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Press Conference at Shimoda, Japan on 16 September 1967  
OH #22-60

- 000-075 MJM sees a need to keep USA forces on Okinawa, but at some time Okinawa would be returned to Japan.
- 076-135 MJM is not critical of Japan for not being more involved in Southeast Asia, but would like to see more Japanese aid to all of Asia.
- 136-252 MJM backs his position that the USA, Japan, and the USSR should meet to settle disputes in the Pacific area.
- 253-315 MJM's response to uncertain question.
- 316-375 MJM does not see an alliance between the USA, Japan, and the USSR to manage the Pacific region.
- 376-492 MJM doubts that all issues on the outer islands could be settled in one conference.

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[SIDE B]

- 000-003 [Continued from Side A] MJM would find it useful to include the PRC on the Okinawa question if there was a stable government in Peking.
- 004-056 MJM would like to see Japan take the initiative to bring about the meeting of the three nations.
- 057-123 MJM restates that these ideas are his own, and he was not speaking as a government agent.
- 124-177 MJM will not respond on question of nuclear weapons on Okinawa.
- 178-248 MJM meeting with Premier Sato was very cordial and discussed the outer islands.
- 249-321 MJM adds that it will be helpful that the conference is being held just before Premier Sato would be traveling to the USA.
- 322-400 Ryukyu Islands' disposition would have to be handled by the State Department and the Japanese government, and he hopes that some agreement could be reached in the future.

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NOTE: The questions were posed in Japanese, translated into English, answered by Senator Mansfield, and then the answer translated into Japanese.