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May 2002

15 May

APO Secretary-General Takashi Tajima visited the Tokyo International Training Center of the Japan International Cooperation Agency to observe its J-net system. This is a two-way communication tool that links centers in Japan with centers in developing countries via satellite for implementing real-time distance learning and Web-based (Internet) training programs.

16 May

Received His Excellency Mr. Soukthavone Keola, Ambassador of the Lao People's Democratic Republic to Japan, who called on the Secretary-General.



Secretary-General Tajima (left) with Ambassador S. Keola

29 May

Received the Honorable Mr. Mahinda Samarasinghe, Minister of Employment and Labor of Sri Lanka, and H. E. Mr. Karunatilaka Amunugama, Ambassador from Sri Lanka to Japan, who paid a courtesy visit to the APO Secretariat.



A picture with the Minister. (L-R) Mr. Y. Yamada, Special Adviser to APO Secretary-General, Mr. N.G. Kularatne, APO Admin & Finance Director, Minister M. Samarasinghe, Secretary-General T. Tajima, Ambassador K. Amunugama, and Mr. K. Tsuzuki, APO Admin & Finance Deputy Director