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June 21, 2004

Mr. Gregg Overbeck Senior Vice President Arizona Public Service Company 5801 S. Wintersburg Road Tonopah, Arizona 85354-7529

SUBJECT: PALO VERDE NUCLEAR GENERATING STATION, UNITS 1, 2, AND 3 -REQUEST FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION RE: SECURITY PLAN SECTIONS 10-19 (TAC NOS. MC2950, MC2951, AND MC2952)

Dear Mr. Overbeck:

In response to the April 29, 2003, Orders revising the design basis threat, you submitted revised physical security plans, safeguards contingency plans, and guard training and qualification plans, including an implementation schedule, for Palo Verde Nuclear Generating Station, Units 1, 2, and 3. The Nuclear Regulatory Commission staff is reviewing your submission and has determined that a request for additional information (RAI) is necessary in order to complete its evaluation based on its review of Sections 10 through 19 of your physical security plan. We discussed the enclosed RAI with Mr. Scott Bauer of your staff during a telephone call on June 10, 2004. Please respond to the enclosed RAI within 10 days from

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please contact me at (301) 415-3498.

Sincerely,

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Brian Benney, Project Manager Security Plan Review Team Project Directorate II Division of Licensing Project Management Office of Nuclear Reactor Regulation

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