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Gentlemen:

**MONTHLY OPERATING REPORT  
HOPE CREEK GENERATING STATION  
DOCKET NO. 50-354**

In compliance with Section 6.9, Reporting Requirements for the Hope Creek Technical Specifications, the operating statistics for **April 2003** are being forwarded.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Lon Waldinger".

Lon Waldinger  
Operations Director

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DOCKET NO.: 50-354  
 UNIT: Hope Creek  
 DATE: 5/5/03  
 COMPLETED BY: F. Todd  
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Reporting Period April 2003

**OPERATING DATA REPORT**

**Design Electrical Rating (MWe-Net)**  
**Maximum Dependable Capacity (MWe-Net)**  
  
**No. of hours reactor was critical**  
**No. of hours generator was on line (service hours)**  
**Unit reserve shutdown hours**  
**Net Electrical Energy (MWH)**

<b>1083</b>		
<b>1049</b>		
<b>Month</b>	<b>Year-to-date</b>	<b>Cumulative</b>
<b>356</b>	<b>2316</b>	<b>123431</b>
<b>355</b>	<b>2230</b>	<b>121048</b>
<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>352710</b>	<b>2272677</b>	<b>122751368</b>

**UNIT SHUTDOWNS**

NO.	DATE	TYPE F=FORCED S=SCHEDULED	DURATION (HOURS)	REASON (1)	METHOD OF SHUTTING DOWN THE REACTOR (2)	CORRECTIVE ACTION/ COMMENT
1	4/15/03 - 4/31/03	S	364	C	1	Refueling Outage (RF11)

**(1) Reason**

- A - Equipment Failure (Explain)
- B - Maintenance or Test
- C - Refueling
- D - Regulatory Restriction
- E - Operator Training/License Examination
- F - Administrative
- G - Operational Error (Explain)
- H - Other

**(2) Method**

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

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DATE: 5/5/03  
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**Summary Of Monthly Operating Experience**

- On April 15<sup>th</sup> , the unit was taken offline for the planned refueling outage