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Director, Division of Military Application
Secretary to the Commission

June 22, 1948

COMMISSION ACTION ON REPORT OF TEST DIR. FOR
OPERATION SANDSTONE

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1. At the meeting on the afternoon of June 16, 1948, the Commission received the preliminary report of the Test Director for Operation Sandstone and took the following action:

a. Agreed that the dissolution of Joint Task Force 7 would be appropriate when so ordered by the Joint Chiefs of Staff;

b. Accepted Captain Russell's report and agreed that the Commission directive of January 14, 1948 (AEC 9/2) to the Test Director was fulfilled;

c. requested that Captain Russell have letters of commendation prepared, for the Chairman's signature, to those scientists who made outstanding contributions, and that other commendatory letters be prepared as appropriate;

d. Acted with approval that the General Manager had designated the Office of Santa Fe directed operations as the field agency of the Commission for administration of the Commission interest in the Univetek Proving Ground after dissolution of Joint Task Force 7; and

e. Accepted the recommendation that the framework of the Prooftest Division at Los Alamos Laboratory be maintained during the intervals between tests and that a steering committee be formed jointly among the Commission and military liaison committee staffs.

2. The General Manager is requested that he take all necessary implementing action on this decision.

3. It is further requested that a copy of any implementing papers be further REPOSITORY THE OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY.

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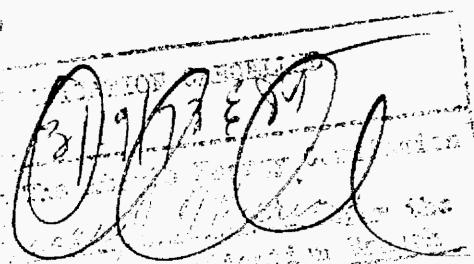
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