



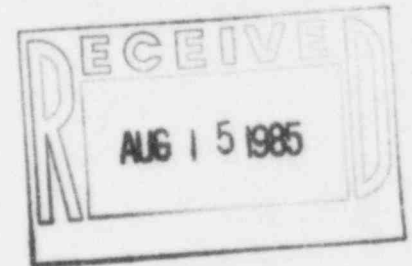
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Regional Administrator
Region IV
U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
611 Ryan Plaza Drive, Suite 1000
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Attn: Mr. Eric H. Johnson

Docket No. 50-267

SUBJECT: Notice of Deviation -
Emergency Electrical Power
System

- REFERENCES: 1) NRC Letter dated 7/17/85
Johnson to Lee (G-85285)
2) PSC Letter dated 6/14/85
Warembourg to Johnson
(P-85208)
3) NRC Letter dated 7/10/85
Johnson to Lee (G-85268)

Dear Mr. Johnson:

Public Service Company (PSC) has received your letter dated July 17, 1985 (Reference 1) concerning the Notice of Deviation pertaining to the Emergency Electrical Power System independence relative to an FSAR commitment.

In our letter dated June 14, 1985 (Reference 2), PSC committed to perform an evaluation on postulated single failure points compromising the independence of the Emergency Diesel Generators within 90 days. The results of this evaluation will be provided to the NRC staff. Since the evaluation is currently underway and not yet complete, an assessment cannot at this time be made as to the extent of what corrective actions may result. In Reference 2, PSC also committed to provide an implementation schedule for any design changes resulting from the evaluation.

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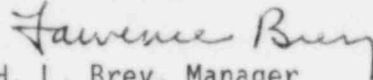
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The NRC staff has issued a Safety Evaluation on the FSV Emergency Electrical Power System, dated July 10, 1985 (Reference 3). The Safety Evaluation concludes that plant operation may continue without undue risk to the health and safety of the public in the interim period, until any necessary modifications are implemented.

Should you have any questions concerning this matter, please contact Mr. M. H. Holmes at (303) 571-8409.

Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Lawrence Brey".

H. L. Brey, Manager
Nuclear Licensing and Fuels Division

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