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Dear Vic:

Albeit belatedly, enclosed are copies of the medical forms to which Mr. de Brum made reference during the meeting of May 16.

It would be very much appreciated if you and your staff would review these forms and express any opinions you might think appropriate with respect to the symptoms identified, their relationship to possible radiation exposure, location and age of the individuals, etc.

Per the content of paragraph four of Mrs. Van Cleve's letter, we (DOE and BIL) need to discuss the advisability and necessity to address the issues raised with respect to these islands before meeting with the Department of Interior or making any response to the Marshall Islands government.

I think that the subject of paragraphs five and six of Mrs. Van Cleve's letter has been addressed via the most recent trip to Kili.

We very much appreciate your assistance in these matters, and particularly your participation in the meeting of May 16.

Best regards.

Sincerely,

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