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TO (Name and unit) General Camm	INITIALS <i>C</i> DATE	REMARKS Attached is the Letter of Understanding agreed upon by the DNA Staff and Test Office. I recommend you sign it. The following AEC coordination was made prior to Gen. Dunn signing: DOS, DBER, with PA&B and OIS providing input. OGC had an input to the original Letter which you handcarried to Gen. Dunn on 13 Nov. 72. This Letter is also attached for reference.		
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FROM (Name and unit) W. W. Gay Captain, USN Asst. Dir. for Tests	REMARKS	<i>Signed by Gen Camm on 4 Dec 72. Original filed in DNA Central File.</i>		
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## LETTER OF UNDERSTANDING

The purpose of this letter is to establish an understanding of the general responsibilities of the Atomic Energy Commission and the Defense Nuclear Agency during each party's survey of Eniwetok Atoll, i.e., the radiological survey being conducted by NVOO of the AEC and the engineering survey being conducted by DNA.

To accomplish the radiological survey and the engineering survey in an expeditious and cooperative manner, the following responsibilities of DNA and the AEC are understood.

### Defense Nuclear Agency

- a. Gather information for planning any cleanup of Eniwetok. This will necessarily include an engineering survey.
- b. For a period of time as mutually agreed on by AEC and DNA, act as the single point of contact with the Department of Defense to provide through the assets of the Department of Defense:
  1. Air and sea logistics incident to the surveys.
  2. Communications support.
  3. Base support at the Atoll to include but not limited to fueling, housing, medical support, explosive ordnance disposal support, vehicles, boats and storage space.
  4. Special mission assets such as helicopters and boats for specialized portions of the survey.

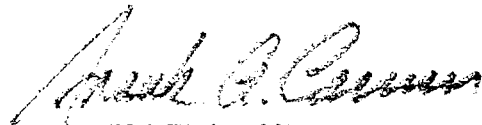
Atomic Energy Commission

- a. Obtain radiological information about the Atoll by:
  - 1. Conducting a survey to gather radiological data.
  - 2. Analyzing and assessing this radiological data.
  - 3. Preparing interim and final reports on these activities as promptly as technically feasible.
- b. Provide radiological criteria for any cleanup.
- c. Provide results of an aerial radiological survey.
- d. Provide Rad-Safe support to the engineering survey as follows:
  - 1. Personnel dosimetry.
  - 2. Escorts as required.
  - 3. Identification of radiological hazards.
  - 4. Radiological advice.
  - 5. Collection and analysis of at least one set of soil profile samples on contaminated islands.
- e. Provide direction for employment of those DoD assets, such as helicopters and watercraft, dedicated to the radiological survey.

Questions concerning reimbursement for specific services will be resolved on a case by case basis.



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