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SUBJECT: Reports on Evacuation of Natives and Surveys of Several
Marshall Island Atolls

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1. Reference is made to letter this headquarters, J-3/729.3, subject: Radiological Surveys of Several Marshall Island Atolls, dated 18 March 1954 (Secret, Restricted Data).
2. Attached herewith for your information and retention are copies of additional reports and memoranda pertaining to the above reference.
3. In addition to the above material, motion picture and still photography was accomplished on various phases of the initial pre-evacuation surveys and on the reception of natives at Kwajalein. Contact black and white prints of the still photography are being prepared as further material to document the native evacuation effort. These prints will not be of professional quality and will be forwarded primarily to indicate the over-all photographic coverage. Distribution will be made approximately 30 April 1954, availability of prints permitting distribution to the following only: C/S USA (ExAgt), DMA (AEC), DBM (AEC), HICOMTERPACIS, CINCPAC, CINCPACFLT, CHAFSWP, COMNAVSTAKWAJ. Additional prints in specific sizes and quality, and motion picture coverage, may be procured in accordance with Annex T to CJTF SEVEN Operation Order 3-53. Particular attention is invited to paragraph 2b, Annex T covering Distribution and Control of photographic materials by the Atomic Energy Commission and the Department of Defense.

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1. Report by CO USS PHILIP, Ser 001, subj: Evacuation of Rongelap and Ailinginae Atolls on 3 Mar 54, dtd 5 Mar 54. ✓
2. Report by CO USS RENSHAW, Ser 038, subj: Report of Evacuation of Natives, Utirik Atoll, 4 Mar 54, dtd 18 Mar 1954. ✓
3. Report by CO USS NICHOLAS, (and 1st Ind by CTG 7.3, Ser 0698 dtd 25 Mar 54), basic ltr ser 049, subj: Radsafe Survey 8-11 Mar 54, dtd 20 Mar 54. ✓
4. Report by CO USS NICHOLAS, Ser 054, subj: Report of Rongelap Survey Trip, 25-26 Mar 54, dtd 28 Mar 54. ✓
5. Memo for CJTF SEVEN, subj: DDE Trip to Rongelap Atoll 26 Mar 54, dtd 30 Mar 54. ✓
6. M/R: Miscellaneous Radsafe Surveys of Rongerik. ✓
7. M/R: Kwajalein NYOO Flight ABLE Results. ✓
8. Drinking Water Samples (Analysis Report). ✓
9. Soil Samples (Analysis Report). ✓

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