

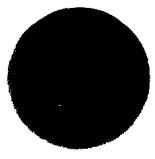
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John C. Bugher, M.D.  
Director, Division of Biology and Medicine  
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Washington 25, D. C.

Dear Dr. Bugher:

In reply to your letter of 22 April 1953, I wish to state that the Air Weather Service desires to continue its service to the Atomic Energy Commission and is pleased to offer the services of Colonel George F. Taylor to work on "Task Group Gabriel." It is believed that the objectives, scope and priority of project "Gabriel" are extremely important and warrant the selection of highly qualified personnel to serve on the Task Group.

For your general information Colonel Taylor is the Commanding Officer of the 4th Weather Group, located in Baltimore, Maryland. His weather group is functionally organized to provide operational weather support to research agencies and for special weapons tests. I might add that Colonel Taylor has had considerable experience in forecasting weather conditions and radioactive fallout for many of the atomic blasts.

A copy of the letter assigning the responsibility of serving on "Task Group Gabriel" to Colonel Taylor is inclosed for your files.

I am answering your letter because of the temporary absence of General Senter.

Sincerely,

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