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## Parliamentary Vice-Minister of Defense Miyake's Participation in 60<sup>th</sup> Munich Security Conference, and Bilateral Meetings (Summary)

On February 16 to 18, Parliamentary Vice-Minister of Defense Miyake visited Germany to attend the 60<sup>th</sup> Munich Security Conference, and held meetings as well as courtesy calls with several delegates. The summary is as follows.

### 1. Meetings and Courtesy Calls

On February 17 to 18, Parliamentary Vice-Minister of Defense Miyake made a courtesy call to Finnish Minister of Defence Häkkinen, Estonian Minister of Defence Pevkur, Lithuanian Vice Minister of National Defence Tučkutė, NATO Deputy Secretary General Geoană, and Swedish Minister for Defence Jonson, and discussed defense cooperation and exchanges with them. Parliamentary Vice-Minister of Defense Miyake also attended a luncheon hosted by German Federal Minister of Defence Pistorius, and held brief discussion with several Defense Ministers and officials.



Office call to Finnish Minister of  
Defence Häkkinen



Office call to Estonian Minister of  
Defence Pevkur



Office call to Lithuanian Vice  
Minister of National Defence  
Tučkutė



Office call to NATO Deputy  
Secretary General Geoană



Office call to Swedish Minister for  
Defence Jonson