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Subject:

COLUMBIA GENERATING STATION, DOCKET NO. 50-397;

RESPONSE TO REQUEST FOR PLANT-SPECIFIC INFORMATION

IN SUPPORT OF THE BROOKHAVEN SDP NOTEBOOK

ENHANCEMENT/STANDARDIZATION EFFORT

- References: 1) Letter dated September 2, 2004, NRC (M. Tschiltz) to Energy Northwest (AT Chiang), "Transmittal Of Revision 1 Significance Determination Process Risk-Informed Inspection Notebook and Information Request for Next Revision"
 - 2) Letter dated October 28, 2004, GO2-04-188, Energy Northwest (DK Atkinson) to NRC, "Confirmation of Verbal Agreement for Extension of Response Due Date"

Dear Mr. Tschiltz:

In Reference 1, NRC requested that Energy Northwest provide plant-specific information to support the Brookhaven National Laboratory's (BNL) significance determination process (SDP) notebook enhancement/standardization effort. The BNL effort will result in the issuance of revision 2 of the SDP notebooks. NRC also requested that Energy Northwest provide any comments we might have on revision 1 of the SDP notebooks.

The NRC requested our response be provided on a compact disk (CD) within 30 days of receipt of the request. Following verbal agreement, Energy Northwest committed to respond by December 15, 2004 (reference 2). This letter transmits the requested information contained in the enclosed CD.

Please withhold the information from public disclosure in accordance with Section 2.390(d) of Title 10 of the Code of Federal Regulations (10 CFR 2.390).

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If you have any questions or require additional information regarding this matter, please contact me at (509) 377-4342.

Respectfully,

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Enclosure: Compact Disk - Response to Request for Columbia Plant-Specific

Information for SDP Notebooks

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