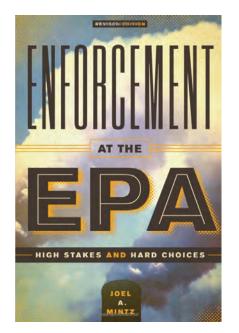
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- Nakayama's strong stance prevailed within the administration and was noted by EPA's enforcement staff, which formed a very positive first impression of their new leader's dedication, decisiveness, and work habits."
- Nakayama quickly earned lasting respect and admiration from many on his staff."
- Nakayama challenged his staff to identify programmatic problems and concerns and bring them to his attention."
- A charming and persuasive individual with a polite and friendly manner..."
- Get Under Nakayama's shrewd and strong leadership, certain aspects of EPA's enforcement work enjoyed a partial revival."
- Nakayama's diligent, well-motivated efforts to upgrade EPA's enforcement work..."
- [Nakayama] was skillful, intelligent, strong-willed..."