From the SECRETARY-GENERAL'S schedule

April 2003

1 April

APO Secretary-General Takashi Tajima spoke at the opening session of the APO Liaison Officers' Meeting held in the Secretariat, 1–3 April.



Mr. Tajima speaking to the APO Liaison Officers

2 April

Paid a courtesy call on Japan's Minister of the Environment Shunichi Suzuki. He was accompanied by APO Senior Program Officer (Environment) Takuki Murayama.

11 April

Attended a seminar on "Participation of the Private Sector in Promoting Environmental Conservation Technology and Global Environment Facility" organized by the United Nations Industrial Development Organization and held at the United Nations University, Tokyo.

14 April

Attended a symposium in Tokyo on "In Search of a Prescription for the Japanese Economy." The keynote speaker was Nobel laureate Prof. J.E. Stiglitz. The event was organized by Nihon Keizai Shimbun Inc. and the Japan Center for Economic Research.

16 April

Attended the 4th US-Japan Dialogue on "Entrepreneurship in Asia," Tokyo. The meeting was organized by the Global Forum of Japan and the Mansfield Center for Pacific Affairs.

24 April

Attended a briefing at the Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Tokyo, on the Tokyo ministerial conference on "Reconstruction and Development of Sri Lanka" to be held on 9–10 June 2003.