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Dear Dr. Renard:

This responds to your September 23, 1997, letter in which you requested Department of Energy (DOE) assistance in helping to declassify a 2 page list of documents relating to radioactive fallout in the Republic of the Marshall Islands. As you mentioned in your letter, classified versions of those documents exist at the Los Alamos National Laboratory and the Department of Defense Nuclear Information and Analysis Center (DASIAC) located at Kirtland Air Force Base in Albuquerque, New Mexico. You also indicated that you had searched the DOE's OpenNet database for unclassified versions of these documents and were unable to find any.

To assist your research, we requested the DOE's Coordination and Information Center (CIC) to search their holdings for unclassified versions of the documents you requested. CIC was able to find 13 out of the 30 requested. This letter transmits for your review copies of these 13 unclassified documents that were available at and have been provided by the CIC.

After your review, we will be most interested to find out if the data you need is indeed included within the declassified versions of these 13 documents.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "R. T. Bell".

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