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AEC Operations Division
Attention: A. A. Curtis

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Chief, Department of Engineering, Los Alamos Scientific Laboratory

Underground Chamber No. 2, TA-33

REFERENCE: LAB-A-5

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1. This is to request, for Group M-3, the construction of an underground concrete chamber and timbered elevator shaft, together with 550' of chain-link fencing and other necessary surface work, as noted on the attached five prints of Photo A5-128.

2. The estimated cost of this job is $80,000, but this expense should be charged off as operating expense, rather than as part of the construction budget, since the entire job will be expended as part of the experimental program of the Laboratory.

3. The M-Division people have requested that the job be completed by October 15, 1948 at the latest, so a prompt issuance of a final planning authorization will be much appreciated.

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