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11 August 1959

MEMORANDUM FOR THE RECORD

SUBJECT: Functioning of Equipment Safeguard Unit

1. On 4 August 1959 and I functioned Equipment Safeguard Unit No. 8 at the ERDL Testing Grounds. This unit has been stored for almost a year and the purpose of the test was to see if it functioned properly.

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2. The rotor on the Safeguard Unit was turned halfway by hand then pulled remotely with a wire to the fire position. Both boosters fired after a delay of 36 seconds. The ambient temperature was 68°F.

3. The unit was examined afterwards and showed no signs of moisture leakage and the functioning was normal.

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File: Destructor, Sys.,

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