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July 6, 1978

Note to Hal Hollister, Director, OES

This is an update to the electrical burn incident at SLAC on July 5, 1978.

[REDACTED], a 44-year-old laborer, suffered burns over 80 percent of his body, 50 percent of which are third-degree burns. He has a reasonably good chance of survival. He is being treated at the Burn Care Ward at West Valley Medical Center in Santa Clara County. First aid was provided at the scene by the Palo Alto Fire Department and paramedics.

A press release was not made.

Pending concurrence of management, a Type A investigation will be conducted. Names of members of the investigation committee will be included in a forthcoming TWX.

This information was reported to the EOC by Mr. Carrico at 12:15 p.m., July 6, 1978.

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