

the deficiencies resulted from the contractors' production practices or from the Government's design specifications, and (3) consideration be given to taking disciplinary measures against management officials whose actions in this matter were not prudent. We recommend also that the Secretary of Defense bring this report to the attention of management officials within the military departments and emphasize their responsibilities for determining the adequate performance of equipment before recommending or approving items for volume production.

"SCOPE OF REVIEW

"Our review included an examination of the records and reports relative to the testing, procurement, use, modification, and disposition of this equipment within the Department of the Army for the period from April 1954 to September 1963. Our review was made at the United States Army Electronics Materiel Agency, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, and the United States Army Electronics Materiel Support Agency, Fort Monmouth, New Jersey.

"PRINCIPAL MANAGEMENT OFFICIALS OF THE DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE AND THE DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY RESPONSIBLE FOR ADMINISTRATION OF ACTIVITIES DISCUSSED IN THIS REPORT

	Tenure	
	From—	To—
DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE		
Secretary of Defense:		
Robert S. McNamara.....	January 1961.....	Present.
Thomas S. Gates, Jr.....	December 1959.....	January 1961.
Neil H. McElroy.....	October 1957.....	December 1959.
Charles E. Wilson.....	January 1953.....	October 1957.
Assistant Secretary of Defense (Installations and Logistics):		
Thomas D. Morris.....	January 1961.....	Present.
Perkins McGuire.....	January 1957.....	January 1961.
DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY		
Secretary of the Army:		
Cyrus R. Vance.....	July 1962.....	Present.
Elvis J. Stahr, Jr.....	January 1961.....	June 1962.
Wilber M. Brucker.....	July 1955.....	January 1961.
Robert T. Stevens.....	February 1953.....	July 1955.
Assistant Secretary of the Army (Installations and Logistics):		
Paul R. Ignatius.....	May 1961.....	Present.
Unfilled.....	January 1961.....	May 1961.
Courtney Johnson.....	April 1959.....	January 1961.
Frank Higgins.....	August 1954.....	April 1959.
Chief of Staff, U.S. Army:		
Gen. Earle G. Wheeler.....	October 1962.....	Present.
Gen. George H. Decker.....	October 1960.....	September 1962.
Gen. Lyman L. Lemnitzer.....	July 1959.....	October 1960.
Gen. Maxwell D. Taylor.....	June 1955.....	June 1959.
Gen. Matthew B. Ridgway.....	July 1953.....	June 1955.
Deputy Chief of Staff (Logistics):		
Lt. Gen. R. W. Colglazier, Jr.....	July 1959.....	Present.
Lt. Gen. Carter B. Magruder.....	May 1955.....	June 1959.
Lt. Gen. Williston B. Palmer.....	October 1952.....	April 1955.
Commanding general, U.S. Army Materiel Command: Lt. Gen. Frank S. Besson, Jr.....	July 1962.....	Present.
Commanding general U.S. Army Electronics Command:		
Maj. Gen. Frank W. Moorman.....	August 1963.....	Do.
Maj. Gen. Stuart S. Hoff.....	August 1962.....	August 1963.
Chief signal officer:		
Maj. Gen. E. F. Cook.....	do.....	Present.
Maj. Gen. Ralph T. Nelson.....	May 1959.....	August 1962.
Maj. Gen. John D. O'Connell.....	May 1955.....	April 1959.
Maj. Gen. George I. Back.....	May 1951.....	May 1955.
Commanding general, U.S. Army Electronics Materiel Agency (formerly U.S. Army Signal Supply Agency):		
Brig. Gen. Wesley C. Franklin.....	September 1963.....	Present.
Brig. Gen. Allen T. Stanwix-Hay.....	August 1962.....	September 1963.
Col. Douglas O. Toft.....	June 1962.....	August 1962.
Brig. Gen. Charles S. Hays.....	November 1960.....	May 1962.
Brig. Gen. Elmer L. Littel.....	June 1957.....	November 1960.
Brig. Gen. William D. Hamlin.....	August 1956.....	June 1957.
Brig. Gen. William L. Bayer.....	October 1954.....	July 1956.
Brig. Gen. James S. Willis.....	May 1953.....	September 1954."