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REPOSITORY PNL
COLLECTION Prisoner Study
BOX No. 3156
FOLDER Pu Studies on Prisoners

Dear Mr. Robinson:

REQUEST TO SHIP
PLUTONIUM
Project No. Y-2602
Request No. BR-462

Authorization is requested to ship one gram of plutonium, as a Pu-Be neutron source (No. M-469), to Washington State Penitentiary, Walla Walla, Washington.

This source is for calibration and testing of the neutron monitor used in conjunction with the University of Washington Medical Physics Project. The source will remain at the Penitentiary for the duration of the study (approximately two years), and will be carried on Battelle's inventory and used by Battelle-Northwest personnel. The source will be located in the basement of the hospital wing of the prison; storage will be in the padlocked paraffin storage container which will be kept in the pharmacy or other location of equivalent security.

Yours very truly,
ORIGINAL SIGNED BY
R. O. Budd

Manager
Nuclear Materials Management Section
ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH AND
ENGINEERING DEPARTMENT

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This approval does not cover Health & Safety or Security considerations.

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