Pursuant to section 142d of the Atomic Energy Act of 1954, you determine that the following information can be published without undue risk to the common defense and security and can therefore be declassified and removed from the Formerly Restricted Data category:

The fact that the Cannikin event was a proof test of the W71 warhead for the Spartan missile system.

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SUBJECT: Classification Bulletin, WNP-113

The attached Classification Bulletin, WNP-113, revises classification guidance for weapon number associations for two nuclear tests. This bulletin will be incorporated into the next change or revision to TCG-WT-1, Joint DOE/DoD Topical Classification Guide – Weapon Testing (U), and other guides as required.

If you have any questions or comments, please contact Glen D. Krc at (301) 903-1805 or Edith A. Chalk at (301) 903-1185.

Attachment
Declassified Weapon Number Associations for Two Nuclear Tests

The following guidance implements the declassification decisions of March 14, 2007, and revised topics 1511.6 and 1511.8 in TCG-WT-1, Joint DOE/DoD Topical Classification Guide – Weapon Testing (U):

1500 Association of Events

1510 With specified weapon

1511 When weapon is the source

1511.6 Swordfish event (5/11/62) identified as proof test for an antisubmarine rocket (ASROC) W44 system

1511.8 Cannikin event (11/6/71) identified as proof test of W71 warhead for Spartan missile

The guidance in this bulletin will be incorporated into the next revision of TCG-WT-1 and other guides as required.

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