

**Extent**

4 folders, approximately 104 pages; 2 electronic assets

**Summary**

This collection consists of records related to a telephone conversation between President Clinton and Ryutaro Hashimoto, Prime Minister of Japan. Open records include press guidance, talking points, and emails relating to scheduling.

**Scope and Content Note**

The materials in FOIA 2021-0704-F are a selective body of documents responsive to the topic of the FOIA. Researchers should consult the archivist about related material. Ryutaro Hashimoto was elected Prime Minister of Japan on January 11, 1996. He served as Prime Minister until his resignation in 1998. Hashimoto had a long career in Japanese politics. Between 1963 and 2005 Hashimoto served as a member of the House of Representatives while also holding at times as Minister of Transportation, Minister of Health, Minister of Economy, Trade and Industry; Minister of Finance, and Deputy Prime Minister. He retired from politics in 2005. Ryutaro Hashimoto was born July 29, 1937 in Soja, Japan and Died July 1, 2006 in Tokyo, Japan. Records released in this collection include press guidance, emails noting the Japanese requested the meeting, and records related to a visit to the U.S. by foreign minister Ikeda. This collection dates from January 1996.

**Record Type**

Electronic Records  
Textual

**System of Arrangement**

Records that are responsive to this FOIA request were found in these collection areas—Clinton Presidential Records: NSC Cable, Email, and Records Management Systems.

### **Access**

Collection is open to all researchers. Access to Clinton Presidential Records is governed by the Presidential Records Act (PRA) (44 U.S.C. Chapter 22, as amended) and the Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) (5 U.S.C. 552, as amended) and therefore records may be restricted in whole or in part in accordance with legal exemptions.

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### **Provenance**

Official records of William Jefferson Clinton's presidency are housed at the Clinton Presidential Library and administered by the National Archives and Records Administration (NARA) under the provisions of the Presidential Records Act (PRA).

### **Processed by**

Staff Archivist, 2022. Previously restricted materials are added as they are released.

### **Last Modified Date**

2023-02-15

## **Container List**

The following is a list of documents and folders processed in response to FOIA 2021-0704-F:

Box 1

Clinton Presidential Records: NSC Cable, Email, and Records Management System

NSC Email

MSMail-Record (Sept 94-Sept 97) [OA/ID 590000]

[Hashimoto and telcon]

[01/11/1996-01/17/1996]

MSMail-Non-Record (Sept 94-Sept 97) [OA/ID 605000]

[Hashimoto and telcon]

[01/11/1996]

NSC Records Management

[Hashimoto and Telcon]

9600136 [OA/ID 1080]

9601023 [OA/ID 1086]

Electronic Records

NSC Records Management

[Hashimoto and Telcon]

9601023 [Disk] [OA/ID 1086]