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MEMORANDUM FOR: ASSISTANT TO THE SECRETARY OF DEFENSE (ATOMIC ENERGY)
GENERAL MANAGER, U.S. ATOMIC ENERGY COMMISSION

SUBJECT: Report on Future Status and Utilization of Eniwetok Proving Ground

1. Reference is made to the following:

a. Memorandum, Assistant Secretary of Defense, 17 March 1959,
to Chief, AFOAT and Chief, DASA on Organization for Future Testing.

b. Letter, Chairman, AEC to Deputy Secretary of Defense, 9 April
1959, on Organization for Future Testing.

2. Attached as Inclosure 1 is a summary report on the Future Status
and Utilization of Eniwetok Proving Ground prepared by a subcommittee of
the Study Group. This report covers one of the areas which the Study Group
was requested to investigate by references 1a and 1b.

3. The undersigned members of the Study Group have by mutual consent
approved the report in principle subject to certain reservations to be
worked out prior to implementation of the plan.

4. In the interest of expediting action on this report, it is
requested that both the AEC and DOD approve the attached report in prin-
ciple subject to working out budgetary, fiscal, stock accountability, and
manning details between AEC and DOD.

5. The attached report is submitted less the voluminous detailed
supporting data since only approval in principle is requested. This sup-
porting information is available upon request.

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