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FOLLOWING QUOTED FROM MESSAGE RECEIVED YESTERDAY FROM EISENBUD CLN

"TODAY I DISPATCHED IN TWO SEPARATE POUCHES SEVEN SAMPLES OF URINE FROM THE PATIENTS NOW AT TOKYO HOSPITAL AND FOUR SAMPLES OF ASH RECOVERED FROM THE FUKURYU MARU PD THE LATTER SAMPLES INCLUDE A BOARD CONTAINING ENTRAPPED ASH OF UNDETERMINED AMOUNT PD THIS BOARD WAS LYING ON TOP OF THE BRIDGE PD ALSO INCLUDED ARE TWO JARS OF DECK SWEEPINGS CONTAINING SMALL AMOUNTS OF ASH AND MICROSCOPIC AMOUNT OF THE PURE ASH RECOVERED BY ONE OF THE SAILORS AND NOW IN THE HANDS OF JAPANESE SCIENTISTS PD PARA PD I HAVE NO INSTRUCTIONS TO FORWARD IN REGARD TO THE ASH SAMPLES OTHER THAN THAT THEY BE UTILIZED TO THE FULLEST EXTENT IN EVALUATING THE INCIDENT PD WE SHOULD BEAR IN MIND THAT ADDITIONAL SAMPLES OF THE MATERIAL MAY BE UNOBTAINABLE PD IT WOULD BE DESIRABLE TO ASCERTAIN AT ONCE IF THIS MATERIAL IS SIMILAR IN CHEMICAL AND PHYSICAL PROPERTIES TO THE DEBRIS RECOVERED IN THE MARSHALLS PD THIS WILL BE IMPORTANT IN COMPARING THE MEDICAL INFORMATION OBTAINED AT THE TWO PLACES PD PARA PD IT IS URGENT THAT HARLEY COMMUNICATE HIS FINDINGS TO ME AS THEY DEVELOP PD HE SHOULD SET UP A CHANNEL FOR COMMUNICATING THROUGH STATE PD PARA PD SAMPLES FROM PATIENTS AT THE DAI ICHI HOSPITAL WILL BE FORWARDED IN NEXT DAY PD EXPEDITIOUS ANALYSIS AND REPORTING

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ALSO ESSENTIAL FOR THESE SAMPLES PD

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