

MEDPS-PO

11 April 1962

SUBJECT: Overexposure to Ionizing Radiation

THRU: Commanding General
Second United States Army
ATTN: Surgeon
Fort George G. Meade, Maryland

TO: Commanding Officer
ATTN: Dental Surgeon
Fort George G. Meade, Maryland

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1. DA Message DTG 061630Z April (copy inclosed) indicates that SP-4 Richard L. Kennard of your command received a dose of ionizing radiation of 7500 millirems during the period of 24 February through 24 March 1962.

2. A dose of 7500 millirems is in excess of the permissible total body radiation in four weeks. Should such incidents recur frequently, serious impairment to the health of the individual could result.

3. Request that the cause of this overexposure be investigated and information on the results be forwarded to this office, ATTN: MEDPS-PO.

FOR THE SURGEON GENERAL:

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UNCLAS LX10159 FOR POST DENTAL SURGEON INFO MEDCE-OH FROM
SIGDL-8 FILM NR 009HHN WORN BY SP4 RICHARD L. KENNARD PD OF 24

FEB THRU 24 MAR 62 INDC DOSAGE OF 7500 MILLIREMS/7.500 REMS/PD

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