



GIFU SAKURA NO KAI
(GIFU CHERRY BLOSSOMS ASSOCIATION)

CEREMONIAL PLANTING OF CHERRY BLOSSOM TREE AND RECEPTION

THURSDAY, 2ND OCTOBER, 2003

ATTENDING: His Excellency the Governor's Deputy, Mr. Bruno Krumins, AM
ATTENDED BY: Official Secretary, Ms. Penny Stratmann, LVO
DRESS: Lounge Suit / Day Dress
LOCATION: Government House, Western Lawns and Ballroom
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PATRON: No

3.30 p.m. Guests arrive. (Gates Open)(Guest List attached)

Guests proceed to Western Lawn via the Western driveway.

3.35 p.m. His Excellency is escorted by the Official Secretary to the Western Lawns via the Western Entrance.

MET BY: **MR. KAZUO KAWASHIMA**, President,
Gifu Sakura No Kai (Gifu Cherry Blossoms
Association).

MS. KAORU WATANABE,
Access Japan Pty Ltd.

Note: Ms. Kaoru Watanabe will act as the official interpreter throughout proceedings.

His Excellency is escorted by Mr. Kawashima to the ceremonial tree planting site. (Location map attached)

3.40 p.m. Ms. Watanabe invites His Excellency to address the guests.

His Excellency addresses the guests. **(SPEECH)**

Ms. Watanabe introduces Mr. Kawashima and invites him to speak.

Mr. Kawashima addresses the guests.

At the conclusion of his address, Mr. Kawashima invites His Excellency to place some earth at the base of the Cherry Blossom tree.

The Official Secretary hands the ceremonial spade to His Excellency.

His Excellency places some earth at the base of the Cherry Blossom tree and then hands the spade to Mr. Kawashima.

Mr. Kawashima places some earth at the base of the Cherry Blossom tree and then hands the spade back to the Official Secretary.

Mr. Kawashima thanks His Excellency and concludes proceedings.

3.45 p.m. His Excellency invites guests to join him for refreshments in the Ballroom.

His Excellency, Mr. Kawashima and invited guests proceed via the Library into the to the Ballroom.

Refreshments in the Ballroom for 2 + 57. (TBC)

4.25 p.m. His Excellency retires.

4.30 p.m. Guests depart.

Andrew Hamilton
PROTOCOL OFFICER

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LOCATION MAP

