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**SUBJECT: COMANCHE PEAK STEAM ELECTRIC STATION (CPSES)-UNIT 1
DOCKET NOS. 50-445
REVISED SCHEDULE FOR INSTALLATION OF N-16
DETECTORS ON MAIN STEAM LINES**

REF: 1) TXU Electric Letter, logged TXX-99139, from C. L. Terry to NRC
dated June 14, 1999

Gentlemen:

The above referenced letter was issued in response to a request for additional information regarding a License Amendment Request for the implementation of the 1.0 Volt Steam Generator Tube Repair Criteria. This License Amendment Request was subsequently approved and issued as License Amendment 70 for the CPSES Operating Licenses. The above reference response included the following statement:

Procedures and methods are in place to allow for the detection of primary to secondary leakage through the SG's. For a rapidly propagating leak, the Condenser Off Gas monitors and the Steam Generator Blowdown monitors will be used. For a slow propagating leak, the Condenser Off Gas Monitors and chemistry grab samples will be used. Main steam line N-16 detectors are currently scheduled to be installed by March 31, 2000.

During the month of March 2000, TXU Electric realized that the installation of the Main steam line N-16 detectors was not feasible for the time period promulgated to the NRC via the referenced letter.

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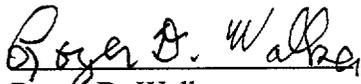
On or about April 17, 2000, this issue was orally communicated to the NRC staff. A new date of August 31, 2000 was suggested to the staff. The new completion date of August 31, 2000, is being extended to the end of November 2000 due to resource restraints.

This communication contains no new licensing basis commitments regarding CPSES Units 1 and 2.

Should you require additional information regarding this subject, please contact Obaid Bhatti at (254) 897- 5839.

Sincerely,

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