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Mr. William A. Bonnet
Manager, United States Atomic Energy Commission
Honolulu Area Office
P. O. Box 580
Honolulu, Hawaii 96809

Dear Mr. Bonnet:

In connection with the above referenced letters, leases have been sent to District Administrator, Marshall Islands, for the area in the center of the Island of Rongelap and the area on Utirik including the three buildings which AEC desires to retain. As soon as the District Administrator completes the leasing arrangements and the rental rates are established we will notify your office.

We do not anticipate any difficulty and you should be hearing from us shortly.

Sincerely yours,

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Acting Attorney General

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