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SUBJECT: Radiological Physical Examinations

TO: All Activities of Joint Task Force THREE

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1. Radiological Physical Examinations are required for all personnel who are to be working in areas containing radioactivity and/or working with radioactive materials. (Reference: Section 5, Medical Examinations, Page 12, BuMed Circular Letter No. 48-10, Navy Department, dated 23 January 1948). For the purpose of this directive, Eniwetok Island, and other housing and administrative islands will not be considered as contaminated areas. Personnel assigned to duty on these islands and who are not to be assigned duty in specific experimental areas or work with radioactive materials, will not be required to undergo the Radiological Physical Examinations.

2. Physical examination will consist of a complete examination including chest X-Ray, blood count, and urinalysis. Reports of these physical examinations will be referred to the appropriate Radiological Safety Officer for review and granting clearance to depart the U S for the forward area. Under no circumstances will personnel who are to be working in conditions outlined in paragraph one above, be ordered to the forward area from the U S prior to full compliance with this letter.

3. Task Group Commanders, Program Directors, and Project Officers will take immediate action to determine those personnel (civil and military) who will be required to undergo Radiological Physical Examination. Military personnel will be directed to report to the nearest military installation having facilities to conduct the examination. Civilians, other than civil service employees, may be examined by any civilian or military physician. Reports of physical examinations for all personnel assigned, or attached to Task Group 3.1, will be forwarded to Commander, Joint Task Force THREE, Washington 25, D.C.

4. Radiological Safety Plans are being prepared and will be furnished each Task Force activity.

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