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STATION 134[illegible], FIRST FLOOR ELEVATION

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Excavation on Site George for the foundation of Station 1342 reveals the presence of a hard coral ledge at an elevation approximately 9 inches above that shown by approved drawings for bottom of foundations. To meet the specified finish floor elevation while maintaining the designed foundation thickness would require extensive blasting.

It was proposed to Mr. J. L. Shumway, LASL, that as an alternative the finish floor be raised from the specified elevation of plus 8.00 to plus 8.75. Mr. Shumway approved this change, inasmuch as the user's requirements are sufficiently flexible to accomodate the small angularity introduced, and a significant saving in time and cost will result.

The coral ledge will be cleaned, roughened and grouted prior to placing the foundation concrete.

Will you please advise Mr. Robert A. Campbell, LASL, of this change.

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