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MISSION AND RESPONSIBILITIES
DIRECTOR, ARMED FORCES RADIOBIOLOGY
RESEARCH INSTITUTE
DEFENSE ATOMIC SUPPORT AGENCY

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SECTION I

COMMAND

The Armed Forces Radiobiology Research Institute (AFRRI) is a subordinate command of the Defense Atomic Support Agency (DASA).

SECTION II

MISSION

The Armed Forces Radiobiology Research Institute shall conduct scientific research in the field of radiobiology and related matters that are essential to the medical support of the United States military services, to the national welfare and to the well-being of mankind.

SECTION III

BASIC FUNCTIONS

Detailed functional statements are listed in Part III of the current approved Joint Table of Distribution (JTD). Specifically, the AFRRI will:

1. Operate facilities for conducting research and the dissemination of results on the biological effects of ionizing radiation.
2. Conduct advanced training in the field of biological effects of ionizing radiation to meet the internal requirements of the Institute, and as may be requested by the Services.
3. Operate facilities for the production of short-lived radioisotopes for use in direct or collaborative research performed by the Institute.
4. Perform such other research functions as may be required.

SECTION IV

RESPONSIBILITIES

The Director, Armed Forces Radiobiology Research Institute shall command the AFRRI. He shall be responsible to Director, DASA for the conduct of research programs, advanced training in the field of biological effects of ionizing radiation, operation of facilities for

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radioisotope production, all as specified in Section III above and approved by DASA. Maintenance and operation of the physical plant will be totally funded by DASA and will be carried out in accordance with the host-tenant agreement with the National Naval Medical Center (NNMC). The AFRI under such an agreement will make maximum use of the NNMC support capabilities. The Director, AFRI shall be responsible for informing the Director, DASA directly and in a timely manner concerning all matters related to the conduct and progress of the AFRI program. The Defense Atomic Support Agency will plan, program and budget for construction and will monitor such construction through the Bureau of Yards and Docks, Department of the Navy.

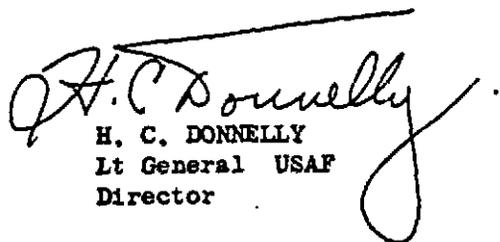
SECTION V

POLICIES

In discharging the responsibilities set forth above, the Director, AFRI will be governed by the following policies:

a. Actions or correspondence of a policy nature which require coordination with the Department of Defense, Joint Chiefs of Staff, Military Departments or the Military Services within those departments, Atomic Energy Commission, and other government agencies will be routed to the Director, DASA. Where necessary and appropriate, contact with Service and other federal laboratories and facilities is authorized.

b. Military personnel will be administered in accordance with the Directives of the individual Services, as amplified by the Director, DASA. Civilian personnel will be administered in accordance with a host-tenant agreement negotiated between AFRI and the NNMC, and approved by DASA and the Secretary of the Navy or his designee.


H. C. DONNELLY
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Director