From the SECRETARY-GENERAL'S schedule

May 2004

18-21 May

APO Secretary-General Takashi Tajima paid an official visit to the Republic of China at the invitation of the Taiwanese government to attend the inauguration of President Chen Shui-bian on 20 May.

26 May

Hosted a breakfast meeting in Tokyo for Japanese business executives to promote the Eco-Products International Fair 2004 to be held in Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia, 2–4 September 2004. Representatives from more than 30 Japanese corporations/organizations attended. The meeting was graced by APO Green Productivity Advisory Committee Chairman Yoichi Morishita and two Vice Chairmen Masatoshi Yoda and Prof. Ryoichi Yamamoto. Also present was Deputy Director-General for Environment Affairs Yuzo Ichikawa of the Japanese Ministry of Economy, Trade and Industry (METI).

The breakfast meeting featured two presentations. One was on "Eco-Products Exhibition in Asia" by METI Director for Environment Industries Hirotoshi Kunitomo and the other was a briefing on the Eco-Products International Fair 2004 by APO Director for Research and Planning Takuki Murayama.



(L–R at head table) Mr. Ichikawa, Mr. Morishita, Mr. Tajima, Mr. Yoda, and Prof. Yamamoto at the breakfast meeting



Breakfast meeting in progress