Please complete the following questionnaire and return promptly to:
Bill Doi, [redacted]

3rd number 2nd number 1st number

REPARATIONS

Age of respondent? a.____Under 30 b.____30 to 50 c.____Over 50

1. Should Reparations legislation be a top priority item for JACL?
31,21,2 Yes 3,4,0 No 1,0,0 Undecided

2. Are you in favor of Reparations of some kind?
31,21,2 Yes 3,4,0 No 1,0,0 Undecided

3. Should we seek justification for Reparations on the basis of cash or conscience?
5,8,1 Cash 3,0,0 Conscience 24,13,1 Both
(Basis of Cash is defined as:
Lost salary during internment or because of forced removal
Loss of potential salary or income due to interruption in employment
Other losses based on cash value
(Basis of Conscience is defined as:
Breakup of normal family and community environment
Forced movement and relocation by decree of government
Termination of normal education process for children and young adults
Psychological and emotional damage to adults and children
Humiliation inflicted upon the Nikkei
Forced shutdown of Japanese language and martial arts practice and schools
Cultural deprivation and loss of ethnic identity

4. How should we seek payments?
14,7,0 a.____Individual basis (Patterned much like the individual claims filed under the Evacuation Claims Act of 1948)
6,6,0 b.____A lump sum to a trust fund administered by a board or commission established to control distribution.
9,7,2 c.____Same as (b) but with a built-in guarantee that individuals can file claims against the fund as well as organizations. (Example of individuals would be the Issei who need and can use the money now. Organizations might be homes for the aged, research centers and scholarship foundations)

5. How do you think the funds could be best utilized? State briefly.

6. Approximately how much should we seek?
11,9,1 a.____Over one billion dollars 6,6,0 b.____One billion dollars
6,3,1 c.____Less than one billion 0,0,0 d.____Four hundred million dollars

7. Who should be eligible? Check as many as you wish.
29,17,2 a.____Former evacuees (internment camps and/or assembly centers)
17,14,1 b.____Alien detention center internees
23,10,2 c.____Children born in internment camps or assembly centers
18,14,1 d.____Persons forced to leave their residence and involuntarily locate to areas outside evacuation order area to avoid unjustified internment
14,14,1 e.____Persons jailed in local, state and federal jails who refused to evacuate
28,11,1 f.____Direct heirs of all affected above, if principal is deceased

OTHER ISSUES

7. Should JACL become involved nationally in any of the legislative issues listed below? Select 4 and number them in order of your priority

41,24,3 ____Rice Act
0,0,0 ____Iva Toguri Case
97,50,4 ____Reparations
54,26,0 ____U.S. - Japan Relations
23,32,0 ____Civial Rights legislation
50,33,0 ____Cabinet level Department of Peace
12,16,0 ____Hawaiian Native Claims Settlement Act
29,40,2 ____Atomic-Bomb Survivors Bill
50,37,0 ____Asian American Cabinet Committee
____Others (please list)
4,5,0 Affirmative Action
0,4,0 Decrease federal control over states
0,3,0 Fight for balanced budget

OTHER INFORMATION OR COMMENTES

4 pts were given to priority No 1
3 " " " " " No. 2
2 " " " " " No. 3
1 " " " " " No. 4