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Dear Mr. Furnas:

In response to your request of August 13, 1956 for information concerning the effects of radiation and bomb debris on human beings, I am enclosing a report which summarizes all the data currently available to us on the subject.

As indicated in the introduction to the report, the information has been assembled from many sources. The questions which Dr. J. L. Magee posed in his letter of June 25, 1956 to Dr. W. D. Claus have been reworded slightly in order that the subject areas might be clarified and, as a result, the replies might be more specific.

I hope that the report will prove to be satisfactory for your requirements. You are at liberty to use this document as you like, adopting the title and introduction for your own purposes.

Sincerely yours,

Chairman

Enclosure:  
As indicated above

Honorable C. C. Furnas  
Assistant Secretary of Defense  
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