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Dear Mr. Pevec:

This is in response to your letter of September 28, 1998, in which you requested data on measured radionuclide concentrations in soil at each island at Enewetak, measured radiation fields on each island, and radionuclide concentrations in aquatic and terrestrial biota.

The Office of International Health Programs (EH-63) has discussed your request with Dr. William Robison at the Lawrence Livermore National Laboratory (LLNL). Dr. Robison advises us that the basic data requested is published in the NVO-213 report entitled "Enewetak Radiological Support Project - Final Report, September 1982." This is document number 18 in box 1 of the boxes of hard copy documents sent to Minister Phillip Muller in Majuro, Marshall Islands, and Ambassador Banny de Brum at the Republic of the Marshall Islands (RMI) Embassy in Washington, D.C. The report is available electronically on EH-63's website, which has full text search capability. You may access the document following the instructions provided to you by Mr. Tom Bell on October 2, 1998.

Dr. Robison also advises us that he has additional data for the islands on the eastern side of Enewetak Atoll, which is supplementary to the larger database of data contained in NVO-213. Once refined, EH-63 plans to publish this data in a report to the Enewetak people that was discussed at the October 5, 1998, meeting. Dr. Robison expects to have this report to you early in 1999 so that it can be discussed with the community.

I trust that this is responsive to your needs.

Sincerely,

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