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January 2003

10 January

APO Secretary-General Takashi Tajima received Mr. Nobutoshi Akao, the newly appointed Secretary-General of the ASEAN Promotion Centre on Trade, Investment and Tourism, popularly known as the ASEAN-Japan Centre, who paid a courtesy visit to the APO Secretariat.

17 January

Attended the 2nd Japan-ASEAN Dialogue on "Japan and ASEAN: Cooperation for Peace and Prosperity in the Asia-Pacific Region," in Tokyo. The meeting was jointly organized by The Global Forum of Japan and the ASEAN Institutes of Strategic and International Studies.

27 January

Paid a courtesy call on Mr. Jiro Ushio, Chairman and CEO of Ushio Inc. and Senior Councillor of the Keizai Doyukai (Japan Association of Corporate Executives).