bcc: D. Mayhew I. Adler M. C. Shannahan J. Bagley R. De Lorenzo R. Conaway T. Linger 401429 Harshall Islands Related Projects to be Transferred from the Biological and Environmental Research Program in the Office of Energy Research to the Assistant Secretary for Environmental Protection, Salety, and Emergency Preparedness Alex G. Fremling, Acting Assistant Secretary for ΕP Environmental Protection, Safety, and GTU; Emergency Preparedness Mayhew 3/3//8

In accordance with the recently announced departmental organization which transferred the Biological and Environmental Research (BER) program from the former Office of the Assistant Secretary for Environment to the Office of Energy Research (ER), a review of "nonresearch" Marshall Islands related activities has been mode. As a result of this review, a number of projects have been identified which, because of their "nonresearch" nature, should be transferred into the new Office of the Assistant Secretary for Environmental Protection, Safety, and Emergency Preparedness (ASEP). These projects include activities related to the medical surveillance of Marshall Islands inhabitants and Spanish inhabitants who may have been exposed to radiation from weapons testing or accidents involving nuclear weapons; and activities concerning dose reassessment and radiological surveys of the Marshall Islands, Nevada test site fallout in the Southwest, and related projects.

Attachment A to this memorandum identifies the specific projects which should transfer from ER to ASEP.

Attachment B identifies projects currently located in ASEP which, in conjunction with those projects listed in Attachment A, comprise a unified program.

Upon receipt of your concurrence, appropriate action will be taken, in accordance with procedures to be issued by the Controller's office, to effect these transfers to the Assistant Secretary for Environmental Protection, Safety, and Emergency Preparedness. Final arrangements regarding transfer of personnel included in the recently announced departmental organization will be concluded in the near future.

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Attachment A

MARSHALL ISLANDS RELATED PROJECTS TO TRANSFER TO THE ASSISTANT SECRETARY FOR ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION, SAFETY, AND EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS

B&R RPIS #	CONTRACTOR	PROJECT	FY 1981 B/A	FY 1982 B/A
HA 02 01 01 0	Brookhaven National	Medical Studies of Marshall		
000472	Laboratory Holmes and Narver, Inc.	Rongelap - Radiological	\$ 760	\$1,080
001168		Studies	100	170
003402		Research Vessel Operations	800 30	770 30
003402	Lawrence Livermore	Marshallese Medical Travel	30	30
002333	National Laboratory	Project INDALO	42	40
003403	Nevada Operations	Off-Site Radiation Exposure	., 42	. 40
003403	Office	Review	1,000	1,100
006558	Spain, Government of	Study of Plutonium Oxide in a Natural Environment -	210	210
003010	Brookhaven National Laboratory	Project INDALO Surveillance of Facilities & Site Dose Reassessment from the Bravo Incident	210	210
3 00 8 740		(Ref. 600160)	53	90
,	Oak Ridge National Laboratory	Technical Assistance for Spain (Project INDALO)	0	150
003735	Nevada Operations Office	Enewetak Radiological Survey	60	0
New	Unsolicited Proposal	Data Gathering Related to	00	U
	from Trum	NVO Sheep Litigation	30	0
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003560	Lawrence Livermore			
	National Laboratory	Marshall Islands Data Bank	\$ 0	\$ 150
600003	Brookhaven National Laboratory	Marshall Islands Radio- logical Safety Program	385	415
003473	Los Alamos National			
600146	Laboratory Lawrence Livermore	Polarmares Assistance Marshall Islands Dose	0	0
000140	National Laboratory	Assessment	440	490
002945	Nevada Operations	7. 7. 7. 7. 7. 7. 7. 7. 7. 7. 7. 7. 7. 7	1.65	F00
600004	Office	Personnel Exposures at NTS	465	500
600004	Washington, Univ. of	Pacific Radioecological Program	25	25

B&R RPIS #	CONTRACTOR	PROJECT	FY 1981 B/A	FY 1982 B/A
HA 02 03 01 0	Lawrence Livermore			
. 006418	National Laboratory Washington, Univ. of	Transuranic Marine Studies Biogeochemistry of Transuranics, Bikini	0	0
HA 02 03 03 0	Hawaii, Univ. of	The Hydrogeochemistry of		
HA 02 03 04 0		Enewetak	. 0	0
000661 001676	Hawaii, Univ. of Lawrence Livermore	Mid-Pacific Marine Lab.	200	215
HA000400	National Lab. Lawrence Livermore	Marshall Island Radioecology Personnel PU Resuspension	875	875
	National Láb	Studies	$\frac{80}{$5,555}$	86 \$6,396

MARSHALL ISLAND RELATED PROJECTS CURRENTLY IN ASSISTANT SECRETARY FOR ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION, SAFETY, AND EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS

B&R RPIS #	CONTRACTOR	PROJECT .	FY 1981 B/A	FY 1982 B/A
HA 01 03 01 000899	O Los Alamos National Laboratory	Analysis of Human Health & Consequences of Plutonium	\$ 120	\$ 130
002228 003276	Pacific Northwest Laboratory Inhalation Toxi- cology Research	Policy Studies - Radiation	50	50
003759	Institute Holmes & Narver, Inc.	Policy Studies - Radiation Marshallese Natives - Radiological Studies (Ref. #472)	. 50 150	. 50
HA 01 08 01 600215	0 EG&G	Outer Atoll Survey	0	0
600220	Lawrence Livermore National Laboratory	Northern Marshall Islands Survey	0	0
600169	Nevada Operations Office	Enewatak Radiological Survey & Monitoring	<u>0</u> \$ 370	0 \$ 230

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