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ATOMIC ENERGY COMMISSION

MEETING NO. 966 **DELETED VERSION ONLY**

8:30 a.m., Thursday, March 11, 1954

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Present

Lewis L. Strauss  
Henry D. Smyth  
Thomas E. Murray  
Eugene M. Zuckert  
Joseph Campbell

K. D. Nichols  
William Mitchell

Roy B. Snapp  
W. B. McCool

Also Present

R. W. Cook  
Carroll A. Towne  
L. R. Hafstad  
A. Tammara  
E. R. Trapnell  
Comdr. James M. Dunford  
George F. Trowbridge  
Morse Salisbury  
David S. Teeple  
J. A. Waters

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BY AUTHORITY OF DOE 5650.2 11-12

BY Joe Gray DATE 5/26/81

BY William Strauss DATE 5-22-81

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At this point the meeting adjourned and reconvened at 4:00 p.m.  
Attendance at the afternoon meeting was as follows:

Present

Henry D. Smyth  
Eugene M. Zuckert  
Joseph Campbell  
  
K. D. Nichols  
  
W. B. McCool  
John H. Stumpf

Also Present

David S. Teeple  
Brig. Gen. K. E. Fields  
Col. Vincent G. Huston  
Dr. John C. Bugher  
Morse Salisbury  
R. L. Southwick

7. Press Release Concerning Evacuation of Natives After March 1 Detonation

The Commissioners considered the proposed text of a press announcement concerning the transfer of island residents and task force personnel from islands in the Marshall Group subsequent to the first detonation in the current series.

After extensive discussion, it was determined that Mr. Strauss would be informed of the text of the proposed release and, if he approved, the concurrences of other interested Government agencies would be requested.

  
Roy B. Snapp  
Secretary

Approved by the Commission: May 19, 1954