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Division of Safeguards and Transportation  
U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission  
Washington, D.C. 20555  
ATTN: Mr. Charles MacDonald

Docket No. 50-267

SUBJECT: EVALUATION OF SPENT FUEL SHIPPING ROUTE

REFERENCE: 1) NRC Letter, MacDonald to Crawford dated  
September 10, 1990 (G-90216)

Dear Mr. MacDonald:

In the past, you indicated that routes approved for spent fuel transportation should be reviewed annually if a shipping campaign did not commence during the previous year.

Public Service Company of Colorado requests that the Nuclear Regulatory Commission evaluate the proposed route described in the attachment, and approve it for highway transport of Fort St. Vrain spent reactor fuel in accordance with 10CFR73.37(b)(7).

As previously provided in Reference 1), Public Service Company of Colorado would appreciate continued NRC assistance with: (1) identification of those portions of the route for which escorts through urban areas are required; (2) arrangements with law enforcement agencies to respond to an emergency or call for assistance; (3) identification of "safe havens"; (4) recommended locations for food and fuel stops and, (5) an evaluation of communications along the approved route.

Enclosed is the application fee payment of \$150.00 required under fee Category 12 of 10CFR170.31.

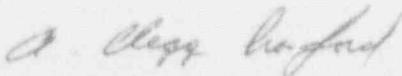
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If you have any questions, please contact Mr. M. H. Holmes at  
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Sincerely,



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Attachment

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Proposed Highway Route for Spent Fuel Transportation

From

Fort St. Vrain Nuclear Generating Station

to

Idaho National Engineering Laboratory

Weld County Road (WCR) 19 1/2 south to WCR 34;  
West on WCR 34 to WCR 19;  
South on WCR 19 to Colorado 66;  
West on Colorado 66 to I-25;  
North on I-25 to I-80 at Cheyenne, Wyoming;  
West on I-80 to I-84;  
North on I-84 to I-15 at Ogden, Utah;  
North on I-15 to US 26;  
Northwest on US 26 to US 20;  
West on US 20 to Idaho National Engineering Laboratory.

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