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Dear Dr. Simon:

Attached is a copy of BNL's January 3, 1990 transmittal to me of 40 Pu analyses of individuals who had "high" readings from previous samples. This fission track etch procedure continues to improve in quality assurance aspects and we believe this reinforces closure of Pu as a health hazard issue for Rongelap.

We will continue to keep you apprised as further results become available.

Original Signed by  
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Enclosure:  
As stated

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