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MEMORANDUM FOR THE RECORD

SUBJECT : Concurrence in Definitive Contract No. BE-2022 with Westinghouse Electric Corporation, Project [redacted] (RAINBOW).

1. This memorandum contains a recommendation submitted for approval of the Project Director. Such recommendation is set forth in Paragraph 5.

2. Definitive Contract No. BE-2022 replaces Letter Contract No. BE-2022 and Amendments Nos. 1 and 2 thereto, and provides for theoretical studies, experiments and laboratory tests in the field of electromagnetic radiation in connection with Project RAINBOW.

3. The letter contract obligated \$150,000 chargeable to Fiscal Year 1957 AQUATONE funds. No additional funds are being obligated under this definitive contract. The contract is a cost-plus-a-fixed-fee type and provides for performance of work to 30 June 1958. The estimated cost of the contract is [redacted] of the estimated cost exclusive of fixed-fee.

4. Complete agreement has not been reached with the Contractor regarding the extent to which patent rights will pass to the Government; however, in the interest of definitizing the contract, the patent clause has been amended as set forth in Clause 35 to provide that full and absolute title will pass to the Government. This is being brought to the Contractor's attention and it is anticipated that a mutually satisfactory clause will be negotiated in the near future.

5. Approval of Definitive Contract No. BE-2022 and execution thereof on behalf of the Agency by the authorized Project Contracting Officer is recommended.

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CONCURRENCES:

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[redacted]  
Contracting Officer

SIGNED [redacted] 1/17/58  
Project Comptroller

Approval requested in Paragraph 5, granted.

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RICHARD M. BISSELL, JR.  
Project Director

General Counsel [redacted] 1/17/58

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