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I have received your letter in response to our letter we faxed you a few days ago.

The content of your letter has not changed anything from before. All of our requests were ignored, especially our request that we all have a meeting to discuss this matter.

If we leave JKA we cannot make Improvements with them, and in leaving JKA we will become just one style of karate that will eventually disappear.

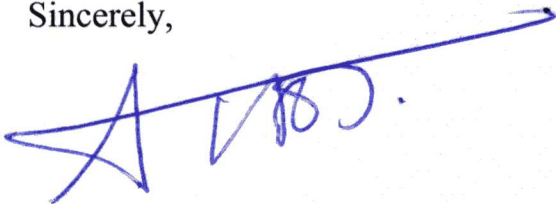
After this incident I have had memories of struggling and deep thinking. Master Masatoshi Nakayama said many times the phrase, "when you encounter a big wall and it becomes a difficult problem, first go back to the starting point." Because of his teaching, I made my decision that I report to you. I came to the conclusion that as an instructor of the Japan Karate Association I will stay in JKA and I will endeavor, even though I have little power, that JKA's mission and purpose are to develop and spread karate and Japanese culture.

I sincerely appreciate your help since I came to the United States of America, both officially and privately. Thank you very much.

While I was with the ISKF for these 30 years I have had good times and bad times, but I am satisfied.

Finally, I pray for your health and future.

Sincerely,



Japan Karate Association Overseas Instructor
Shigeru Takashina

P.S. Regarding your camp in June, in accordance with the above reason, I would like to be excused.