

78-7

# SANGYO NOHRITSU TANKI DAIGAKU

# IBAM

(Institute of Business Administration & Management)

39-15 6-chome, Todoroki, Setagaya, Tokyo, Mail Code: 158  
Cable Address: SANNODAIGAKU TOKYO  
Telephone: (03) 704- 1111 File Ref:

## SOCIETY OF JAPANESE VALUE ENGINEERS (SJVE)

May 16, 1978

Mr. Jimmie L. Carter, CVS  
National President, 1977-1978, SAVE  
c/o E-SYSTEMS  
Greenville Division  
P.O. Box 1056  
Greenville, Texas 75401  
U.S.A.

Dear Mr. Carter:

Our Secretary General Mr. Akira Kodama has just brought back the beautiful plaque of "Outstanding Achievement in Management" award for me from the Society of American Value Engineers.

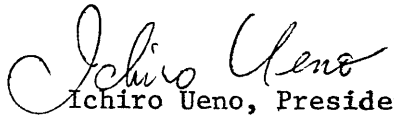
Whether I was fully qualified for such an honor is another matter but I have come to believe myself that my humble contribution over the past 15 years to Japanese value engineering/value analysis circles and activities, mainly through our educational media, may be worth an international recognition for the sake of enhancing the reputation of the Society of Japanese Value Engineers.

From the bottom of my heart I thank you, Mr. J. J. Kaufman and each of the SAVE Board Directors who favored me to be named as the recipient of the Outstanding Achievement in Management award for this year.

I did have wished that I'd have personally received the award and express my feeling of gratitude at the 18th Annual International Conference of SAVE in Indianapolis, but the unusual pressure of my heavy commitments the last few months did not permit me to go to the United States in time. I only hope that in the very near future I should visit the U.S. and be able to contact SAVE leaders to express my hearty thanks to be conveyed to everybody. It is my pledge that I remain to be a real management achiever in Japanese VE/VA world.

With the best of my wishes for best manifestation of SAVE-SJVE international friendship,

Very sincerely,

  
Ichiro Ueno, President

IU: kn

cc: Mr. J. J. Kaufman/Mr. Larry Miles  
Mr. Rudy Kempfer/Mr. A. Kodama