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Letter relating to Agency safeguards

On 5 March 1962 the Director General, pursuant to a decision taken by the Board on 28 February, addressed a letter to the Governor from Japan cancelling those provisions of the letter of 24 March 1959[1] that relate to the safeguards against diversion applicable to the JRR-3 research reactor project. The text of the new letter is reproduced in this document for the information of all Members.

[1] INFCIRC/3, part II.

LETTER FROM THE DIRECTOR GENERAL TO THE GOVERNOR FROM JAPAN
RELATING TO SAFEGUARDS AGAINST DIVERSION FOR THE
RESEARCH REACTOR PROJECT JRR-3

2 March 1962

Sir,

With reference to the Project Agreement of 24 March 1959 between the Agency and your Government concerning the JRR-3 reactor, to the Agency's letter on initial safeguards of that date, and to the consultations with your Government after the approval by the Board of Governors of the Agency on 31 January 1961 of the Agency's safeguards system, I have the honour to inform you that the Board of Governors has decided to cancel, with immediate effect, further Agency safeguards against diversion with respect to the project. This decision was reached in view of the fact that the amount of PN natural uranium in Japan, within the meaning of paragraph 21 of the Agency's document INFCIRC/26, did not, due to the material supplied under the Project Agreement, exceed the limit stated in paragraph 32(a)(i) of the cited document.

With assurances of my highest esteem,

(signed) Sigvard Eklund
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