

**September 6, 1985**  
**Second North America Division, 'President Reagan's  
Letter to Prime Minister Nakasone'**

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**Summary:**

Note describing a letter from President Reagan to Prime Minister Nakasone about the Action Program.

**Original Language:**

Japanese

**Contents:**

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中曽根総理宛レーガン大統領親書

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6日夕刻、在京米大より、別添のレーガン大統領  
の中曽根総理宛親書を伝達越した(署名入り)

本信の伝達は明日となる趣)。なお、本書簡は  
アクション・プログラムの発表に際し中曽根総理より

レーガン大統領宛発出した親書への返書の体裁  
をとっており、議会における厳しい状況、レーガン

大統領の反保護主義の姿勢、日本としてアクション  
プログラムをできるだけ早く実施すべきこと等に

触れるとともに、シュルツ長官宛安倍大臣宛書簡に  
も言及している。

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Second North America Division

On the evening of the 6th, the US Ambassador to Japan came to deliver the attached letter from President Reagan to Prime Minister Nakasone (delivery of the signed letter will be tomorrow). In addition, this letter is written as a response to the letter that Prime Minister Nakasone sent to President Reagan on the occasion of the announcement of the Action Program. The letter touches on such issues as the difficult situation with regard to the Congress, President Reagan's anti-protectionist position, and how Japan should implement the Action Program as soon as possible. The letter also mentions the sending of a letter from Secretary Shultz to Secretary Abe.

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