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SUBJECT: Overexposure to Ionizing Radiation

TO: Commanding Officer
Lexington Signal Depot
Lexington, Kentucky

1. Reference is made to your TWX to Commanding Officer, 525th Ordnance Company, Heilbronn, Germany, dated 13 March 1962.

2. Request that this office be kept advised of the interpretations of readings of film badges issued to SP4 Kenneth M. Smith of the 525th Ordnance Company, Heilbronn, Germany.

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UNCLAS LX7322 FOR CO INFO MEDCE-OH USAREUR SURG FROM SIGDL-4C
 ILM NR 002FUG LISTED AS WORN BY SP4 KENNETH M. SMITH PD OF 4 FEB
 HRU 3 MAR 62 INDC EXPOSURE TO 12.750 REM/12750 MILLIREM/. EXPOSURE
 APPARENTLY LOCALIZED IN CENTER PORTION OF FILM AND PATTERN INDC
 SOURCE WITHIN 1/8 INCH OF FILM. SUSPECT FILM HOLDER CONTAMINATED WITH
 ETA EMITTER. SAME FILM NUMBER FOR PD B. 7 JAN THRU 3 FEB 62 INDC
 IDENTICAL PATTERN WITH 9.36 REM DOSE. REQ THAT FILM HOLDER USED BY
 P4 SMITH BE REPLACED WITH UNUSED HOLDER IN YOUR POSSESSION AND THAT
 SUSPECTED HOLDER BE RETURNED TO THIS DEPOT IN SEALED BARRIER WRAP
 OR PLASTIC BAG. PACKAGE SHOULD BE CHECKED WITH GEIGER COUNTER FOR
 FN LX7322 SIGDL-4C 002FUG SP4 4 3 62 12.750 12750 1/8 7 3 62
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