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THE SECRETARY OF DEFENSE WASHINGTON

September 3, 1952

MEMORANDUM FOR: Mr. M. W. Boyer, General Manager

U. S. Atomic Energy Commission

SUBJECT:

Official Observers for Operation IVY

- 1. The Chief of Staff, U. S. Army, as Executive Agent of the Joint Chiefs of Staff, has notified me that the three Services concur in an equal distribution of official observer spaces for Operation IVY between the Department of Defense and the Atomic Energy Commission, as outlined in your letter to the Chief of Staff, U. S. Army, dated 21 August 1952.
- 2. This memorandum will serve to advise you of the concurrence of the Department of Defense in this equal distribution.

/s/

Robert A. Lovett

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