

The Fukushima Fallout
Nuclear Site Closed and President Assassinated
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Seven weeks after the Fukushima Nuclear Power Plant Disaster, Japanese officials are scrambling to come up with a plan to help the citizens and manage the nuclear waste. This morning, delegates opened the Fukushima Nuclear Power Plant Disaster debate.

At the beginning of debate, delegates discussed how to provide safe food, purified water, and access to healthcare services. The delegates passed a motion to send aid to the affected people.

After the motion was passed, debate shifted to the topic of displaced people. Shortly after, three directives were presented. The first directive declared a National State of Emergency and forced the evacuation of affected persons to farmland and other unused government land. The second two directives dealt with the healthcare and transportation of refugees. All three directives passed.

Moving forward into voting procedure, the directive that will be used to transport affected Japanese citizens to Guam. New information was released to the delegates relating to a Japanese government official wanting five-hundred-thousand dollars to create a new nuclear business venture.

The chair and the delegates were all “very concerned,” since they were still trying to deal with the Fukushima disaster. It was also alarming because that official seemed more concerned about revenue than the Japanese citizens.

Another update revealed that the Japanese government was launching an investigation into the corruption. Four new directives were presented, however, only three passed.

In the short term, delegates voted to close the nuclear site. Shortly after the nuclear site was closed, President Naoto Kan, was assassinated.

A two-minute question and answer was opened. In response to the question: “Who killed Kan?” The Chair said: “We are assuming it was an enemy of Kan’s”. Currently the delegates are debating on the best plan of action regarding future uses of nuclear energy and how to best prevent another disaster.