



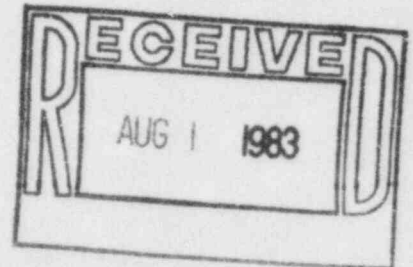
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July 22, 1983
Fort St. Vrain
Unit #1
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Mr. John T. Collins
Regional Administrator
U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
611 Ryan Plaza Dr., Suite 1000
Arlington, TX 76012

Attn: James Montgomery



SUBJECT: FSV Protected Area
Accountability

REFERENCE: I & E Inspection 82-14
Report

Dear Mr. Collins:

In response to Open Item 267/8214-01 concerning personnel accountability during a radiological emergency, Public Service Company has undertaken to replace the security card reader system to make it more conducive to personnel accountability requirements.

It had been anticipated that the new card reader system could be in place by July 31, 1983. However, as you are aware, we have been experiencing a great deal of difficulty with equipment failures in our existing card reader system. Due to these failures, it has been necessary to divert manpower into maintaining the existing system rather than to completing the new system. We have temporarily supplemented our staff with additional personnel to cope with this problem.

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Because of this situation, it now appears that the installation and testing of the new card reader system can not be completed until August 31, 1983. If you have any questions in this regard, please contact Mr. Charles Fuller of my staff at (303) 785-2224.

Very truly yours,

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