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 of USIs A-9 & A-44 & provides current forecast refuel dates.

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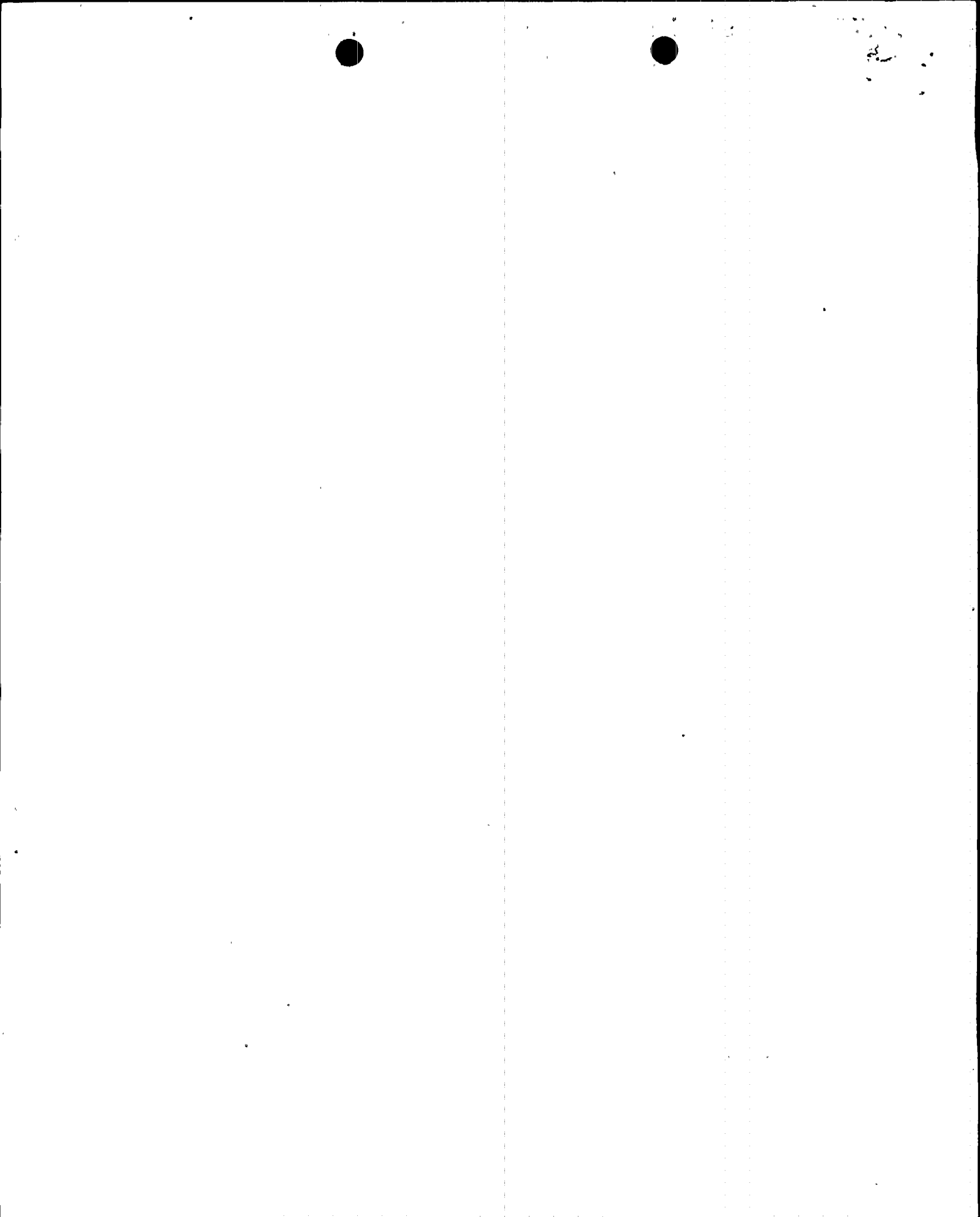
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- References:
- (1) Letter from W. F. Conway, APS, to Document Control Desk, NRC, "Information Concerning Status of Implementation of Unresolved Safety Issues," dated November 27, 1989
 - (2) Letter from Sheri R. Peterson, NRC, to William F. Conway, APS, "Unimplemented Unresolved Safety Issues at Palo Verde Nuclear Generating Station (TAC No. 75438)," dated March 16, 1990
 - (3) Letter from Terence L. Chan, NRC, to W. F. Conway, APS, "Response to Generic Letter 89-19, 'Safety Implication of Control Systems in LWR Nuclear Power Plants,' PVNGS (TAC Nos. 74975, 74976 and 74977)," dated May 9, 1990

Dear Sirs:

Subject: Palo Verde Nuclear Generating Station (PVNGS)
Units 1, 2, and 3
Unimplemented Unresolved Safety Issues
File: 90-056-026

Arizona Public Service Company (APS) has reviewed Reference 2 concerning unimplemented unresolved safety issues (USIs) and concurs that USIs A-9 and A-44 have not been fully implemented at PVNGS. However, the implementation dates listed are inconsistent with the PVNGS forecast dates. This disparity may have occurred because the USI implementation dates provided to the staff by APS in Reference 1 were in terms of refueling outages without calendar dates.

The attachment to this letter reiterates our schedule for implementation of USIs A-9 and A-44 and provides the current forecast refueling dates.

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In the Safety Evaluation Report transmitted by Reference 3, the staff has determined that USI A-47 is no longer an issue for PVNGS.

If you have any questions regarding this clarification, please contact R. A. Bernier of my staff at (602) 340-4295.

Sincerely,



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Attachment

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ATTACHMENT

Schedule for Implementation of Incomplete USIs

<u>USI</u>	<u>Title</u>	<u>Estimated Implementation Date</u>
A-9	Anticipated Transients Without Scram (ATWS)	Unit 1 - Third Refueling Unit 2 - Third Refueling Unit 3 - Second Refueling
A-44	Station Blackout	Unit 1 - Fourth Refueling Unit 2 - Fourth Refueling Unit 3 - Third Refueling

Forecast Refueling Dates

U-1	Third Refueling	:	June, 1992
	Fourth Refueling	:	December, 1993
U-2	Third Refueling	:	January, 1992
	Fourth Refueling	:	July, 1993
U-3	Second Refueling	:	September, 1991
	Third Refueling	:	March, 1993

