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Brig. Gen. James McCormack, Jr., Director of
Military Application
DR. W. H. RAY

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An invitation is extended to Dr. W. H. Ray, Health Physics Division, Oak Ridge National Laboratory, to participate in the decontamination phase of reactivating the AEC Proving Ground at Aniwetok. The period of time involved is about three months beginning on or about May 1, 1949.

During this period Dr. Ray would represent Colonel James P. Cooney and would be responsible for general radiological safety in the test area.

If Dr. Ray undertakes this assignment, it is assumed that his salary and transportation and the cost of necessary instruments would be borne by the Oak Ridge National Laboratory on the normal reimbursable basis. While outside the continental limits of the United States, Dr. Ray should be entitled to a bonus of \$200 per month plus \$7.00 per diem for subsistence. Reimbursement will be made by the contractor.

This letter confirms informal arrangements made between Dr. Roberson and Dr. Ray of Oak Ridge and Colonel Cooney of the Division of Military Application.

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Colonel, USAF
for and in the absence of
James McCormack, Jr.
Brig. Gen., AUS
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