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FROM: M.W. Boyer, General Manager

SUBJECT: MEETING OF THE ADVISORY COMMITTEE FOR BIOLOGY AND MEDICINE

The thirty-third meeting of the Advisory Committee for Biology and Medicine is to be held on Friday and Saturday, September 12 and 13, 1952 at the Atomic Energy Commission, Room 1201, T-3, Washington, D. C., at 9:30 a.m.

Friday, September 12, 1952

9:30 a.m.

1. Introduction of new members of Division staff - Dr. John C. Bugher

Biology Branch Dr. Joseph S. Butts, Head
Department of Agricultural Chemistry
Oregon State College
Corvallis, Oregon

Medical Branch Dr. Paul G. LeFevre
Associate Professor
College of Medicine
University of Vermont
Burlington, Vermont

2. 9:40 a.m. Consideration of draft minutes of the thirty-second meeting held at the Mallinckrodt Chemical Plant in St. Louis, Missouri on June 9, 1952.
3. 9:50 a.m. Review of research projects approved, extended, and declined during June, July and August, 1952. Projects to be discussed by Dr. Paul Pearson, Dr. Charles Dunham, Dr. Walter Claus, and Dr. John Bugher. (See attached list of research projects and composite statement of allocation of funds for research to government agencies, institutions and universities for F.Y. 1952.
4. 11:45 a.m. Developments in teletherapy - Dr. Charles Dunham

Luncheon - 12:30 p.m.

1:30 p.m. Group picture of Committee and Dr. Bugher

5. 1:45 p.m. Executive Session

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6. 2:15 p.m. A formulation of the injury, life span, dose relations for ionizing radiations - Dr. Henry Blair
7. 2:45 p.m. Discussion on permissible levels of exposure for various types of activities - continual, occasional and extraordinary - Dr. Walter Claus
8. 3:00 p.m. Fallout - Introduction - Dr. John Bugher
 - (a) On-site and nearby fallout from bomb tests - Dr. Gordon Dunning
 - (b) Operational Plans for Future Tests - Radiological Safety - Dr. Gordon Dunning
 - (c) Long-range fallout studies - Mr. Merrill Eisenbud
9. 4:00 p.m. Progress report on Gabriel - Implication of Rand Study - Dr. Walter Claus

Saturday, September 13, 1952

10. 9:30 a.m. (a) Report on Biomedical Test Planning and Screening Committee - Dr. John Bugher (Copy of minutes in folder)
 - (b) Proposed biological tests for continental test site. Further suggestions by the Committee requested - Dr. Harold Plough
 11. 10:30 a.m. (a) Report on Structures Test Planning and Screening Committee - Mr. Corsbie (Copy of minutes in folder)
 - (b) Civil Defense structures and AEC shelter program
 - (c) Civil Defense training and observer program
 12. 11:45 a.m. Report on status of dispersal of government agencies from Washington area - Mr. Harry Bowman
 13. 12:15 p.m. Status report - Atomic Bomb Casualty Commission - Dr. Dunham
- Luncheon - 12:30 p.m.
14. 1:30 p.m. Report on Brookhaven National Laboratory "Master Plan" (Long-range construction program) - Mr. Howard Brown
 15. 2:00 p.m. Summary of current year budget status - Dr. Bugher and Mr. Stanwood
 16. 2:30 p.m. Progress report on the AEC overhead policy on off-site research contracts - Dr. Bugher and Mr. Brown

17. 3:00 p.m. (a) Impressions of European Institutions and Laboratories
(b) Report on Harwell - Dr. Paul Pearson
18. 4:00 p.m. ACBM meeting in Chalk River on May 8 and 9, 1953 instead
of in January, 1953
(Suggested list of topics for discussion attached)
19. Other business
20. Designation of place of next meeting - November 7 and 8,
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