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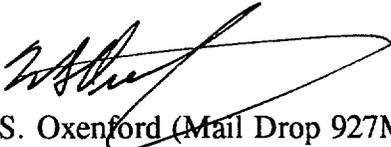
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Gentlemen:

Subject: **COLUMBIA GENERATING STATION OPERATING LICENSE NPF-21
MONTHLY OPERATING REPORT
JULY 2001**

Transmitted herewith is the Monthly Operating Report for the month of July 2001 as required by Technical Specification 5.6.4.

Respectfully,



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Plant General Manager

Attachment

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OPERATING STATUS REPORT
for Columbia Generating Station

Date: August 1, 2001

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|-----|--|---------|-----------|-------------|
| 1. | Docket: 50-397 | | | |
| 2. | Reporting Period: July 2001 | | | |
| 3. | Utility Contact: Patricia Campbell (509) 377-4664 | | | |
| 4. | Design Electrical Rating (Net MW _e): | | | 1153 |
| 5. | Maximum Dependable Capacity - summer (Net MW _e): | | | 1107 |
| | | MONTH | YEAR | CUMULATIVE |
| 6. | Hours Reactor Critical | 617.6 | 4,043.0 | 107,479.3 |
| 7. | Hours Generator On-Line | 596.9 | 3,916.6 | 104,196.5 |
| 8. | Unit Reserve Shutdown Hours | 0.0 | 0.0 | 3,274.7 |
| 9. | Net Electrical Energy (MWH) | 595,523 | 4,161,652 | 102,182,708 |
| 10. | Challenges to safety/relief valves: | | | None |

UNIT SHUTDOWNS

DOCKET NO.: 50-397
 UNIT NAME: Columbia Generating Station
 DATE: August 1, 2001
 COMPLETED BY: P. Campbell
 TELEPHONE: (509) 377-4664

REPORT PERIOD: July, 2001

| No. | Date | Type | Duration (Hours) | Reason (1) | Method of Shutting Down(2) | Cause / Corrective Actions |
|--------|---------|---------------------------|---------------------|------------|----------------------------------|--|
| | | F: Forced S: Scheduled | | | | Comments |
| 01-002 | 7/26/01 | F | 122.77 | A | 2 | Columbia Generating Station planned a shutdown to replace the upper seal on the Reactor Recirculation Pump 1B. |

SUMMARY: The plant remained shutdown for the remainder of the month.

(1) REASON

A - Equipment Failure
 B - Maintenance or Test
 C - Refueling
 D - Regulatory Restriction
 E - Operator Training &
 License Examination
 F - Administration
 G - Operational Error
 H - Other

(2) METHOD

1 - Manual
 2 - Manual Trip/Scram
 3 - Auto Trip/Scram
 4 - Continuation
 5 - Other (Explain)