

Extract from Minutes of Meeting held on -

The ATLAS Project

Proposals on the Operation of the Computer - Paper NI/61/11

4. (g) With reference to the organisation proposed in the paper, Dr. Pickavance pointed out that it was proposed that the head of the Laboratory would report direct to the NIRNS Atlas Computer Committee, and not, for example, through the Director of the Rutherford Laboratory. The proposal that administrative services should be provided by the Rutherford Laboratory was questioned but it was decided to leave points of this kind for consideration after appointment of the head of the Laboratory. It was agreed that detailed proposals on the delegation of financial powers would have to be made. These would include certain powers for the head of the Laboratory with higher limits after consulting the Chairman of the NIRNS Atlas Computer Committee. Still larger amounts would go through the NIRNS General Purposes Committee.