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RICHLAND, Wash. ---Dr. Edward L. Alpen, manager of the Environmental and Life Sciences Division at Battelle-Northwest, has been selected to serve on the National Air Pollution Research and Development Advisory Council of the Environmental Health Service for a 19 month term beginning in July.

The Council is responsible for reviewing the national research and development program for the prevention and control of air pollution; advising the Secretary of Health, Education and Welfare on the allocation of research and development resources of the National Air Pollution Control Administration, and, reviewing and recommending research grants support by the National Air Pollution Control Administration.

Dr. Alpen was notified of the appointment by the Secretary of Health, Education and Welfare, Robert H. Finch.

At Battelle-Northwest, Dr. Alpen is responsible for developing programs in the areas of atmospheric and radiological sciences, water and land resources, ecosystems and biology.

Prior to joining Battelle-Northwest in June of 1969, Dr. Alpen headed the Biological and Medical Sciences Division of the Naval Radiological Defense Laboratory in San Francisco, California.

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Dr. Alpen received his B.S. degree in Chemistry from the University of California at Berkeley, and his PhD in Pharmaceutical Chemistry and Pharmacology from the University of California, San Francisco. He is a National Science Foundation Post-Doctoral Fellow and is the recipient of the Department of Navy Gold Medal for Distinguished Achievement in Science.

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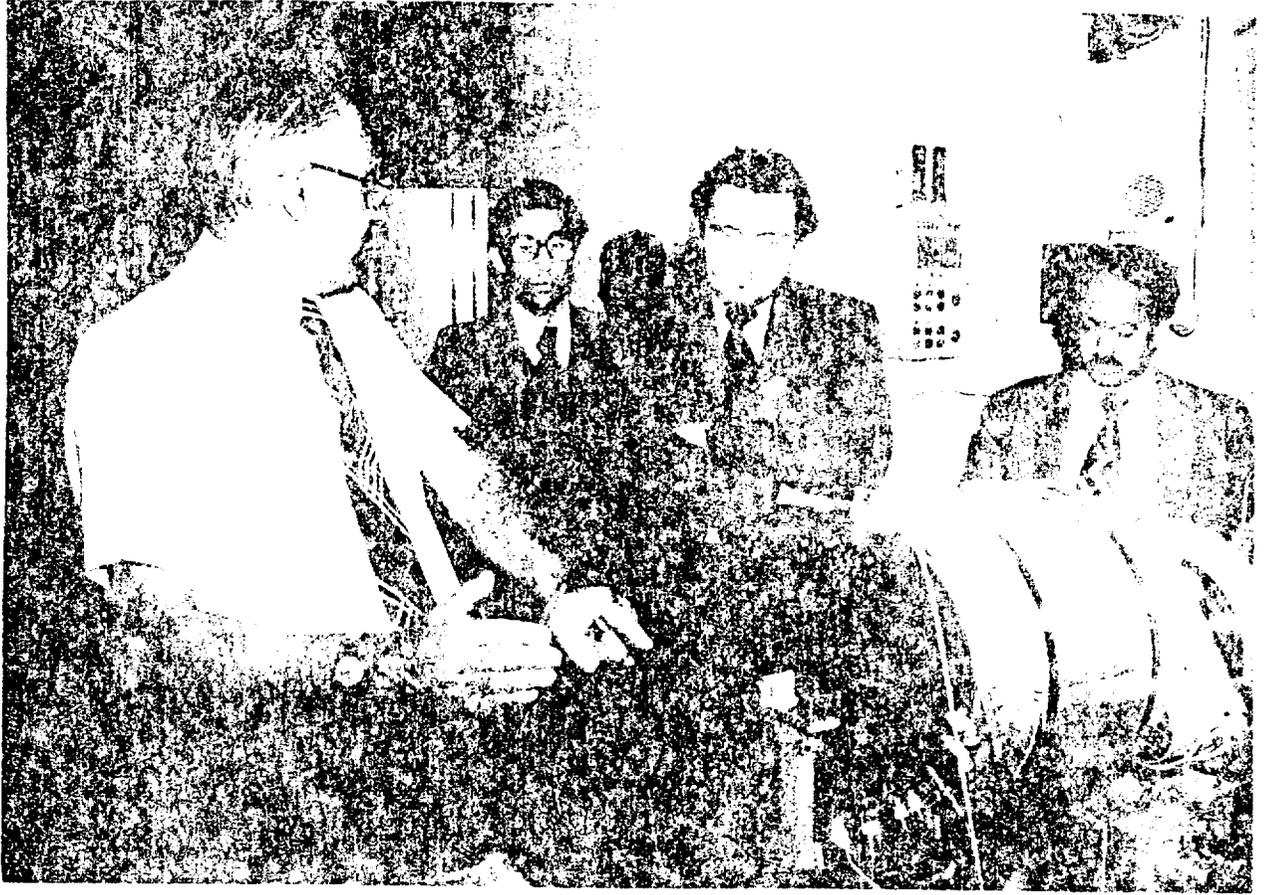


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BIOMEDICAL CAVE -- Dr. Edward Alpen, (left) head of Lawrence Berkeley Laboratory's Biology & Medicine Division (Donner Laboratory) explains the radiobiological treatment program at LBL to Prince Mohammed Al - Faisal of Saudi Arabia (second from right) who recently visited the University of California to learn more about research at American institutions. The Prince is standing inside one of LBL's biomedical caves. Pictured is an apparatus which channels the Bevalac beam line.

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