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Dear Sir:

Subject:

Palo Verde Nuclear Generating Station (PVNGS)

Units 1, 2, and 3

Docket Nos. STN 50-528/529/530

Annual Radioactive Effluent Release Report for 2000

In accordance with PVNGS Technical Specification (TS) 5.6.3, enclosed please find the Annual Radioactive Effluent Release Report for 2000. In accordance with PVNGS TS 5.5.1, the enclosed report also includes Revision 15 of the Offsite Dose Calculation Manual (ODCM), which was implemented in 2000.

The enclosed report is being submitted electronically on CD-ROM as allowed by NRC RIS 2001-05 "Guidance on Submitting Documents to the NRC by Electronic Exchange or on CD-ROM," dated January 25, 2001.

No commitments are being made to the NRC in this letter. If you have any questions, please contact Thomas N. Weber at (623) 393-5764.

Sincerely,

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