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DATE: January 18, 1965SUBJECT: AEC/LGO Study of Natural Radioactivity in the Waters
of the Amazon *SCI ma*REF : Deptel 898 of 1/6/65; Embtel 1415 of 1/8/65;
Deptel 915 of 1/11/65 *sci*

Pursuant to instructions received, the Embassy informed the Brazilian AEC of the planned study and of the offer of the results thereof. This was done by telephone prior to dispatching Embtel 1415.

In further conversations on this topic in the afternoon of January 8, on the occasion of a visit of this reporting officer to the CNEN, Dr. Helio Bittencourt, Executive Assistant to the CNEN Chairman, said that he was sure that they could obtain the services of the Brazilian Air Force in transporting the equipment to the desired point on the Amazon and of returning both equipment and samples to Belém for reshipment to LGO, should this be considered desirable.

Dr. Bittencourt said further that the CNEN would be happy to receive the results of the mission.

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