## Entire Cities to Be Evacuated

## Soviet H-Bomb Claim Changes U, S. Civil Defense Policy

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The policy crisis within the Federal Civil Defense Administration has been building upever since President Eisenhower appointed Gov. Val Peterson to head up our lagging civil defense-refort. Melenkov's dramatic announcement, whether true or false, precipitated the issue in FCDA.

The issue was simply this:

Could a civil defense be geared

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However, if we establish an early warning system in the