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MEMORANDUM FOR CHAIRMAN SEABORG  
Deputy  
THROUGH GENERAL MANAGER *MB* APR 20 1964

SUBJECT: MEDICAL STATUS OF MARSHALLESE ISLANDS, MARCH 1964.

It is a pleasure to report that the just concluded annual medical survey of the Marshallese natives exposed to fallout from the March 1, 1954, shot revealed no problems attributable to their radiation history.

The attached preliminary record, prepared by Drs. Conard and Hicking, provides the significant details of the observations. A more complete record of the observations and conclusions will be published by Brookhaven National Laboratory toward the end of the summer.

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Director  
Division of Biology and Medicine

Attachment:  
Preliminary Statement of Conard and  
Hicking dated 3/15/64

cc: Commissioner Palfrey  
Commissioner Ramey  
Commissioner Tape

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