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U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
ATTN: Document Control Desk
Washington, D.C. 20555

ATTN: Mr. Michael F. Weber, Chief
Decommissioning and
Regulatory Issues Branch

Docket No. 50-267

SUBJECT: Updated Fort St. Vrain Final Survey Plan for Site Release

- REFERENCES:
1. NRC Letter, Pittiglio to Crawford, dated January 26, 1995 (G-95020)
 2. PSCo Letter, Warembourg to Austin, dated February 17, 1994 (P-94019)
 3. PSCo Letter, Warembourg to Austin, dated September 21, 1994 (P-94080)
 4. PSCo Letter, Fisher to Austin, dated January 11, 1995 (P-95005)
 5. PSCo Letter, Fisher to Austin, dated January 20, 1995 (P-95011)

Dear Mr. Weber:

In Reference 1, the Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) approved the Fort St. Vrain (FSV) Final Survey Plan for Site Release, as supplemented by Public Service Company of Colorado (PSCo) in responses to several NRC requests for additional information (RAIs). PSCo submitted the Final Survey Plan in Reference 2, and submitted supplements to the Plan in response to RAIs in References 3, 4 and 5. In Reference 1, the NRC requested that PSCo provide an updated version of the Final Survey Plan that incorporates the supplemental information.

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The Updated Final Survey Plan is included as Attachment 1 to this letter, for your information. The Plan has been updated to reflect information submitted to the NRC in References 3, 4, and 5. Although PSCo was unable to finalize revisions to the Plan by April 15, 1995, as originally requested, this delay was previously discussed with Messrs. Pittiglio, Fauver and Evans of the NRC.

The original Plan (Reference 2), along with several RAI responses, made reference to the CNTTIME computer program for determination of minimum detectable activities (MDAs). Since PSCo and SEG have decided to determine MDAs using equation 4.1 of the Plan, which is based on methodology described in NUREG/CR-5849 (draft for comment published June, 1992), references to the CNTTIME computer program have been deleted. Other changes have been made to the Plan, considered to be of a non-technical nature, for purposes of clarification, removing redundancy and improving consistency.

If you have any questions regarding the Updated Final Survey Plan, please contact Mr. M. H. Holmes at (303) 620-1701.

Sincerely,

Mary J. Fisher by J. Borst

Mary J. Fisher
Decommissioning Program Director

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Attachment

cc: w/attachment

Regional Administrator, Region IV

Mr. Robert M. Quillin, Director
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Colorado Department of Public Health and Environment

ATTACHMENT TO PSCo LETTER P-95050

UPDATED FINAL SURVEY PLAN FOR SITE RELEASE

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