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Attention: Dr. C. E. Larson, Director
Oak Ridge National Laboratory

Subject: CIVILIAN DEFENSE TRAINING PROGRAM

Gentlemen:

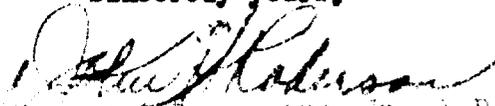
Reference is made to your letter of March 18, requesting approval to undertake a field test in the controlled area as part of the Civilian Defense Training Program to be given jointly by the Oak Ridge National Laboratory and the Oak Ridge Institute of Nuclear Studies.

It is our understanding that the trainees will be under escort all the time. Even though protective clothing will be worn, it will be necessary to process the group in a change house in the exclusion area of the Laboratory, and it is planned that the trainees will have lunch in the Laboratory's cafeteria.

The Atomic Energy Commission has no objection to the field test being held in the controlled area providing that the site of the test is relatively isolated and it is planned so that little expense will be involved in cleaning up the area. Likewise, there is no objection to the use of an abandoned building provided necessary precautions are taken to prevent the spread of fire.

Your cooperation in this program is appreciated.

Sincerely yours,



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