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Ref: 10CFR 50.72(b)(2)(xi) EPP 5.2.4

CPSES-200202455 Log # TXX-02118

June 19, 2002

U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission ATTN: Document Control Desk Washington, DC 20555

SUBJECT: COMANCHE PEAK STEAM ELECTRIC STATION (CPSES)

DOCKET NOS. 50-445 AND 50-446

TRANSMITTAL COPY OF A NON-COMPLIANCE NOTIFICATION

REPORT TO THE TEXAS NATURAL RESOURCE

CONSERVATION COMMISSION (TNRCC)

REF: 1) TXU Energy Letter, logged TXX-02117, from J.J. Kelley, Jr. to TNRCC, Non-Compliance Notification Report for Comanche Peak

Steam Electric Station, dated June 13, 2002

## Gentlemen:

On June 6, 2002, approximately 350 gallons of sewage sludge was released into Squaw Creek Reservoir (cooling lake body for the facility) due to equipment damage. Actions were taken to mitigate the consequences of the event. Since the sewage sludge reached receiving waters, this incident was reported to the TNRCC-DFW Regional Office, Solid Waste Division at approximately 1610 hours. Other Reportability requirements identified that a written report was to be generated and delivered to the TNRCC within five days, and the NRC to be telephoned and advised of the event within 24 hours and a copy of the report be forwarded to the NRC. The NRC Operations Center was advised of the event at 1220 CDT in accordance with 10CFR50.72 and Environmental Protection Plan requirements.

On June 13, 2002, the five day written report was submitted to TNRCC identifying the specifics concerning exceeding permitted limits for the specified outfall and was delivered to the state agency.





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This letter transmits to the NRC a copy of the non-compliance notification report that was sent to the TNRCC in accordance with CPSES's Environmental Protection Plan, section 4.1 and section 5.4.2.

Attachment 1 contains the report as sent to the Texas Natural Resource Conservation Commission as transmitted via TXX-02117. If you have any further inquires or questions please contact Mr. Rutledge at 214-812-8477 or Mr. Turner at 254-897-8901.

TXU Generation Company LP

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James J. Kelley Jr. Vice President

June 13, 2002

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Texas Natural Resource Conservation Commission Region 4 2301 Gravel Drive Fort Worth, Texas 76118-6951

Attn: Ms. Shannon G. Kennedy

**Environmental Investigator** 

Comanche Peak Steam Electric Station TPDES Permit # 001854 Non-Compliance Notification

Dear Ms. Kennedy:

Attached is a non-compliance notification concerning the release of sewage sludge which was reported to you in a telephone notification on 6 June 2002 by Mr. David Rutledge of TXU Environment, Health and Safety Department.

If you have any questions concerning this matter, please contact Mr. Rutledge at 214-812-8477 or by e-mail at d.rutledge@txu.com.

Sincerely,

James J. Kelley, Jr.

By: Gerald R. Johnson

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Attachment

## TXU ELECTRIC COMPANY NON-COMPLIANCE NOTIFICATION

PLANT NAME: Comanche Peak Steam Electric Station

TPDES PERMIT #

01854

EPA ID#

TX0065854

LOCATION:

On the west side of Squaw Creek Reservoir along FM Road

56 and approximately four (4) miles northwest of the City

of Glen Rose, Somervell County, Texas.

MAILING ADDRESS:

1601 Bryan Street

Dallas, Texas 75201-3411

RESPONSIBLE MANAGER:

Randy Morrison

PHONE:

(817) 897-5590

OUTFALL:

003/003 - Sanitary Sewage Effluents

DISCHARGE PARAMETER: Sludge Release

DATE/TIME OF -

NON-COMPLIANCE: 06/06/2002

15:00

EXPLANATION OF CAUSE: A sewage sludge clean-out connection was Inadvertently damaged with a Bobcat while attempting to remove storm water runoff sediment from a drainage ditch near the Domestic Waste Treatment Building. Approximately 350 Gallons of sludge was released from the broken connection. about 50 gallons is believed to have reached the Squaw Creek Reservoir.

The immediate response was the construction of CORRECTIVE ACTION: earthen dikes to contain the released sludge, and then it was pumped back into the treatment system. Site is investigating additional stabilization of the nearby embankment to further reduce the sediment contribution to the drainage ditch, thus eliminating/ reducing the necessity to clean sediments from this area.

06/13/2002

SIGNED:

GENERATION ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGER

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