

3. Family Law

The 8th National Conference of *the Socio-Legal Studies on Family Issues* was held at Sophia University on November 16, 1991.

Theme: Divorce and Divorce Proceedings—Reformation of Divorce Law: Part 1

Introduction, by Minoru Ishikawa (Professor, Sophia University).

Reports

(1) Divorce Agreements, by Nobuyoshi Toshitani (Professor, Tokyo University).

(2) Grounds for Divorce: Part 1, by Michio Nishihara (Professor, Kobe University).

(3) Grounds for Divorce: Part 2, by Toru Arichi (Professor, Seishin Women's College).

(4) Divorce Cases From the Standpoint of a Family Court, by Masako Wakabayashi (Judge, Tokyo Family Court).

(5) Divorce Cases From the Standpoint of a District Court, by Keiichi Murashige (Judge, Chief of Hachioji Branch of Tokyo District and Family Court).

(6) Divorce Cases From the Standpoint of an Attorney-at-Law, by Kinko Yoshida (Professor and Attorney-at-Law, Otsuma Women's College).

Conclusion, by Aiko Noda, (Retired Judge, Former Chief of Sapporo High Court).

Discussion, chaired by Ichiro Shimazu (Professor, Soka University) and Aiko Noda.

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