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Dear Senator Robinson:

Operational activities and security considerations of AEC activities within the immediate future have made a press release desirable. The release is intended to provide a basis for response to queries on AEC activities and to delete to some degree the affects of "radioactivity" of the test program by the press.

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The press release was first recommended by General S. H. Quessada, Commander, Joint Task Force Three. The Commission has joined the State Department and the Department of Defense in concurring with his recommendation. Accordingly, release may be expected on or about Friday, March 9, 1951.

A copy of the release is enclosed, classified "Confidential" until after official release has been made.

Sincerely yours,

UNITED STATES ATOMIC ENERGY COMMISSION

Carson Dean
Chairman

Honorable Brian McMahon
Chairman, Joint Committee
on Atomic Energy
Congress of the United States

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