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In the Matter of
Texas Utilities Generating Electric, et al.
(Comanche Peak Steam Electric Station, Units 1 and 2)
Docket Nos. 50-445 and 50-446 OL

Dear Administrative Judges:

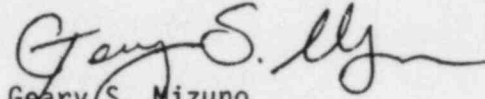
The Staff has received "CASE's Proposal Regarding Design/Design QA in Response to Applicants' 6/28/85 Current Management Views and Management Plan for Resolution of All Issues" (August 15, 1985) ("CASE's Proposal"). The Staff considers CASE's Proposal to be a supplement to "CASE's Initial Response to Applicants' 6/28/85 Current Management Views and Management Plan for Resolution of all Issues" (July 29, 1985) which responds to Applicants' Management Plan of June 28, 1985. Accordingly, the Staff does not intend to respond to CASE's Proposal. Insofar as CASE's Proposal urges that litigation of pipe support design and design QA issues be continued under the old theory of the case, the Staff opposes such a proposal, as reflected in the "NRC Staff Response to Applicants' Statement of Current Views and Proposed Case Management Plan" (August 2, 1985) ("Staff Response"). In the Staff Response, the Staff agreed with Applicants that litigation should now focus on the CPRT Program Plan. Staff Response, pp. 5-12.

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On another matter, the Staff does not intend to file a response on "CASE's Motion for Reconsideration of Board's 7/22/85 Memorandum and Order (Motions Related to the MAC Report)" (August 5, 1985), which concerns a discovery dispute between CASE and Applicants.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Geary S. Mizuno".

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