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RADIOLOGICAL SURVEY PLAN

FOR THE

NORTHERN MARSHALL ISLANDS

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SCOPE OF SURVEY PROGRAM

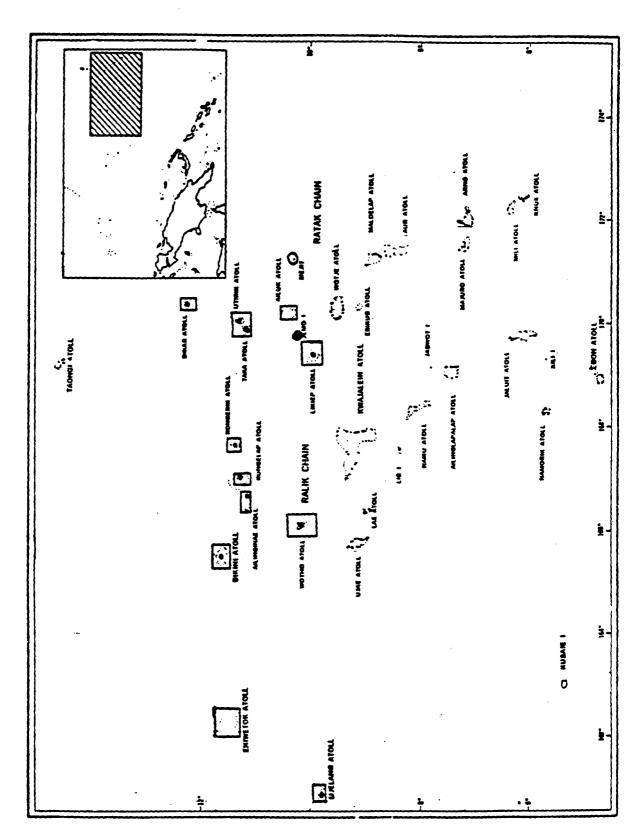
The Radiological Survey program of the Northern Marshall Islands will cover the following atolls and islands within the time frame of July 1978 through December 1978.

Ato	11e	No. of Islands To Be Surveyed	Total Area (mi. ²)
			
1.	Ailinginae	13	.93
2.	Ailuk	12	1.72
3.	Bikar	3	.19
4.	Bikini	15	3.00
5.	Likiep	13	3.02
6.	Rongelap	16	.52
7.	Rongerik	. 8	.81
8.	Taka	3	.18
9.	l'jel an g	9	.60
10.	Utirik	3	1.27
11.	Wotho	4	1.38
12.	Jemo Island*	1	Unknown
13.	Mejit Island $^{\circ}$	1	Unknown

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ORGANIZATION

DOE/NV

The management of all survey operations will be the responsibility of the NV Program Manager or his designated representative. The technical directors for the Terrestrial and Marine Programs, the Aerial Radiological Survey, and the Aerial Photo Survey will advise and support the NV Program Manager, and have full authority and responsibility for the technical plan.

The survey party is expected to include representatives of:

- 1. Division of Operational & Environmental Safety (O&ES), DOE/HQ
- 2. DOE/NV
- 3. EG&G, Las Vegas, Nevada
- 4. LLL
- 5. EPA
- 6. BNL
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The Division of Operational and Environmental Safety (OES) is responsible for coordination with the Department of Interior and all Washington level Federal agencies and officials and to provide the technical program guidance to the Nevada Operations Office.

The Nevada Operations Office is responsible for administering the technical program and to assure the successful accomplishment of the objectives of the program plan.

The technical direction of the sampling program will be carried out by the Lawrence Livermore Laboratory (LLL) supported by personnel from the following organizations, Environmental Protection Agency (EPA), University of Washington, and Brookhaven National Laboratory. The technical efforts of the participating organizations will be carried out as a cooperative effort utilizing the skills and resources of its individual members under the direction of LLL. Members of these organizations will collect the necessary samples and perform the necessary measurements. Samples will be collected from atoll soil, water, plant life and food, adjacent marine waters, and marine and terrestrial life. All samples will be analyzed for 137Cs, 90Sr and the transurances by wet chemical methods. The analysis of the samples will be undertaken by _______, and ______.

The evaluation of the analytical data will be performed by the members of the participating organizations with the technical coordination of the Lawrence Livermore Laboratory. The ground radiological surveys of certain atolls will be performed under the technical direction of the Lawrence Livermore Laboratory.

The aerial radiological surveys of the atolls will be performed by EG&G.

The estimated time required for completion of the aerial operations is

21 days. This period of time includes the time to move operations between

atolls as well as to perform the surveys of each atoll but does not include
the travel time to and from the Northern Marshall Islands.

TERRESTRIAL PROGRAM

MINIMUM OPTION

The Terrestrial Program involves going onto the islands without a backhoe and sampling the available terrestrial food products, surface soil, and existing water cisterns and skimming wells. Transportation of personnel to the islands will be by helicopter when the whaler cannot be used. On larger islands, a jeep will be necessary to relocate gear, water barrel, and personnel. Transporting the jeep from ship to island and from island to island will have to be accomplished using the helicopter.

On the average, 35 surface soil samples and 50 vegetation samples will be collected at each atoll, requiring analysis for 137 Cs, 90 Sr, and the transurances of approximately 1,100 samples.

The assumption that there will be three well sites or cisterns on the inhabited atolls will require the analysis of an additional 21 samples to determine the radionuclide concentrations in water.

A total of seven personnel will be required to support this program.

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PROGRAM COSTS

MINIMUM OPTION

Preparation and Equipment

28X

3 freezers
15 gallon barrels for water
drying ovens
food lockers

freeze dryer

land and water sampling gear

Analytical Cost

Surface soil and vegetation samples *Water samples

440.0K

Total 476.5K

^{*}Tach additional water sample will add 0.4K to the total.

MARINE PROGRAM

MINIMUM OPTION

A Marine Program will include the collection of a sufficient quantity of reef fish and marine invertebrates. Attempts to collect felagic species will be made only when the whaler can safely enter the lagoons. As a minimum, at least two (2) representative reef species commonly consumed will be collected from five (5) at all locations at each atall. Five to ten larger felagic species will be taken from only two (2) atalls. Water samples will also be collected in conjunction with the fish. Concentration factors will be computed from the generated data and compared to those already available from Enewetak, Bikini, and Kwajalein. Only water will be collected at the remaining atalls. With the computed concentration factors, the average fish concentrations at the remaining atalls can be assensed. This procedure will yield about 180-240 separate fish samples and approximately 100 water samples requiring analysis for 137 Cs., Sr., and plutonium.

Transportation to the island from the WHEELING will be by helicopter when the whaler cannot be used. Three personnel for each leg will be required to support the program.

Preparation and Equipment

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2 freezers

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Insulated shipping containers

Analytical Cost

150.0K

180-240 fish samples

100 water samples

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TERRESTRIAL/MARINE PROGRAM

COST ESTIMATE

MINIMUM OPTION

A summary of the estimated costs for the program is shown below.

Marine Program		153.5K
Terrestrial and Water Processing		476.5K
Dislocation Pay and Air Travel at a rate of 100K/10 people for three months		150.0K
Shipping Cost		35.OK
Assesment		100.0K
	Total	975.OK

AERIAL PHOTO AND RADIOLOGICAL SURVEY PROGRAM

A. PHOTO MISSION

Photographic coverage of all islands of interest in the Northern Marshalls is required for three purposes: (1) detailed color flight maps of each island at specific scales for use by the radiation survey team, (2) specific data analysis to provide a variety of information about the islands, and (3) underlays for the radiation data.

Coverage will be obtained using present photographic equipment operated for the DOE by EG&G. This equipment is calibrated and adjusted for optimum performance to obtain imagery suitable for analysis purposes as well as the production of photographic prints.

The photo mission will be flown, using an EC-121 provided by the Pacific Missile Test Center based out of Kwajelein. Some film processing will be accomplished while at Kwajelein utilizing the photo lab operated by KENTRON. The film processing of imagery obtained for scientific purposes would be processed under controlled conditions by EGSG in Las Vegas, Nevada.

seven man personnel are required to support the mission which is expected to take 21 days. This time includes weather and ileast time contingencies.

AERIAL PHOTO AND RADIOLOGICAL SURVEY PROGRAM

B. RADIOLOGICAL SURVEY

The Aerial Radiation Surveys will be carried out by means of two helicopters SH-3G's which will fly multiple missions from the USS WHEELING station near the atoll or in the lagoons when possible. EG&G will supply the scientific flight crews and technical support personnel to operate and maintain the radiation measuring and position measuring equipment.

The aerial radiation survey employs large arrays of NaI(T1) sintillation detectors mounted on a helicopter platform. Gamma radiation data is accumulated continuously in a 300-channel multichannel analyzer and recorded on magnetic tape once each second. Position information obtained from a microwave ranging system and a radar altimeter are also recorded on magnetic tape each second. The aircraft is flown at an altitude of 100' on line spacing of 200'.

During the data reduction phase, radiation and position data are correlated on a second-by-second basis and processed in the form of radiation contours overlayed on aerial photographs. The radiation data are processed to provide total gamma ray exposure rate and selected isotope (e.g., 241Am, 137Cs, and 60Co) concentration contours.

A total of nine (9) personnel will be required to support the above program for each series.

AERIAL PHOTO AND RADIOLOGICAL SURVEY PROGRAM LOGISTIC SUPPORT

The Northern Marshall Island Survey will be conducted in two separate phases—the photographic survey and the Aerial Radiological Survey.

The Navy Project Manager for coordination and execution of DOD responsibilities for rendering logistics support to this survey is commander, Pacific Missile Test Center, Pt. Magu. California.

The photographic survey of eleven (II) atolls and two (2) islands will be accomplished utilizing a Department of Navy EC-121 aircraft. The platform has been specifically configured to receive DOE-provided high resolution and infra-red capable cameras, plus additional peripheral support equipment.

The aircraft will be based out of Kwajalein and will be required to fly 10-12 hours a day for approximately 21 days. This includes contingencies for weather and aircraft down time.

Utilizing data gathered from the foregoing photographic survey, an Aerial Radiological Survey will be conducted of the same atolls and islands by means of two SR-3G helicopters equipped with DOE-provided radiation detection and recording instrumentation. The helicopters will normally operate from the USNS WREELING, a base support ship which will, in addition, provide a wide range of logistic support for the terrestrial and Marine Programs.

The current plan establishes the need for 77 days on station and 57 days in transit, including transits to port for logistics replenishment and reprovisioning or some reasonable combination thereof. It is estimated that 556 total flight hours will be required for the SH-3G helicopter, which will include flight hours for predeployment training, transporting personnel and equipment ashore, and for other administrative purposes as required.

The requirement for berthing on the USNS WHEELING while on the survey is as follows:

Military Sealift Command	62
PACHISTESTCEN	22
HC-1	24
DOE Minimum	27
Further Technical Support	13
Total	148

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SCHEDULE

A.	24 AUG-6 SEPT	Load and install gear at Port Hueneme.
В.	7 SEPT	USNS WHEELING departs for Pearl. Two technicians from EG&G will be aboard.
С.	12 SEPT	Arrive Pearl; logistics equipment repair if necessary.
D.	14 SEPT	Depart Pearl, enroute Kwajalein; two EG&G technicians aboard.
E.	20 SEPT	Arrive Kwajalein-logistics; embark DOE survey party, equipment check.
F.	22 SEPT	Start Series I.
G.	16 OCT .	Arrive Kwajalein; disembark DOE survey crew. Survey crew prepares for return to U.S. WHEELING departs for Guam logistics run.
Ħ.	31 OCT	Arrive Kwajalein; embark DOE survey crew. Depart Kwajalein for Series II.
ī.	26 NOV	Arrive Kwajalein; disembark DOE survey crew. Survey crew prepares for return to U.S. WHEELING departs for Guam logistics run.
J.	10 DEC	Arrive Kwajalein: embark DOE survey crew. Depart Kwajalein for Series III.
ĸ.	5 JAN	Arrive Enewetak; disembark DOE survey crew. Survey crew prepares for return to U.S. WHEELING departs for Kwajalein.
L.	18 JAN	WHEELING arrives Fort Hueneme. Equipment off-load.

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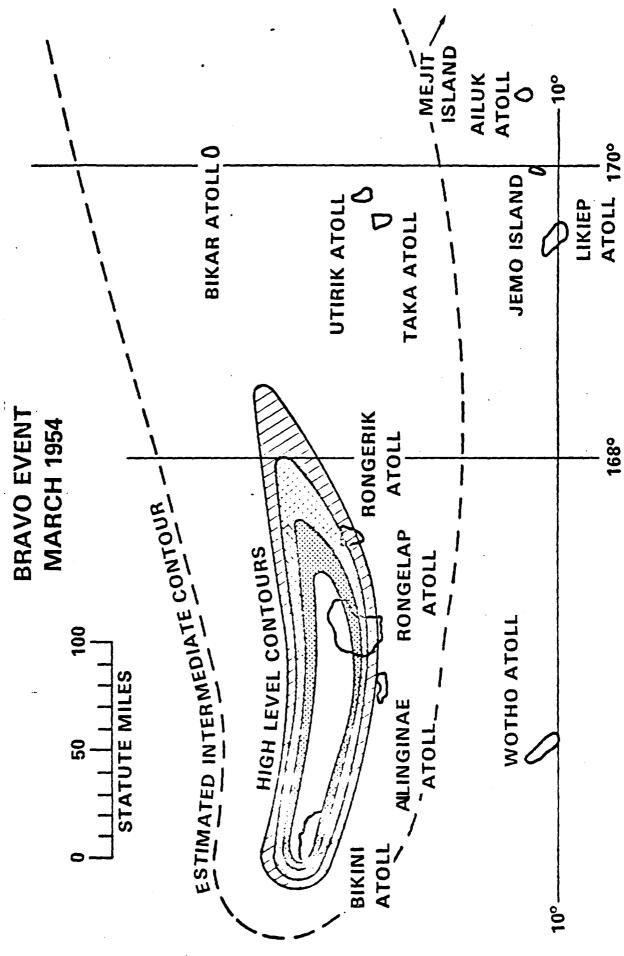
FALLOUT FROM PACIFIC TESTS

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FALLOUT AREA	EVENTS	LOCATION	DATE
			
AILINGIN AE	SANDSTONE-ZEBRA	ENEWE TAK	5/48
	CASTLE-BRAVO	BIKINI	2/54
	CASTLE-UNION	BIKINI	4/54
	CASTLE-YANKEE	BIKINI	5/54
	HARDTACK-MAPLE	BIKINI	6/58
AILUK	CASTLE-BRAVO	BIKINI	2/54
BIKAR	CASTLE-BRAVO	BIKINI	2/54
	CASTLE-YANKEE	BIKINI	5/54
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LIKIEP	CASTLE-BRAVO	BIKINI	2/54
RONGELAP	SANDSTONE-ZEBRA	ENEWE TAK	5/48
	CASTLE-BRAVO	BIKINI	2/54
	CASTLE-UNION	BIKINI	4/54
	CASTLE-YANKEE	BIKINI	5/54
RONGERIK	SANDSTONE-ZEBRA	ENEWETAK	5/48
	CASTLE-BRAVO	BIKINI	2/54
	CASTLE-UNION	BIKINI	4/54
	CASTLE-YANKEE	BIKINI	5/54
TAKA	CASTLE-BRAVO	BIKINI	2/54
UJELANG	IVY-KING	ENEWETAK	11/52
	HARDTACK-MAGNOLIA	ENEWETAK	5/58
UTIRIK	CASTLE-BRAVO	BIKINI	2/54
WOTHO	CASTLE-BRAVO	BIKINI	2/54
	HARDTACK-MAPLE	BIKINI	6/58
JEMO ISLAND*	CASTLE-BRAVO	BIKINI	2/54
MEJIT ISLAND*	CASTLE-BRAVO	BIKINI	2/54

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FALLOUT PATTERN



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SERIES SCHEDULE

All equipment loaded at Port Hueneme or Honolulu. Equipment check performed while ship enroute to Kwajalein from Honolulu. Remaining technical support will board U.S. WHEELING at Kwajalein either at port or utilizing the SH-3 Helos that are aboard the ship, whichever is presented by rate.

1ST SERIES

- 1 day travel to Rongelap (20 hrs. travel)
- 7 days survey Rongelap
- 1 day pack and depart for Bikini (20 hrs. travel)
- 12 days survey Bikini
- 1 day pack and depart for Wotho (15 hrs. travel)
- 4 days survey Wotho
- _l day pack and depart for Kwajalein (16 hrs. travel)
- 27 DAYS

Crew change and off load samples at Kwajalein.

2ND SERIES

- 1 day travel to Ailinginae (16 hrs. travel)
- 5 days survey Ailinginae
- 1 day pack and depart for Rongerik (10 hrs. travel)
- 5 days survey Rongerik
- . I day pack and depart for Bikar (15 hrs. travel)
 - 3 days survey Bikar
 - 1 day pack and depart for Utirik (7 hrs. travel)

SERIES SCHEDULE

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- 4 days survey Utirik
- 2 days survey Taka (includes packing and travel)
- 1 day travel to Kwajalein
- 24 DAYS

Crew change at Kwajalein.

3RD SERIES

- l day travel to Ailuk
- 6 days survey Ailuk
- 1/2 day pack and depart for Mejit
 - 1 day survey Mejit
 - 1 day pack and depart for Jemo
 - 1 day survey Jemo
- 1/2 day pack and depart for Likiep
 - 7 days survey Likiep
 - 2 days pack and depart for Ujelang (2 days travel)
 - 5 days survey Ujelang
- 1 day pack and depart for Enewetak (16 hrs. travel)
- SURVEY COMPLETE
- 26 DAYS
- 27 1ST SERIES

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- 24 2ND SERIES
- 26 3RD SERIES
- 77 TOTAL TIME REQUIRED FOR TECHNICAL SURVEY

SERIES SCHEDULE

SERIES	1	DAYS ON	ATOLL
1.	Rongelap	7	
2.	Bikini	12	
3.	Wotho	4	
	Return to Kwajalein		
SERIES	2		
	Ailinginae	5	
5.	Rongerik	5	
6.	Bikar	3	
	Utirik	4	
δ.	Taka	2	
	Return to Kwajalein		
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SERIES		6	
9.	Ailuk		
10.	Nejit	1	
11.	Jemo	1	
12.	Likiep	7	
13.	Ujelang	5	
	Complete series at Enewetak		

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IST SERIES 27 DAYS

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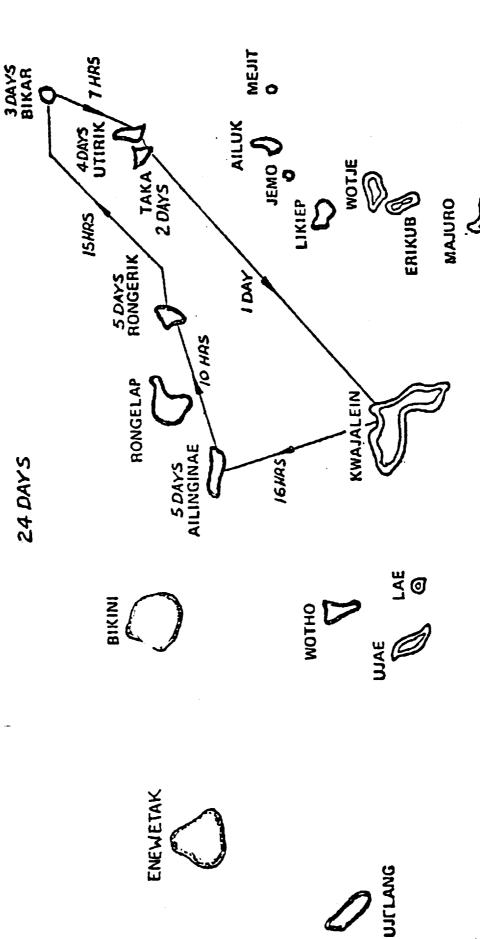
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26 DAYS

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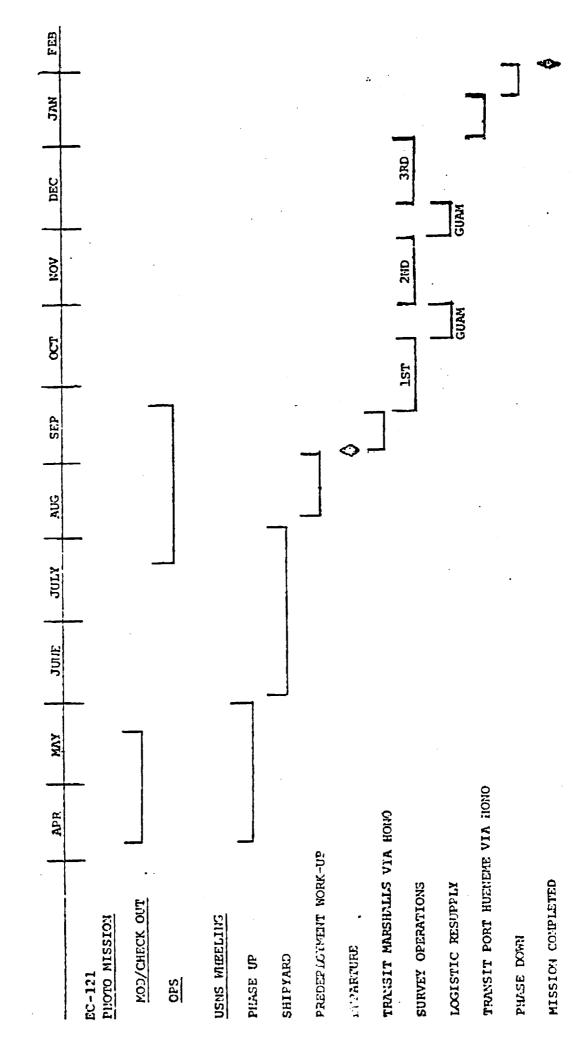
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USUS WHEELING - Schedule:

12 APR-19 MAY

24 JUL-24 SEP

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10 APR-31 MAY	Phase-up
5 JUN-3 AUG	Shipyard
4 AUG-6 SEP	Predeployment work-up, Prep for overseas move
7 SEP	Depart Fort Hueneme
12 SEP	Arrive Hono - Pearl
14 SEP	Depart for Kwajalein
20 SEP-21 SEP	Arrive Kwajaloin, off-load Helo equipment, board survey personnel, etc.
22 SEP-16 OCT	Series I
16 007	Survey personnel off-load at Ewajalein
1.6 CCT-31 OCT	Log run to Guam - fuel and provisions
31 OCT-26 NOV	Series II
26 NOV-10 DEC	Log run to Guam - fuel and provisions
10 DEC-5 JAN	Series III
5 3721-11 3721	To Hono - Pearl
12 JAN-18 JAN	To Port Hueneme
18 JMH-2 FEB	Phase down
HC-1 Schedule:	
24-27 JUI.	1 Helo plus 15 crew personnel for checkout and training
9 AUG-23 AUG	Join USMS WHEELING for Melo/ship training
23 AUG-3 JAN	Marshall Island Survey
EC-121 Schedule:	

EC-121 photo modifications/check out

EC-121 photo mission

AGENCY ASSIGNMENTS

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RADIOLOGICAL SURVEY PLAN FOR THE NORTHERN MARSHALL ISLANDS

AGENCY ASSIGNMENTS

A. Department of Interior (DOI)

- Grants authority for the conduct of the Northern Marshalls
 Radiological Survey to the Department of Energy.
- Assures that the Trust Territory and Marshall Islands
 Administrations and other appropriate agencies or organizations
 are aware of the responsibilities and guidelines of the survey.

B. Department of Defense (DOD)

The Department of Defense has designated the Department of the Navy as the executive agent for the coordination and execution of the responsibilities in rendering the required logistical support to the Department of Energy.

C. <u>Department of Energy (DOE)</u>

- Responsible for the conduct of the technical program to
 assess the radiological condition of the identified atolls
 and environment.
- Prepare a final report on the radiological condition of the atolls and their environment.

MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT

BETWEEN

DEPARTMENT OF THE NAVY DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY AND DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

- Subj: Logistics Support for an Aerial Radiological Survey
 of the Northern Marshall Islands
- Ref: (a) Memorandum of Agreement between Commander, Military

 Sealift Command and Commander, Pacific Missile Test

 Center dated 13 Sept/1977/20 Oct 1977
 - (b) COMSCPAC/COMPMTC RIS Operations Order 302-YR
- 1. \BACKGROUND. In June 1977, the Secretary of Defense (DOD) designated the Department of the Navy (DON) as the Executive Agent for the coordination and execution of DOD responsibilities for rendering logistics support to an Aerial Radiological Survey of the Northern Marshall Islands with the understanding that all costs incurred by Navy are to be on a reimbursable basis. The technical direction of the survey will be the responsibility of the Department of Energy (DOE). Funds have been appropriated by the Congress to the Department of the Interior (DOI) for the reimbursement of the logistics support that will be provided.

2. PARTIES TO THE AGREEMENT.

a. Department of the Navy, represented by the Chief of Naval Operations (OP-04).

- b. Department of Energy, represented by Nevada Operations Office, Las Vegas, Nevada (NVOO).
- c. Department of the Interior, represented by the Office of Territorial Affairs (OTA/DOI).
- 3. TERMS OF THE AGREEMENT. This Memorandum of Agreement (MOA) will become effective when signed by the last signatory of the parties to the MOA and will remain in effect until the completion of the subject project.
- a. For cost purposes, completion of the Radiological Survey is construed to include return of the USNS WHEELING (TAGM-8) to its assigned CONUS West Coast homeport and completion of phasedown to Reduced Operating Status (ROS), or earlier, as may be determined by the DON and agreed to by the other parties to this MOA.
- b. DON will receive timely notification of any intended change in the conduct of the Radiological Survey that would significantly alter the scope of this original or duly amended MOA.
- c. This MOA may be terminated by the mutual agreement of all three parties to the MOA, or upon 30 days written notice by any single party to the other two parties.
- d. This MOA may be modified or amended as agreed to by the several parties to the MOA.
- 4. CONCEPT OF OPERATIONS. The Aerial Radiological Survey will be conducted in two separate and distinct phases. The

Navy Project Manager for coordination and execution of DOD responsibilities for rendering logistics support to this survey is Commander, Pacific Missile Test Center, Pt. Mugu, California.

- a. PHASE I. Initially, a photographic survey of eleven (11) atolls and two (2) islands in the Northern Marshall Islands will be accomplished utilizing a DON EC-121 aircraft. This platform has been specially configured to receive DOE-provided high resolution and infra-red capable cameras, plus additional peripheral support equipment.
- (1) Phase I will be accomplished under the operational direction of the Project Manager (COMPMTC), in accordance with the technical direction and advice of the on-site DOE representative and the terms of this MOA.
- (2) COMPMTC will promulgate an appropriate Operations
 Order for the accomplishment of the Phase I mission.
- b. PHASE II. Utilizing data gathered from the foregoing photographic survey, an Aerial Radiological Survey of eleven (11) atolls and two (2) islands will be conducted by means of SH-3G helicopters equipped with DOE-provided radiation detection and recording instrumentation. The helicopters will normally operate from USNS WHEELING (TAGM-8), a base support ship which will, in addition, provide a wide range of logistics support. Flying relatively precise tracks at specified altitudes and air speeds, the data collected will be reduced and result in

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the radiological documentation and characterization of the eleven (11) atolls and two (2) islands in the Northern Marshalls, for later use as deemed appropriate by DOE and DOI in on-going rehabilitation and resettlement programs.

- (1) Operations of USNS WHEELING (TAGM-8) will generally be in accordance with reference (a) and this MOA. Should there be a conflict as a result of conducting operations in accordance with these two source documents, the provisions of reference (a) will apply while clarification and resolution is sought by the Project Manager.
- (2) The Project Manager will promulgate an appropriate Operations Order in support of this MOA, subject to to approval by cognizant major DON operational commanders (COMSCPAC and COMNAVAIRPAC).

5. SCOPE OF THE AGREEMENT.

- a. This MOA will apply to all DON, DOE and DOI resources assigned by the several parties to prepare for, undertake and complete the Aerial Radiological Survey of the Northern Marshall Islands. For the purposes of more precisely defining the dimensions of the logistics support package the DON anticipates providing to DOE, and to facilitate establishing accurate cost estimates for planning purposes, this MOA will be bounded as outlined herein.
- b. Phase I of survey operations will consist of aerial photographic missions of areas of interest to be defined by

- DOE. This phase will be limited to 300 EC-121 flight hours including transits to and from the survey site.
- Phase II of the survey will be accomplished by deploying the designated base support ship, USNS WHEELING (TAGM-8). with embarked SH-3G helicopter detachment, technical and support personnel to the Northern Marshall Islands. The current plan is to limit USNS WHEELING (TAGM-8) to 77 days on station and 57 days in transit including transits to port for logistics replenishment and reprovisioning or some reasonable combination thereof. While on station, a twelve-hour working day is agreed to, recognizing the resulting additional overtime costs. Radiological Survey as planned will be further limited to 556 total flight hours for the assigned SH-3G helicopters including those flight hours provided for predeployment training, transporting personnel and equipment ashore and for other administrative purposes as required. Upward adjustments to the foregoing limitations amounting to over 10% will require formal amendment of the MOA.
- d. Appendix I is an overview of the three (3) series (A, B and C) of radiological missions that will constitute Phase II of the survey. At Appendix II is a framework schedule for the complete survey (Phases I and II).
- 6. SURVEY TASK GROUP ORGANIZATION. DON, DOE and DOI resources dedicated to the accomplishment of the Radiological Survey will be organized into a Survey Task Group as follows:

- a. <u>Project Manager</u>. COMPMTC was designated Project Manager for the subject survey in CNO msg 010007Z APR 78 and will continue in this capacity through project completion, coordinating and providing, on behalf of DON, all logistics support required by DOE for the accomplishment of survey objectives.
- b. Aerial Photographic Task Element. The Officer in Charge of the EC-121 aircraft detachment will report for operational control directly to the Project Manager for the conduct of Phase I of the survey, and will function as the primary point of contact for the DOE Technical Representative having technical direction responsibilities for the conduct of Phase I of the survey.
- c. Aerial Radiological Task Element. This Task Element will accomplish Phase II of the survey utilizing USNS WHEELING (TAGM-8), assigned helicopters and associated support personnel and equipment.
- (1) Logistics Support Task Commander. Embarked in USNS WHEELING (TAGM-8) will be a Logistics Support Task Commander (LSTC) who will function as the primary point of contact for the DOE representative exercising technical direction responsibility for the conduct of Phase II of the survey. The LSTC will have overall operational control and management responsibility for DON provided logistics support. DOE representative will channel survey logistic's support requirements through the LSTC who will then coordinate the mutual efforts of the

USNS WHEELING (TAGM-8), the OINC of the helicopter detachment and the DOE survey representative. The LSTC is further designated as the Sponsor Designated Representative (SDR) as defined in reference (a).

- (2) PMTC Technical Representative. The Project
 Manager will designate an embarked PMTC Technical Representative
 who will act as primary advisor to the LSTC on logistics support
 matters. In the event that DON does not assign a Navy Officer
 to the LSTC billet, the PMTC Technical Representative will
 assume the functions and responsibilities of the LSTC/SDR.
- (3) Master, USNS WHEELING (TAGM-8). The ship's Master will have absolute authority and responsibility for the safety of his ship and embarked personnel as prescribed in reference (a) while responding to the operational requests and recommendations of the embarked LSTC/SDR.
- (4) Officer in Charge, HC-1 Detachment. The embarked helicopter detachment Officer in Charge will have absolute authority and responsibility for all matters relating to flight operations, particularly safety of flight, while responding to the operational requests and recommendations of the LSTC. Operation of assigned helicopters will be in accordance with appropriate directives to be provided by the parent helicopter squadron commander. Administrative control and procedural matters regarding NATOPS and maintenance remain with the parent helicopter squadron commander.

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- embarked in USNS WHEELING, will be designated the DOE Survey Project Field Director (SPFD) and will have responsibility for on-site technical direction of the survey. He will direct the efforts of all DOE and DOE contractor personnel and will make requests for Navy-provided logistics support from the LSTC. He will be responsible to the designated DOE Survey Project Manager (at NVOO) for the survey results. To this end, the SPFD will develop detailed survey work plans in coordination through the LSTC. He shall be responsible for determining requirements for helo lift, support ashore, duration of stay at each location, and other requirements affecting mission performance, all within an agreed overall resource availability.
 - d. A diagram of organizational relations is at Appendix III
- 7. EMPLOYMENT AND OPERATION OF USNS WHEELING (TAGM-8).

 COMSCPAC, on behalf of COMSC, will operate USNS WHEELING

 (TAGM-8) in accordance with reference (a), current directives, and U.S. Navy Regulations. Sponsor/Operator relationships will be as defined in reference (b).
- 8. RADIOLOGICAL SAFETY, HEALTH AND DECONTAMINATION. The DCE will assume primary responsibility for all matters pertaining to radiological safety, health and, where required, radiological decontamination.

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a. DOE will monitor all radiological hazards and safety

and provide adequate resources to ensure the protection of embarked personnel as prescribed in NAVMED P-5055 (Radiation Health Protection Manual).

- b. DOE will assume responsibility for safeguarding all radioactive material stored aboard USNS WHEELING (TAGM-8) or transported in assigned helicopters and will properly dispose of such material upon completion of the survey operation.
- c. DOE will assume all responsibilities for determining radiological decontamination requirements and the execution of decontamination measures where required.
- 9. SUPPORTING SERVICES, SUPPLY SUPPORT, MODIFICATION,
 ALTERATION AND REPAIRS will be as prescribed herein:
- a. The supporting services, supply support, modification, alteration and repair of USNS WHEELING (TAGM-8) will be as defined in reference (a).
- b. Supporting services, supply support, modification, alteration and repair for embarked helicopters shall be as defined by the parent helicopter squadron commander.
- c. Modifications, alterations, and repairs to USNS WHEELING (TAGM-8) to prepare for deployment and return to ROS will be defined by COMSC/COMPMTC.
- d. DON will be reimbursed by DOI for all survey-related modifications, alterations, repairs and ship preparation costs associated with preparing, operating and phasing USNS WHEELING (TAGM-8) down to ROS.

10. FUNDING OF LOGISTICS SUPPORT.

Section 1

- a. General. The net additional costs of logistics support provided by the DON for the accomplishment of the Aerial Radiological Survey of the Northern Marshall Islands will be fully reimbursed from funds appropriated to DOI. Accordingly, such support must be tailored to the availability of these funds to avoid cost overruns. Logistics support addressed herein refers only to those resources provided by the DON, and is exclusive of any other resources that may be provided in support of the survey by any other agency.
- b. Application of Funds and Billing. The DON will be solely responsible for the application of DOI funds to the expenses incurred in providing DON logistics support for the project. All subordinate DON elements incurring costs that will be reimbursed by DOI funds will maintain a complete accounting thereof and will forward billings therefor to the Chief of Naval Operations on a monthly basis. Consolidated billings for these costs will be made monthly by the DON to the DOI on a Standard Form 1080, and accompanied by a DON notification of the cumulative application of resources.

APPENDIX I

OVERVIEW OF RADIOLOGICAL SURVEY SCHEDULES

SUF	EVEY SERIES A	DAYS
a.	Depart Kwajalein enroute Ailinginae Atoll (16 hrs transit)	1
b.	Survey Ops Ailinginae Atoll	5
c.	Load-out and enroute Bikini (6 hrs transit)	1
đ.	Survey Ops Bikini Atoll	12
e.	Load-out and enroute Wotho Atoll (16 hrs transit)	1
f.	Survey Ops Wotho Atoll	4
g.	Load-out and enroute Kwajalein for DOE crew change and reprovisioning	_1
	Sub-Total	25
SUR	VEY SERIES B	
a.	Depart Kwajalein enroute Rongelap Atoll (20 hrs transit)	1
b.	Survey Ops Rongelap Atoll	7
₽.	Load-out and enroute Rongerik Atoll (6 hrs transit)	1
i.	Survey Ops Rongerik Atoll	5
2.	Load-out and enroute Bikar Atoll (15 hrs transit)	1
f.	Survey Ops Bikar Atoll	3
g.	Load-out and enroute Utirik Atoll (7 hrs transit)	1
h.	Survey Ops Utirik Atoll	4

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	DAYS
SURVEY SERIES B continued	
i. Survey Ops Taka Atoll	2
j. Load-out and enroute Kwajale DOE crew change and reprovis	
Sub	-Total 26
SURVEY SERIES C	
a. Depart Kwajalein enroute Ail (12 hrs transit)	uk Atoll 1
b. Survey Ops Ailuk	6
c. Load-out and enroute Mejit I (3 hrs transit)	sland ½
d. Survey Ops Mejit Island	1
<pre>e. Load-out and enroute Jemo Is (6 hrs transit)</pre>	land 1
f. Survey Ops Jemo Island	1
g. Load-out and enroute Likiep (3 hrs transit)	Atoll ½
h. Survey Ops Likiep Atoll	. 7
i. Load-out and enroute Ujelang (2 days transit)	Atoll 2
j. Survey Ops Ujelang Atoll	. 5
k. Load-out and enroute Eneweta (16 hrs transit)	k <u>1</u>
Sub	-Total 26
SURVEY SUMMARY	
a. Series A	25
b. Series B	26
c. Series C	26
Total Surve	y Days 77

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APPENDIX II

AERIAL RADIOLOGICAL SURVEY NORTHERN MARSHALL ISLANDS

FRAMEWORK SCHEDULE FOR COMPLETE SURVEY

- 1. PHASE I: EC-121 Photographic Survey
 - a. 24 July 24 Sept 1978
- 2. PHASE II: Radiological Survey utilizing USNS WHEELING (TAGM-8) and three (3) SH-3G helicopters:

DAT	TE(S)	EVENT
a.	10 Apr - 23 May 1978	Phase Up of WHEELING (ROS to FOS
b.	24 May - 04 Jun	Preparations for Overhaul
c.	05 Jun - 03 Aug	Shipyard Overhaul
d.	04 Aug ~ 06 Sept	Pre-deployment workup; Prepare for Overseas Movement
e.	07 Sept	Deploy from Port Hueneme; enroute Pearl
f,	12 Sept	Arrive Pearl; Logistics
g.	14 Sept	Depart Pearl; enroute Kwajalein
h.	20 Sept	Arrive Kwajalein; Logistics; Disembark 1 SH-3G and 10-man HC-1 Det; Embark DOE Survey Party; Equipment checkout
i.	22 Sept	Depart Kwajalein for Survey Series A; 25 days
j٠	16 Oct	Arrive Kwajalein; Disembark DOE Survey Party
k.	16 Oct	Depart Kwajalein enroute Guam
1.	23 Oct	Arrive Guam; refuel and reprovision

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FRAMEWORK SCHEDULE FOR COMPLETE SURVEY

DAT	<u>E(S)</u>	EVENT
m.	25 Oct	Depart Guam; enroute Kwajalein
n.	31 Oct	Arrive Kwajalein; Embark DOE Survey Party
٥.	31 Oct	Depart Kwajalein for Survey Series B; 26 days
p.	26 Nov	Arrive Kwajalein; Disembark DOE Survey Party
q.	26 Nov	Depart Kwajalein; enroute Guam
r.	02 Dec	Arrive Guam; refuel and reprovision
s.	04 Dec	Depart Guam; enroute Kwajalein
t.	10 Dec	Depart Kwajalein for Survey Series C; 26 days
u.	05 Jan 1979	Arrive Kwajalein; Disembark DOE Survey Party
v.	05 Jan	Depart Kwajalein; enroute Pearl
w.	ll Jan	Arrive Pearl; Logistics
x.	12 Jan	Depart Pearl; enroute Port Hueneme
у.	18 Jan	Arrive Port Hueneme; Commence Phasedown
z.	02 Feb	WHEELING returned to ROS

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FUNDING

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SUMMARY OF COSTS

NORTHERN MARSHALL ISLANDS RADIOLOGICAL SURVEY

			TOTAL K \$	(FY 78 and FY 79)
1.	AERIAL PHOTO MISSIONS AND RADIOLOGICAL SURVEYS BY EG&G	(189)	989.1	989.1
2.	GROUND AND SEA			
	Terrestrial Program* Marine Program* Dislocation pay and air travel Shipping costs Assessment		477. 154. 150. 35. 100.	916
3.	CONTRACTORS		·	
	Brookhaven National Lab Univ. of Washington Environmental Protection Agency	(189)	78	
4.	CONTINGENCY at (?)%			

*Minimum Option Costs

Terrestrial Range = 477K to 800K
Marine Range = 154K to 700K
Reference: LLL Letter of April 24, 1978

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QUESTIONS AND COMMENTS - SUMMARY OF COSTS

NORTHERN MARSHALL ISLANDS RADIOLOGICAL SURVEY

1. AERIAL - None

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2. GROUND & SEA

Terrestrial

- Ground monitoring surveys are not included.
- Soil profile samples, necessary for plant uptake studies are not included in the minimum figure.
- Personnel salaries are not stated as being included.

Marine

- Personnel salaries are not included.

3. CONTRACTORS

- BNL 189 received and costs shown. It is not known whether BNL costs are factored into the LLL estimates shown for terrestrial.
- Is whole body counting of the No. Marshallese desired? No costs are shown.
- 189's not available for Univ. of Wash., and EPA. It is not known whether their costs are factored into the LLL estimates for "Terrestrial" and 'Marine".

4. CONTINGENCY

- Since only the minimum options are listed for the "Terrestrial" and "Marine" programs, the possibility exists for modifications of these costs in the upward direction.
- Have all salary costs been included?
- Have all analytical costs been included?

FY 1980 COSTS

- In view of past experience, funds will be necessary to continue sample analysis into FY 1980. Approximately 300K should be budgeted for this period.

- Have all costs for the final report preparation been included?

APPENDIX 1

FALLOUT FROM PACIFIC TESTS
FALLOUT PATTERN-BRAVO EVENT 1954