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# Cable No. 391, Foreign Minister to the Charge d'Affaires in Syria [Tsujita], 'Office Memorandum'

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#### **Summary:**

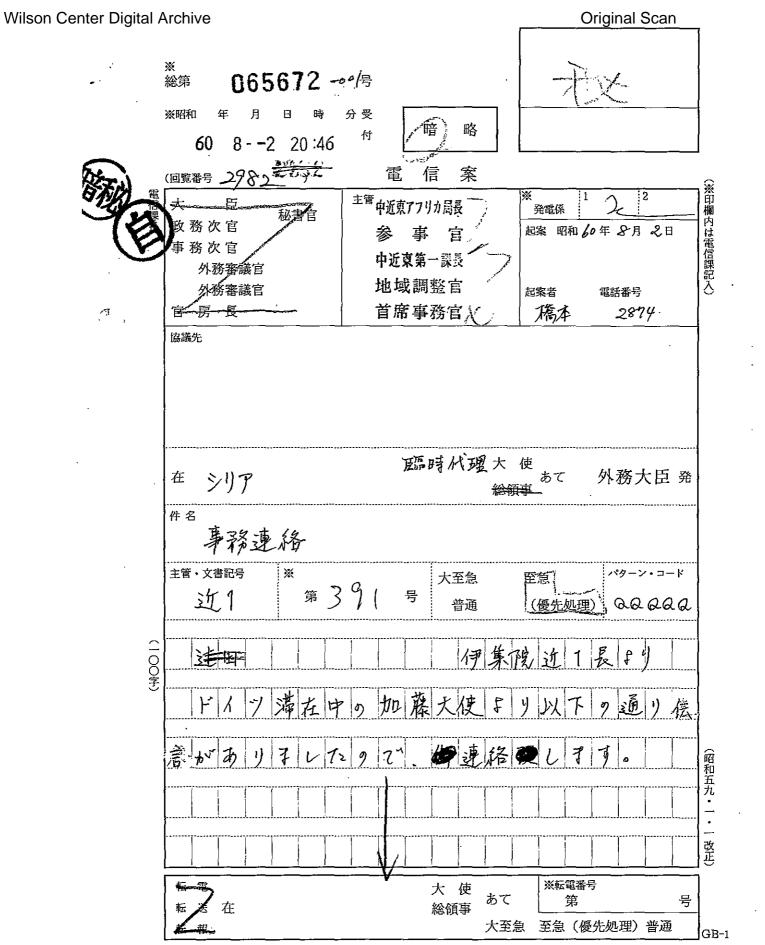
In this telegram, the Foreign Minister of Japan instructs the Charge d'Affairs to Syria to schedule meetings with various Syrian government officials.

### **Original Language:**

Japanese

#### **Contents:**

Original Scan
Translation - English



外 務 省

			2.	
	報に対し、在シリプ大が	<b>る全く反応がないので、</b>	本省から	
一次の諸点重ねでシリアへ電	教験います。			
1. 目下6日のAZまたは	RBで帰任するよう手配		とく不可能	
•		· <del>-</del>	*** *** ***	
2 本省から重要訓令があ	っつた場合は、直ちに次の通	<b>置り処理こう。</b>		
(イ) ムアレム大臣室長に	自分で電話し(直通電話)	330906、午後も	<b>時以降速</b>	
 ・	ントメントの申入れをし	<u></u>	· ·	
カトウが不在で代理大使と	いうことを必ずいつて下る	さい。副令は英語とア	テピア語の	
口上書にして持つていって	下さい。			
(ロ) 言典長、ドレエイ・	アジア局長にも同じ申入	でするとともに、出	人国の使き	
供与も申入れて下さい。(ロ	1上書)。必ず自分でいつ	下さい。—		
(ハ) ムアレム室長には事	3務的に申入れず、松理、5	本務大臣がパーソナルI	こ訓令して	
*************************************	「ベ外務大臣からシャラ外」	担へのパーソナルなメ・	ッセージが	
あつた旨追加説明して下る	さい。できたらシャラ大臣に	に直接会つて頼むよう	アベ大臣か	
ら訓令があつた旨申入れて	て下さい。「ム」室長と相	<b>炎の上、できたらシャ</b>	ラ大臣に会	[
つて下さい。		•		
(二) シャラ大臣の応答に	は直ちに本省に報告して下	さい。必ず遅くとも2.	4時間以内	
に回答を得るように適ぎる	さいそくして下さい。		····	
(ホ) 通訳に必要なハヤ:	<b>ンくんが休か中なので、至</b>	急帰任してもらうよう	連絡して下	
さい。飛行機の留保が不可	可能なことなどによりハヤ	シくんの帰任が間に合	わない場合	
は大至急本省へ近りん公	始からの通訳の派遣を頼ん	crav.		Gв
(へ) 毎日シリア時間朝	9時に私のホテルへ電話下	さい。電話局を通じて	· Fan. ]	
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To: Charge d'Affaires to Syria

From: Foreign Minister

Office Memorandum

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From: First Middle East Division Director Ijuin

Having received word from Ambassador Kato, now in Germany, I am contacting you.

As there has been absolutely no response from the Embassy in Syria to the telegram from Frankfurt, I request a telegram to Syria again from the Ministry the following points:

- 1. At present, he is making arrangements to return to post via AZ and RB. An earlier flight is simply not possible.
- 2. In the event of important instructions from the Ministry, I request that you promptly handle them as follows:
- (a) Please call [Foreign Minister's] Cabinet Director Muallem (direct number 330906, can be contacted in the afternoon after 5:00), meet him, and ask for appointments.

Please say that Kato is absent and that you are the charge d'affaires. Please write the instructions in English and Arabic as a note verbale and take it with you.

- (b) Please make the same request of the Chief of Protocol and Asian Affairs Bureau Director-General Doreei [TN: as transliterated] and request their assistance with entering and departing Syria (note verbale). Make sure that you say it.
- (c) Please do not make the request of Cabinet Director Muallem in a perfunctory way but emphasize that you have come with personal instructions from the Prime Minister and Foreign Minister. In particular, please give the additional explanation about a personal message from Foreign Minister Abe for Foreign Minister Shara. If possible, make the request in saying that there were instructions from Minister Abe requesting a direct meeting with Minister Shara. After talking with Cabinet Director Muallem, please meet Minister Shara, if possible.
- (d) Please report to the Ministry promptly Minister Shara's response. Please urge him as appropriate so that we may have an answer within 24 hours.
- (e) Hayashi, needed for interpreting, is on leave, so please contact him to have him return without delay. If Hayashi cannot return to post in time on account of being unable to book a flight or some other reason, please ask the Ministry right away to

dispatch an interpreter from a neighboring diplomatic mission.

(f) Please call me daily at 9:00 in the morning, Syria time, at the hotel. Please go through the telephone exchange. (End)