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SUBJECT: Cloud Sampling - Cockpit Radiation Intensity Meter

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by authority of the U. S. Atomic Energy Commission,

TO: Commander
Joint Task Force Seven
Washington 25, D.C.

Per William W. Kinosh 25 Aug 1954
(Date)
By James E. Bova 25 Aug 1954
(Signature of person making the change, and date)

Reference Ltr this Hq dated 5 February 1953, Subject: "Cloud Sampling Requirements for Castle", to CJTF.

1. Specific reference is made to Appendix 1, Par 3b 2 of the referenced ltr which suggested the Jasper (IRM-72) be replaced by a more suitable instrument which would meet the specifications established for the Jasper before IVY.

2. Enclosed is a complete report on the present Jasper (IM-71/PD) in the form of a ltr to Deputy Commander Special Weapons Center prepared by Dr. H. F. Plank, the LASL project officer. Par 2 of this report contains the following statement, "It is recommended that as soon as possible a request be transmitted to the Signal Corps to accomplish the above modifications on a 1A Priority basis. Details of the modifications as discussed with Mr. Johnston will be furnished if desired." At a conference on this recommendation held at Los Alamos, 3 June 1953, with Colonel E. W. Kesling, Deputy CTG 7.4 present, it was concluded that in so far as this recommendation was concerned that LASL (Harry Allen) would pursue negotiations direct with the Signal Corps, Evans Laboratory with a view to accomplish the Jasper modifications so as to have an acceptable CASTLE instrument.

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3. The action in Par 2 relieves the Joint Task Force and or Task Group 7.4 of the responsibility of pursuing this particular matter. This Ho. will keep CJTF SEVEN informed. In the event that difficulties are

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encountered in the Laboratory's negotiations with Evans Signal Laboratory, it may be necessary to re-open the Jasper problem with your Headquarters.

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