | 昭和二十二年 |
| | 主要魚類 | 一四三、一三六千貫 | 四五三、五一六千貫 | 三一・五 | |
| | 貝類 | 一、九七一〃 | 二〇、〇〇四〃 | 九・八 | |
| | 藻類 | 一〇、九四〇〃 | 二二、〇九〇〃 | 四九・六 | |
| | 其の他 | 四、六〇六〃 | 八、一一一〃 | 五六・七 | |
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| | 窯業及土石工業 | 三二五〃 | 一三、三三四〃 | 二・四 | |
| | 製材及木製品工業 | 三、四二八〃 | 四〇、三四一〃 | 一・二 | |
| | 其の他 | 一、四二一〃 | 五八、七一五〃 | 四・五 | |
| | 計 | 一四、六九三〃 | 三三二、六四四〃 | 四・四 | |
| 鉱業 | 石炭 | | | | 昭和二十二年 |
| | 埋蔵量 | 八、〇〇九百万トン | 一六、三二八百万トン | 四九・三 | |
| | 採炭量 | 七、七四四千トン | 二九、三三五千トン | 二六・四 | |

備考

| 種別 | 九州 | 全國に対する割合% | 其の他 | 全國に対する割合% | 摘要 |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 石炭 | | | | | |
| 埋蔵量 | 六、一二七百万トン | 三七・七 | 二、〇八二百万トン | 一三・〇 | 昭和二十二年 |
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From : Shiroshichi Kimura,
Liaison Bureau, Ministry of Foreign Affairs

Subject : Dismissal of Shotaku Nagata,

17th September, 1949

On the dismissal of Shotaku Nagata from the Hokkaido Integrate Development Council, the Liaison Bureau received a formal notification, as shown in the attached translation, from Prime Minister's Secretariat. The information was transmitted to Capt. MacWherter of your Section by Mr. Natsume of the Legislative Affairs Section, Liaison Bureau.

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Major Napier -
The underlined part is not true
Told Kimura !!
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Translation

From: Renpei Kuriyama,
Chief of Personnel Section,
Prime Minister's Secretariat

To : Mr. Toshio Urabe,
Chief of Legislative Affairs Section,
Liaison Bureau, Ministry of Foreign Affairs

13 September, 1949.

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GENERAL HEADQUARTERS
SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS
Government Section
Public Administration Division

6 September 1949

MEMORANDUM FOR MAJOR NAPIER

SUBJECT: Council for Integrated Development of Hokkaido

The Council for Integrated Development of Hokkaido was established by Cabinet decision of 25 March 1949. To date there have been four general meetings. At the first meeting, MASUDA Kaneshichi read a message from the Prime Minister clarifying the reason for its establishment as outlined in Tab 1, subject: Proceedings of the Council, submitted by the Administrative Management Agency 1 September 1949 and Tab 2, Memorandum, subject: Conference on Council for Integrated Development of Hokkaido.

In the course of the four meetings, the Council:

1. Decided to have a staff or secretariat of its own and decided to make arrangements for budgetary appropriations for payment of the personnel.

2. Decided on basic policy and an outline for its work.

3. Appointed a standing committee to draft a program for the development of Hokkaido (purgee NAGATA was appointed Chairman).

4. Appointed a sub-committee to draft legislation relative to Hokkaido development to be presented at the next extraordinary session of the Diet (Mr. NAGATA headed this sub-committee also).

5. Decided that the Council should be a permanent and executive organ and drafted an establishment bill for such an organization.

J. D. M.

2 Incls:
1 - Proceedings of the Council
2 - Memo for Major Napier 1 Sep 49
re: Conference on Council

# PROCEEDINGS OF THE COUNCIL FOR THE INTEGRATED DEVELOPMENT OF HOKKAIDO

Sept. 1, 1949
Administrative Management Agency

## I. General Meetings

Established by the Cabinet decision of March 25, 1949, the Council held four general meetings since, on May 4, 6, June 15 and 17.

At the first meeting, Mr. Masuda, Director of Cabinet Secretariat, read the message of the Prime Minister to the Council and made a speech clarifying the reason for its establishment. The Council then decided to have a Standing Committee with the following members:-

Messrs. Ogawara, Sasaki, Shinoda, G. Tanaka, Shikauchi, Seo, Nagata, Uehara, T. Tanaka and Bando.

At the Second meeting, the Council decided the following matters:-

1. to have its office in the Prime Minister's Office.
2. to have an efficient staff of its own.
3. to have appropriate budgetary measures taken.
4. to prepare draft of a bill for the development of Hokkaido.
5. to plan policy for carrying out the program for the current fiscal year.
6. Principle or criteria for discussing development program:-
   a) Program for attaining national self-sufficiency.
   b) Program in view of population distribution.
   c) To adopt program to be planned by the Council as basis.
      i) to find out what shall be the basic industry of Hokkaido taking into consideration its resourses and demand of national market.
      ii) to take into full consideration the condition and demands of localities of Hokkaido.
      iii) to make estimates of fund necessary for the construction of roads, ports, rivers and other basic facilities.

At the third meeting, the Council decided to create a Sub-Committee with the following members:-

Messrs. Ogawara, G. Tanaka, Nagano, Shikauchi, Seo, Nagata, T. Tanaka, and Bando.

At the fourth meeting, the Council decided as follows:-

A. The proceedings of the Council:-

1) Sub-Committee will prepare the draft of the bill for the development of Hokkaido.

2) Standing Committee will draft the program for the integrated development. The active cooperation of the various Government organs for planning of economic recovery etc. will be sought in this connection.

3) General meeting will deliberate on the interim and final reports submitted by Sub-Committee and Standing Committee, and will handle various problems which might arise from time to time. But among the latter, those of urgent nature might be handledby Standing Committee, and its decision regarded as that of the Council itself.

B. Time limit for research and deliberation:-

1) The bill for development is to be scheduled for presentation to the Diet at the next extraordinary session.

2) The draft of development program is to be completed as soon as possible.

II. Sub-Committee

The committee met on June 17 to nominate Mr. Nagata as chairman. The first meeting was held on June 21 and ten meetings have so far been held. The subject matters treated at these meetings are as follows:-

First meeting: Explanation of the development program as conceived by the Government of Hokkaido.

Second meeting: Fisheries and forestry.

Third meeting: Power, mining, coal and industry.

Fourth meeting: Agriculture and reclamation.

Fifth meeting: Transportation, road and harbor.

Sixth meeting: Financial matters.

Seventh meeting: Draft of the development bill.

Eighth meeting: Read and rivers.

Nineth meeting: Draft of the bill.

Tenth meeting: Draft of a bill establishing a Hokkaido Development Commission(to make the Council a permanent and executive organ).

III. Standing Committee

The Standing Committee held its meeting on June 17 to appoint Mr. Nagata as chairman and decided to deliberate as first step on the integrated development plan conceived by the Government of Hokkaido. It will hold hearings to get the opinions of experts and then will proceed to draft the program of its own.

IV. Staff

As decided at the second general meeting, the staff of the Council was organized with Mr. Kaneyoshi OKADA as chief. The staff is composed of five members who are officials of Hokkaido Government.

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Please add to the list of members previously submitted the following three:-

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| TANAKA, Toshibumi | Governor of Hokkaido |
| TANAKA, Gen | Member of the House of Representatives |
| NAGANO, Shigeo | Vice President of Nittetsu (Japan Iron Manufacture Co,) |

GENERAL HEADQUARTERS
SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS
Government Section
Public Administration Division

1 September 1949

MEMORANDUM FOR MAJOR NAPIER

SUBJECT: Conference on Council for Integrated Development of Hokkaido

OKADA Kaneyoshi, accompanied by WATANABE Ichishiro, called at 0915 hours 31 August 1949 to report on the work of the Council for Integrated Development of Hokkaido. Mr. OKADA introduced himself as the former Governor of Hokkaido and the present "manager" of the Council (actually Chief of Secretariat). Mr. WATANABE was termed vaguely an associate. Neither are listed as members of the Council in the roster submitted by the Administrative Management Agency.

Mr. OKADA spoke forcefully and at length on the need for planned development of Hokkaido. He explained that the island had extensive natural resources and compared to the other islands was sparsely populated. He stated that past appropriations for its development had been wasted by the uncoordinated efforts of central government spenders who were not familiar with the real needs of the region. He expressed the hope that the present Council would advise the Cabinet that one commission should be established to coordinate plans for the development of the area.

Mr. OKADA stressed that the planned development must include: 1) reform of the prefectural administrative organization; 2) rehabilitation of financial institutions; 3) development of transportation and communications.

Of the actual work of the Council to date Mr. OKADA would make no definite statement. Also he was apparently unwilling to discuss the personnel who are members of the Council.

J. D. M.

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GENERAL HEADQUARTERS
SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS
Government Section
Public Administration Division

26 August 1949

MEMORANDUM FOR MAJOR NAPIER

SUBJECT: The Japanese Cabinet's Informal Councils

1. Seven informal councils have been set up by Cabinet decision to "make research and deliberation upon inquiry from the Prime Minister" on specialized subjects. The councils are composed of Diet members and persons of learning and experience. The decisions establishing these councils are dated between 25 March and 12 July 1949.

2. The above information was supplied by the Administrative Management Agency; the following, by the Inspection Section of the Prime Minister's Secretariat.

3. Among the members of these councils is one purgee: NAGATA Shotaku of the Council for Integrated Development of Hokkaido.

4. The Cabinet decision and list of members for each council are attached.

J. D. M.

# ESTABLISHMENT OF THE COUNCIL FOR THE INTEGRATED DEVELOPMENT OF HOKKAIDO

(Hokkaido Sogo Kaihatsu Shingi-kai)

Cabinet Decision of March 25, 1949

I. The Council for the Integrated Development of Hokkaido shall be established under the Cabinet to make research and deliberation, upon inquiry from the Prime Minister, on [redacted] integrated development of Hokkaido.

II. The Council shall be composed of one Chaiman and several constituents.

The Chaiman shall be designated by the Prime Minister from among the constituents,

The constituents shall be appointed or commissioned by the Prime Minister from among the Ministers of State, persons of learning and experience or public service personnel concerned.

MEMBERS OF THE COUNCIL FOR INTEGRATED DEVELOPMENT OF HOKKAIDO

Members of the Diet

House of Councillors

* ITAYA, Junsuke
SUZUKI, Yasutaka
MATSUNO, Kinai

House of Representatives

FUKUDA, Tokuyasu
OGAWARA, Masanobu
ITO, Goichi
TOMINAGA, Kakugoro
SHINODA, Hirosaku
NAGAI, Yozo
SASAKI, Hideyo

Persons of learning and experience

| | |
|---|---|
| KAWAKITA, Teiichi | Vice-President of the Bank of Japan |
| ITO, Seiya | Professor of Hokkaido University |
| UEHARA, Tetsusaburo | Honorary Professor of the same |
| YAMAKAWA, Ryoichi | President of Mitsui Mining Co. |
| BANDO, Hidetaro | Chairman of Assembly of Hokkaido |
| SAITO, Seishu | Formerly civil engineer |
| HAYASHI, Tsuneo | Former forestry engineer |
| NAGATA, Shotaku | Former President of Takushoku Bank |
| YOSHINO, Koichi | President of Osaka Industry Association (Osaka Kogyo Kai) |
| SEO, Shunzo | Hokkaido Kono Kosha |
| * ISHIKAWA, Ichiro | President of Economic Associations Union (Keizai Dantai Rengo Kai) |
| SHIKAUCHI, Nobutaka | Nippon Denshi Kogyo |
| UCHIDA, Shunichi | Professor of University of Industrial Science (Kogyo Daigaku) |

# ESTABLISHMENT OF THE COUNCIL FOR THE INTEGRATED DEVELOPMENT OF THE LAND

(Sogo Kokudo Kaihatsu Shingi-kai)

Cabinet Decision of March 25, 1949

I. The Council for the Integrated Development of the Land shall be established under the Cabinet to make research and deliberation, upon inquiry from the Prime Minister, on [redacted] integrated development of the Land.

II. The Council shall be composed of one Chairman and several constituents.

The chairman shall be designated by the Prime Minister from among the constituents.

The constituents shall be appointed or commissioned by the Prime Minister from among the Ministers of State, persons of learning and experience or public service personnel concerned.

Members of the
Council for the Integrated
Development of the Land

Members of the Diet

House of Representatives

* SHOJI, Ichiro

* OHASHI, Takeo

SHIDA, Yoshinobu

NISHIMURA, Eiichi

* TANAKA, Isaji

MATSUNO, Raizo

House of Councillors

KITAMURA, Kazuo

MIZUKUBO, Jinsaku

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Persons of learning and experience

| | |
|---|---|
| ONISHI, Eiichi | President of Nippon Hassoden K.K. (Japan Power Generating & Supply Co.) |
| SUZUKI, Kiyohide | President of Teito Kosokudo Kotsu Eidan ( Metropolitan Subway ) |
| IINUMA, Issei | Director of City Planning Association |
| UTSUMI, Kiyoharu | Member of Resources Council, E.S.B. |
| OYAMA, Matsujiro | Dean of First Engineering Dept., |
| MIKI, Takashi | President of Japan Iron Manufacture Co. (Nittetsu) |
| AOKI, Kiniehi | President of Shinagawa White Brick Co. |
| HIROSE, Akira | President of Japan Life Insurance Co. |

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|---|---|
| MOROTO, Kitaro | Dr. of Forestry |
| YAMAZAKI, Kyosuke | Former Vice-Minister of Education |
| OHARA, Seichiro | President Kurashiki Silk Textile Co. |
| MIWA, Tsunejiro | President of Nagoya Chamber of Commerce and Industry |
| SUZUKI, Masaji | Former Technical Superviser of the Ministry of Home Affairs |
| HASUMI, Yasushi | President of the Foodstuff Association (Shokuryo Kyokai) |
| SETO, Kakuma | President of Sanko Construction Co. (Sanko Kensetsu Kogyo K.K.) |
| MURAKAMI, Ryutaro | Director of National Land Planning Association (Kokudo Keikaku Kyokai) |
| KURATA, Chikara | President Hitachi Works (Hitachi seisakujo) |
| ISHIHARA, Mikiichiro | Governor of Fukushima Prefecture |

# ESTABLISHMENT OF THE TAX SYSTEM COUNCIL

## (Zeisei Shingi-kai)

## Cabinet Decision of March 25, 1949

I. The Tax System Council shall be established under the Cabinet to make research and deliberation, upon inquiry from the Prime Minister, on [redacted] tax.

II. The Council shall be composed of one Chairman and several constituents.

The chairman shall be designated by the Prime Minister from among the constituents.

The constituents shall be appointed or commissioned by the Prime Minister from among the Ministers of State, persons of learning and experience or public service personnel concerned.

III. The Tax System Council(Zeisei Shingi-kai) which was established in the Ministry of Finance by the Cabinet Decision of January 7, 1949 shall be abolished.

Members of Tax System Council

Members of the Diet

House of Representatives

TSUKADA, Toichiro (Chairman)
MAEO, Shigesaburo
OKAMI, Tsukasa
KAWABATA, Yoshio
IKUTA, Wahei
KANEMITSU, Yoshikuni

House of Councillors

YAMADA, Saichi
KURODA, Hideo

Persons of Learning and experience

| | |
|---|---|
| WATANABE, Tadao | President of Sanwa Bank |
| CHIGIRA, Sozaburo | Chairman of National Association of Finance |
| * NAGATA, Kiyoshi | Professor of Keio University |
| KUROSAWA, Kiyoshi | Professor of Yokohama Economic College |
| ITO, Hanya | Professor of Commercial College |
| SHIOMI, Saburo | Professor of Kyoto University |
| TOHATA, Seiichi | Chairman of Agriculture Rehabilitation Association |
| WATANABE, Toshinosuke | Japan ~~Worker Union~~ Federation of Labor Unions |
| OYA, Hanziro | Chairman of Central Bank of Agriculture |
| ENZYOJI, Ziro | Chief of Editorial Department, Nippon Keizai Shinbun |
| SUGI, Michisuke | Chairman of Osaka Chamber of Commerce and Industry |
| YASUI, Seiichiro | Governer of Tokyo-to |
| EZAWA, Syozo | Director of Bank of Japan |
| KANBE, Masao | Mayor of Kyoto |
| NAGASAKI, Hideo | President of Industrial Reconstruction Kodan |
| MIYAZAKI, Hikoichiro | Chariman of Kobe Chamber of Commerce and Industry |
| OKUMURA, Tsunao | President of Nomura Securities Company |

# ESTABLISHMENT OF THE UNEMPLOYMENT COUNTER-MEASURE COUNCIL

(Shitsugyo Taisaku Shingi-kai)

Cabinet Decision of March 25, 1949

I. The Unemployment Counter-measure Council shall be established under the Cabinet to make research and deliberation, upon inquiry from the Prime Minister, on [redacted] counter-measures for unemployment.

II. The Council shall be composed of one Chairman and several constituents.

The chairman shall be designated from among the constituents.

The constituents shall be appointed or commissioned by the Prime Minister from among the Ministers of State, persons of learning and experience ot public service personnel concerned.

III. The Cabinet Members Conference for Unemployment Counter-Measures as based on the Cabinet Decision of March 4, 1949 shall be abolished as soon as this Council is inaugurated.

# MEMBERS OF UNEMPLOYMENT COUNTER-MEASURE COUNCIL

## Members of the Diet

House of Representatives
- MIZUTA, Mikio
- ENDŌ, Saburō
- CHIGA, Yasuji
- FUKUDA, Yoshiharu
- ŌNISHI, Sadao
- TAKEO, Hajime
- IKEDA, Masanosuke
- SHIBATA, Masaji

House of Councillors
- IMAIZUMI, Masaki

## Persons of Learning and experience

| | |
|---|---|
| AWAJI, Enjirō | Chairman of Central Employment Security Committee |
| KITAZAWA, Shinjirō | Professor of Waseda University |
| FUJIBAYASHI, Keizo (Chairman) | Professor of Keio University |
| NAKAYAMA, Ichirō | President of Commercial College |
| FUJITA, Totaro | Member of Central Labor Relatives Commission |
| * ISHIKAWA, Ichirō | President of Economic Association Union |
| KOMAMURA, Sukemasa | President of Ko-sho Company |
| OKANO, Yasujiro | President of Mitsubishi Heavy Industry Company |
| ABE, Takajiro | President of Toyo Mill Company (Toyo bo) |
| YAMAGATA, Katsumi | |
| TSUKAMOTO, Zō | Mayor of Nagoya |
| * SATŌ, Kiichiro | Presient of Teikoku Bank |
| KAMEYAMA, Naoto | Chairman of Science Council of Japan |

# ESTABLISHMENT OF POPULATION PROBLEMS COUNCIL

(Jinko Mondai Shingi-kai)

Cabinet Decision of April 15, 1949

I. The Population Problems Council shall be established under the Cabinet to make research and deliberation, upon inquiry from the Prime Minister, on population problems of this country.

II. The Council shall be composed of one Chairman and several constituents.

The Chairman shall be designated by the Prime Minister from among the constituents.

The constituents shall be appointed or commissioned by the Prime Minister from among the Ministers of State, persons of learning and experience or public service personnel concerned.

## Members of Population Problems Council

| | |
|---|---|
| TERAO, Takuma | Professor of Keio University |
| TODA, Teizo (Chariman) | Sociologist |
| YAMANAKA, Atsutaro | Professor of Commercial College |
| KITAOKA, Jyuitsu | Professor of Kokugakuin College |
| NAGAI, Tohoru | Management Director of Population Problems Research Association |
| FURUYA, Yoshio | Chief of Institute of Public Health |
| OKAZAKI, Fuminori | Chief of Population Problems Research Institute |
| UCHIMURA, Hiroyuki | Professor of Tokyo University |
| DOI, Tatsuo | Archibishop (Catholic Church) |
| KAGAWA, Toyohiko | |
| ATSUMI, Ikuo | Managing Director of Overseas Emigration Associations Union |
| HASHIMOTO, Sakuo | Chief of Daido Economic Research Institute |
| YOSHIMOTO, Kumao | President of Japan Insulator Company |
| SHIMIZU, Shinzō | Deputy Chief, Industry Reconstruction Plans Division, Japan Federation of Labor Unions |

# ESTABLISHMENT OF CULTURE & EDUCATION COUNCIL

(Bunkyo Shingi-kai)

Cabinet Decision of May 7, 1949.

I. The Culture and Education Council shall be established under the Cabinet to make research and deliberation, upon inquiry from the Prime Minister, on important matters regarding science and other matters of culture and education.

II. The council shall be composed of several persons of learning and experience.

# MEMBERS OF CULTURE & EDUCATION COUNCIL

| | |
|---|---|
| SUZUKI, Daisetsu | Professor of Oya College |
| HASEGAWA, Manjiro | Members of Japan Art Academy |
| * BABA, Tsunego | President of Yomiuri Shinbun |
| ABE, Yoshishige | President of Gakushuin |
| TAKAHASHI, Seiichiro | President of Japan Art Academy |
| ITAKURA, Sadazo | President of JijishinPou |
| * SUZUKI, Bunshiro | Editor of Japanese Edition of Readers' Digest |
| AMANO, Sadayuki | President of Nippon Ikueikai (Japan Scholarship Association) |
| WATSUJI, Tetsuro | Honorary Professor of Tokyo University |
| NISHINA, Yoshio | Vice-President of Science Council of Japan |

# ESTABLISHMENT OF TELEGRAPH & TELEPHONE REHABILITATION COUNCIL
(Denshin Denwa Fukko Shingi-kai)

Cabinet Decision of July 12, 1949

I. The Telegraph and Telephone Rehabilitation Council shall be established under the Cabinet to make researdh and deliberation, upon inquiry from the Prime Minister, on important matters regarding recovery, rehabilitation and improvement of telegraph and telephone.

II. The Council shall be composed of one Chairman and several constituents.

The chairman shall be designated by the Prime Minister from among the constituents.

The constituents shall be appointed or commissioned by the Prime Minister from among the Ministers of State, persons of learning and experience or public service personnel concerned.

## Notes

1. The members of Telegraph & Teleplune Rehabilitation Council have not yet been appointed.

2. MATANO, Kensuke — President of Iiho Maritime Transport Company

The above has been commissioned as a member of the Administrative System Council.

GENERAL HEADQUARTERS
SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS
Government Section
Public Administration Division

26 August 1949

MEMORANDUM FOR MAJOR NAPIER

SUBJECT: The Japanese Cabinet's Informal Councils

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2. The above information was supplied by the Administrative Management Agency; the following, by the Inspection Section of the Prime Minister's Secretariat.

3. Among the members of these councils is one purgee: NAGATA Shotaku of the Council for Integrated Development of Hokkaido.

4. The Cabinet decision and list of members for each council are attached.

J. D. M.

# ESTABLISHMENT OF THE COUNCIL FOR THE INTEGRATED DEVELOPMENT OF HOKKAIDO

(Hokkaido Sogo Kaihatsu Shingi-kai)

Cabinet Decision of March 25, 1949

I. The Council for the Integrated Development of Hokkaido shall be established under the Cabinet to make research and deliberation, upon inquiry from the Prime Minister, on [redacted] integrated development of Hokkaido.

II. The Council shall be composed of one Chaiman and several constituents.

The Chaiman shall be designated by the Prime Minister from among the constituents,

The constituents shall be appointed or commissioned by the Prime Minister from among the Ministers of State, persons of learning and experience or public service personnel concerned.

# MEMBERS OF THE COUNCIL FOR INTEGRATED DEVELOPMENT OF HOKKAIDO

## Members of the Diet

House of Councillors

ITAYA, Junsuke
SUZUKI, Yasutaka
MATSUNO, Kinai

House of Representatives

FUKUDA, Tokuyasu
OGAWARA, Masanobu
ITO, Goichi
TOMINAGA, Kakugoro
SHINODA, Hitosaku
NAGAI, Yozo
SASAKI, Hideyo

## Persons of learning and experience

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| KAWAKITA, Teiichi | Vice-President of the Bank of Japan |
| ITO, Seiya | Professor of Hokkaido University |
| UEHARA, Tetsusaburo | Honorary Professor of the same |
| YAMAKAWA, Ryoichi | President of Mitsui Mining Co. |
| BANDO, Hidetaro | Chairman of Assembly of Hokkaido |
| SAITO, Seishu | Formerly civil engineer |
| HAYASHI, Tsuneo | Former forestry engineer |
| NAGATA, Shotaku | Former President of Takushoku Bank |
| YOSHINO, Koichi | President of Osaka Industry Association (Osaka Kogyo Kai) |
| SEO, Shunzo | Hokkaido Kono Kosha |
| ISHIKAWA, Ichiro | President of Economic Associations Union (Keizai Dantai Rengo Kai) |
| SHIKAUCHI, Nobutaka | Nippon Tenshi Kogyo |
| UCHIDA, Shunichi | Professor of University of Industrial Science (Kogyo Daigaku) |

Enclosure No. 1

ESTABLISHMENT OF THE UNEMPLOYMENT
COUNTER-MEASURE COUNCIL

(Shitsugyo Taisaku Shingi-kai)

Cabinet Decision of March 25, 1949

I. The Unemployment Counter-measure Council shall be established under the Cabinet to make research and deliberation, upon inquiry from the Prime Minister, on [redacted] counter-measures for unemployment.

II. The Council shall be composed of one Chairman and several constituents.

The chairman shall be designated from among the constituents.

The constituents shall be appointed or commissioned by the Prime Minister from among the Ministers of State, persons of learning and experience ot public service personnel concerned.

III. The Cabinet Members Conference for Unemployment Counter-Measures as based on the Cabinet Decision of March 4, 1949 shall be abolished as soon as this Council is inaugurated.

MEMBERS OF UNEMPLOYMENT
COUNTER-MEASURE COUNCIL

Members of the Diet

House of Representatives
MIZUTA, Mikio
ENDŌ, Saburo
CHIGA, Yasuji
FUKUDA, Yoshiharu
ŌNISHI, Sadao
TAKEO, Hajime
IKEDA, Masanosuke
SHIBATA, Masaji

House of Councillors
IMAIZUMI, Masaki

Persons of Learning and experience

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|---|---|
| AWAJI, Enjirō | Chairman of Central Employment Security Committee |
| KITAZAWA, Shinjirō | Professor of Waseda University |
| FUJIBAYASHI, Keizo(Chairman) | Professor of Keio University |
| NAKAYAMA, Ichiro | President of Commercial College |
| FUJITA, Totarō | Member of Central Labor Relatives Commission |
| ISHIKAWA, Ichirō | President of Economic Association Union |
| KOMAMURA, Sukemasa | President of Ko-sho Company |
| OKANO, Yasujiro | President of Mitsubishi Heavy Industry Company |
| ABE, Takajiro | President of Toyo Mill Company (Toyo bo) |
| YAMAGATA, Katsumi | |
| TSUKAMOTO, Zō | Mayor of Nagoya |
| SATŌ, Kiichirō | Presient of Teikoku Bank |
| KAMEYAMA, Naoto | Chairman of Science Council of Japan |

# ESTABLISHMENT OF THE TAX SYSTEM COUNCIL

(Zeisei Shingi-kai)

Cabinet Decision of March 25, 1949

I. The Tax System Council shall be established under the Cabinet to make research and deliberation, upon inquiry from the Prime Minister, on [redacted] tax.

II. The Council shall be composed of one Chairman and several constituents.

The chairman shall be designated by the Prime Minister from among the constituents.

The constituents shall be appointed or commissioned by the Prime Minister from among the Ministers of State, persons of learning and experience or public service personnel concerned.

III. The Tax System Council(Zeisei Shingi-kai) which was established in the Ministry of Finance by the Cabinet Decision of January 7, 1949 shall be abolished.

# Members of Tax System Council

## Members of the Diet

House of Representatives
- TSUKADA, Tōichirō (Chairman)
- MAEO, Shigesaburō
- ŌKAMI, Tsukasa
- KAWABATA, Yoshio
- IKUTA, Wahei
- KANEMITSU, Yoshikuni
- YAMADA, Saichi

House of Councillors
- YAMADA, Saichi
- KURODA, Hideo

## Persons of Learning and experience

| | |
|---|---|
| WATANABE, Tadao | President of Sanwa Bank |
| CHIGIRA, Sōzaburō | Chairman of National Association of Finance |
| NAGATA, Kiyoshi | Professor of Keio University |
| KUROSAWA, Kiyoshi | Professor of Yokohama Economic College |
| ITŌ, Hanya | Professor of Commercial College |
| SHIOMI, Saburō | Professor of Kyoto University |
| TŌHATA, Seiichi | Chairman of Agriculture Rehabilitation Association |
| WATANABE, Toshinosuke | Japan Federation of Labors Union |
| ŌYA, Hanziro | Chairman of Central Bank of Agriculture |
| ENZYOJI, Zirō | Chief of Editorial Department, Nippon Keizai Shinbun |
| SUGI, Michisuke | Chairman of Osaka Chamber of Commerce and Industry |
| YASUI, Seiichirō | Governer of Tokyo-to Director |
| EZAWA, Syōzo | Director of Bank of Japan |
| KANBE, Masao | Mayor of Kyoto |
| NAGASAKI, Hideo | President of Industrial Reconstruction Kodan |
| MIYAZAKI, Hikoichirō | Chariman of Kobe Chamber of Commerce and Industry |
| OKUMURA, Tsunao | President of Nomura Securities Company |

# Members of Tax System Council

## Members of the Diet

House of Representatives
- TSUKADA, Tōichirō (Chairman)
- MAEO, Shigesaburō
- ŌKAMI, Tsukasa
- KAWABATA, Yoshio
- IKUTA, Wahei
- KANEMITSU, Yoshikuni
- YAMADA, Saichi

House of Councillors
- YAMADA, Saichi
- KURODA, Hideo

## Persons of Learning and experience

| | |
|---|---|
| WATANABE, Tadao | President of Sanwa Bank |
| CHIGIRA, Sōzaburō | Chairman of National Associaition of Finance |
| NAGATA, Kiyoshi | Professor of Keio University |
| KUROSAWA, Kiyoshi | Professor of Yokohama Economic College |
| ITŌ, Hanya | Professor of Commercial College |
| SHIOMI, Saburō | Professor of Kyoto University |
| TŌHATA, Seiichi | Chairman of Agriculture Rehabilitation Association |
| WATANABE, Toshinosuke | Japan Federation of Labors Union |
| ŌYA, Hanziro | Chairman of Central Bank of Agriculture |
| ENZYOJI, Ziro | Chief of Editorial Department, Nippon Keizai Shinbun |
| SUGI, Michisuke | Chairman of Osaka Chamber of Commerce and Industry |
| YASUI, Seiichirō | Governer of Tokyo-to Director |
| EZAWA, Syōzo | Director of Bank of Japan |
| KANBE, Masao | Mayor of Kyoto |
| NAGASAKI, Hideo | President of Industrial Reconstruction Kodan |
| MIYAZAKI, Hikoichirō | Chariman of Kobe Chamber of Commerce and Industry |
| OKUMURA, Tsunao | President of Nomura Securities Company |

# ESTABLISHMENT OF THE COUNCIL FOR THE INTEGRATED DEVELOPMENT OF THE LAND

(Sogo Kokudo Kaihatsu Shingi-kai)

Cabinet Decision of March 25, 1949

I. The Council for the Integrated Development of the Land shall be established under the Cabinet to make research and deliberation, upon inquiry from the Prime Minister, on [redacted] integrated development of the Land.

II. The Council shall be composed of one Chairman and several constituents.

The chairman shall be designated by the Prime Minister from among the constituents.

The constituents shall be appointed or commissioned by the Prime Minister from among the Ministers of State, persons of learning and experience or public service personnel concerned.

# Members of the Council for the Integrated Development of the Land

## Members of the Diet

House of Representatives

SHOJI, Ichiro

OHASHI, Takeo

SHIDA, Yoshinobu

NISHIMURA, Eiichi

TANAKA, Isaji

MATSUNO, Raizo

House of Councillors

KITAMURA, Kazuo

MIZUKUBO, Jinsaku

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## Persons of learning and experience

| | |
|---|---|
| ONISHI, Eiichi | President of Nippon Hassoden K.K. (Japan Power Generating & Supply Co.) |
| SUZUKI, Kiyohide | President of Teito Kosokudo Kotsu Eidan ( Metropolitan Subway ) |
| IINUMA, Issei | Director of City Planning Association |
| UTSUMI, Kiyoharu | Member of Resources Council, E.S.B. |
| OYAMA, Matsujiro | Dean of First Engineering Dept., |
| MIKI, Takashi | President of Japan Iron Manufacture Co. (Nittetsu) |
| AOKI, Kinichi | President of Shinagawa White Brick Co. |
| HIROSE, Akira | President of Japan Life Insurance Co. |

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| MOROTO, Kitaro | Dr. of Forestry |
| YAMAZAKI, Kyosuke | Former Vice-Minister of Education |
| OHARA, Soichiro | President Kurashiki Silk Textile Co. |
| MIWA, Tsunejiro | President of Nagoya Chamber of Commerce and Industry |
| SUZUKI, Masaji | Former Technical Superviser of the Ministry of Home Affairs |
| HASUMI, Yasushi | President of the Foodstuff Association (Shokuryo Kyokai) |
| SETO, Kakuma | President of Sanko Construction Co. (Sanko Kensetsu Kogyo K.K.) |
| MURAKAMI, Ryutaro | Director of National Land Planning Association (Kokudo Keikaku Kyokai) |
| KURATA, Chikara | President Hitachi Works (Hitachi seisakujo) |
| ISHIHARA, Mikiichiro( | Governor of Fukushima Prefecture |

# ESTABLISHMENT OF POPULATION PROBLEMS COUNCIL

## (Jinko Mondai Shingi-kai)

## Cabinet Decision of April 15, 1949

I. The Population Problems Council shall be established under the Cabinet to make research and deliberation, upon inquiry from the Prime Minister, on population problems of this country.

II. The Council shall be composed of one Chairman and several constituents.

The Chairman shall be designated by the Prime Minister from among the constituents.

The constituents shall be appointed or commissioned by the Prime Minister from among the Ministers of State, persons of learning and experience or public service personnel concerned.

## Members of Population Problems Council

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|---|---|
| TERAO, Takuma | Professor of Keio University |
| TODA, Teizo (Chariman) | Sociologist |
| YAMANAKA, Atsutaro | Professor of Commercial College |
| KITAOKA, Jyuitsu | Professor of Kokugakuin College |
| NAGAI, Tohoru | Management Director of Population Problems Research Association |
| FURUYA, Yoshio | Chief of Institute of Public Health |
| OKAZAKI, Fuminori | Chief of Population Problems Research Institute |
| UCHIMURA, Hiroyuki | Professor of Tokyo University |
| DOI, Tatsuo | Archibishop (Catholic Church) |
| KAGAWA, Toyohiko | Managing Director of Overseas Emigration Associations Union |
| ATSUMI, Ikuo | |
| HASHIMOTO, Sakuo | Chief of Daido Economic Research Institute |
| YOSHIMOTO, Kumao | President of Japan Insulator Company |
| SHIMIZU, Shinzō | Deputy Chief, Industry Reconstruction Plans Division, Japan Federation of Labor Unions |

# ESTABLISHMENT OF CULTURE & EDUCATION COUNCIL

(Bunkyo Shingi-kai)

Cabinet Decision of May 7, 1949.

I. The Culture and Education Council shall be established under the Cabinet to make research and deliberation, upon inquiry from the Prime Minister, on important matters regarding science and other matters of culture and education.

II. The council shall be composed of several persons of learning and experience.

# MEMBERS OF CULTURE & EDUCATION COUNCIL

| | |
|---|---|
| SUZUKI, Daisetsu | Professor of Oya College |
| HASEGAWA, Manjirō | Members of Japan Art Academy |
| BABA, Tsunego | President of Yomiuri Shinbun |
| ABE, Yoshishige | President of Gakushuin |
| TAKAHASHI, Seiichirō | President of Japan Art Academy |
| ITAKURA, Sadazō | President of Jijishinpou |
| SUZUKI, Bunshirō | Editor of Japanese Edition of Readers' Digest |
| AMANO, Sadayuki | President of Nippon Ikueikai (Japan Scholarship Association) |
| WATSUJI, Tetsuro | Honorary Professor of Tokyo University |
| NISHINA, Yoshio | Vice-President of Science Council of Japan |

# ESTABLISHMENT OF TELEGRAPH & TELEPHONE REHABILITATION COUNCIL
(Denshin Denwa Fukko Shingi-kai)

Cabinet Decision of July 12, 1949

I. The Telegraph and Telephone Rehabilitation Council shall be established under the Cabinet to make research and deliberation, upon inquiry from the Prime Minister, on important matters regarding recovery, rehabilitation and improvement of telegraph and telephone.

II. The Council shall be composed of one Chairman and several constituents.

The chairman shall be designated by the Prime Minister from among the constituents.

The constituents shall be appointed or commissioned by the Prime Minister from among the Ministers of State, persons of learning and experience or public service personnel concerned.

Notes

1. The members of Telegraph & Teleplune Rehabilitation Council have not yet been appointed.

2. MATANO, Kensuke — President of Iiho Maritime Transport Company

The above has been commissioned as a member of the Administrative System Council.