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Dr. Ernst H. Krause
Naval Research Laboratory
Room 314, Building 9
Washington, D. C.

THROUGH: Chief of Naval Operations
Washington, D. C.

Dear Dr. Krause:

The President has requested the Atomic Energy Commission to convey his commendation to the scientific personnel responsible for the success of the 1948 atomic weapon test program at Eniwetok Atoll.

Your contribution to the test program has been singularly outstanding. Your scientific achievements in perfecting experimental methods of the measurement of nuclear reaction have been noteworthy. These achievements reflect your preeminence as a scientist. Your efficiency in organizing and directing the Naval Research Laboratory party reflects great credit on you and on the research establishments of the United States Navy.

The Commission extends to you its sincere thanks for your participation. You personally have rendered the nation a great service and it is the Commission's privilege to convey to you the commendation of the President.

Sincerely yours,

UNITED STATES ATOMIC ENERGY COMMISSION

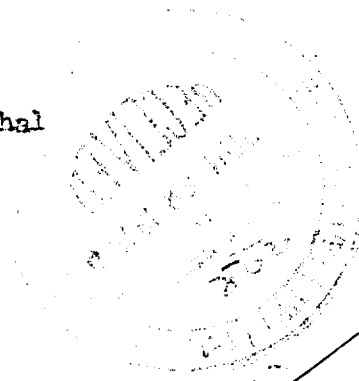
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