

## Chief of Staff's visit to Washington DC, U.S.

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General Izutsu, Chief of Staff, Japan Air Self-Defense Force, visited Washington D.C. from April 9 to April 12 to have talks with senior officials of the U.S. Forces. Through the meetings, they reaffirmed the significance of the Japan-U.S. alliance and confirmed to maintain and enhance the close collaboration and the relationship of trust between the two countries.



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