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Dear Smitty:

We have just received the attached letter from AFSP with respect to the document entitled "Study of Response of Human Beings Accidentally Exposed to Significant Fallout Radiation". It would appear that the Department of Defense has not varied from its formula. I have no desire to discuss the present legality of their statement. However, since this is apparently a Navy document, I believe we have no choice but to classify it as Confidential, Defense Information, but not Restricted Data provided the two deletions which you suggested in your letter of November 3, 1954 are made.

Best personal regards,

C. L. Marshall
Deputy Director of Classification

Enclosure:
CC ltr from branch dtd 12/16/54.

cc: C. L. Dinkham, SA, W/Oy 13 Project 4.1 Report
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