CONTRACTS FOR ABM DISMANTLING ARE GIVEN

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The Army has awarded two contracts totalling \$8,750,757 for support of the Perimeter Acquisition Radar (PAR) and for dismantlement work at the Safeguard ABM complex near Langdon, ND, according to Sen. Milton Young (R-ND).

Western Electric Company received a contract for \$6,644,628, with portions of the work to be performed by General Electric Company, Syracuse, NY, Western Electric, Greensboro, NC, and Bell Telephone, Madison, NJ. Approximately 27.5 percent of the contract will be performed in North Dakota.

The other contract, for \$2,086,129, was awarded to Federal Electric Corporation, Paramus, NJ, and a subcontract to Pan America Airways, a firm providing logistical support at the ABM site.

These contracts, the Army said, are for work to be carried out during the transitional quarter which ends September 30.