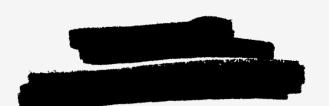
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6. AEC 483/10 - Approval for Operation IVY

Mr. Dean suggested that the request for Presidential approval of the proposed operation include a statement to the effect that the AEC and the Department of Defense would jointly issue an announcement that a weapons test will be held this fall. The Commissioners discussed with members of the staff the advantages of such an announcement and the assumptions on which it would be based. After further discussion, the Commission:

a. NOTED that the draft memorandum attached to AEC 483/10 would be revised in accordance with the discussion at the meeting; and

b. APPROVED the draft memorandum attached to AEC 483/10, subject to a above, for dispatch to the Special Committee of the National Security Council for Atomic Energy.

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