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SUBJECT: COMANCHE PEAK STEAM ELECTRIC STATION (CPSES), UNITS 1 AND 2 -  
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EVALUATION REGARDING THE RESOLUTION OF THE HYDRAULIC  
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Sincerely,

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