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U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission ATTN: Document Control Desk Washington, D.C. 20555-0001

Subject:

COLUMBIA GENERATING STATION, DOCKET NOS. 72-35 & 50-397

REGISTRATION OF SPENT FUEL CASK USE

Dear Sir or Madam:

Energy Northwest operates the Columbia Generating Station (Columbia) Independent Spent Fuel Storage Installation (ISFSI) in accordance with the general license provisions of 10 CFR 72.210. The requirements of 10 CFR 72.212(b)(1)(ii) include the registration of a spent fuel cask within 30 days of using a cask for the storage of spent nuclear fuel. Accordingly, Energy Northwest provides the following registration information associated with the HI-STORM 100 spent fuel cask system placed into storage in the Columbia ISFSI on October 28, 2002.

Columbia Operating License:

NPF-21

Cask Certificate:

72-1014-1

Cask Model:

HI-STORM 100S

MPC Serial Number

MPC-68 022

Overpack Serial Number

HI-STORM 100S (243) -20

Number of Fuel Bundles

68

Total Cask Systems Stored

In the Columbia ISFSI

3 HI-STORM 100 Casks

If you have any questions about this letter or our dry cask handling operations under the general license provisions of 10 CFR 72.210, please contact Mr. Steve Scammon, ISFSI Project Program Manager, at (509) 377-4280.

Respectfully

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