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FOR BRADBURY AND TELLER INFO HERTFORD, ANDERSON AND EDMONS FROM STARBIRD.

IN STUDYING VARIOUS PLANS TO PHASE DOWN ACTIVITY AT EPG THE QUESTION OF CLASSIFICATION OF THE BOMB CRATERS HAS ARISEN. TO DATE THE CRATERS HAVE BEEN TREATED AS CLASSIFIED BECAUSE RADCHEM SAMPLES COULD DISCLOSE CLASSIFIED INFORMATION.

PARA. LITTLE IS BEING DONE TO SECURE THE CRATERED AREAS. BIKINI IS COMPLETELY UNMANNED AND THE SECURITY THERE AMOUNTS TO NO MORE THAN AN OCCASIONAL AERIAL SWEEP. AT ENIWETOK ACCESS TO THE CRATERED AREAS IS DENIED EXCEPT FOR OFFICIAL VISITS.

PARA. REQUEST YOUR OPINION AS TO THE NEED FOR CONTINUING TO CONSIDER

THE CRATERS IN EPG AS "CLASSIFIED". END REF. MAT:SWJ

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