10 CFR 50.55a



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Dear Sirs:

Subject: Palo Verde Nuclear Generating Station (PVNGS) Unit 3, Docket No. STN 50-530 Third 10-Year Interval, First Period, Second Outage: **Owner's Activity Report Number U3R15**

Pursuant to 10 CFR 50.55a and in accordance with the American Society of Mechanical Engineers (ASME) Boiler and Pressure Vessel Code Case N-532-4, Arizona Public Service Company (APS) hereby submits the Owner's Activity Report (Form OAR-1) for Unit 3 refueling outage 15 (U3R15). The outage ended on November 10, 2010.

No commitments are being made to the NRC by this letter. Should you need further information regarding this submittal, please contact Russell A. Stroud, Licensing Section Leader, at (623) 393-5111.

Sincerely,

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Enclosure: Unit 3 Fifteenth Refueling Outage Owner's Activity Report, Report U3R15

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Unit 3

Fifteenth Refueling Outage Owner's Activity Report

Report U3R15

FORM OAR-1 OWNER'S ACTIVITY REPORT

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Report Number: 3R15						
Plant: Palo Verde Nuclear Generating Station, 5801 S. Wintersburg Road, Tonopah, Arizona 85354-7529						
Unit No.: 3 (if applicable) Commercial service date: Jan 8, 1988 Refueling Outage No.: 15						
Current inspection interval 3rd						
Current inspection period1st						
Edition and Addenda of Section XI applicable to the inspection plans 2001 Edition through 2003 Addenda						
Date and revision of inspection plans3/24/2009 - Revision 0						
Edition and Addenda of Section XI applicable to repair/replacement activities, if different than the inspection plansSame						
Code Cases used: N-532-4, N-685						
(if applicable)						
CERTIFICATE OF CONFORMANCE						
I certify that (a) the statements made in this report are correct; (b) the examinations and tests meet the Inspection Plan as required by the ASME Code, Section XI; and (c) the repair/replacement activities and evaluations supporting the completion of <u>3R15</u> (refueling outage number)						
Folley, Roy Digitally signed by Folley, Roy C(Z07131) Digitally signed by Folley, Roy Signed C(Z07131)						
CERTIFICATE OF INSERVICE INSPECTION						
I, the undersigned, holding a valid commission issued by the National Board of Boiler and Pressure Vessel Inspectors and the State or Province of <u>Arizona</u> and employed by <u>HSB CT</u> of <u>Hartford, Connecticut</u> have inspected the items described in this Owner's Activity Report, and state that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, the Owner has performed all activities represented by this report in accordance with the requirements of Section XI. By signing this certificate neither the Inspector nor his employer makes any warranty, expressed or implied, concerning the repair/replacement activities and evaluation described in this report. Furthermore, neither the Inspector nor his employer shall be liable in any manner for any personal injury or property damage or a loss of any kind arising from or connected with this inspection.						
Hogstrom, Digitally signed by Hogstrom, Robert (YH2450) Robert (YH2450) Reason: I have reviewed this document Date: 2011.01.06 09:36:15-07:00' (Inspector's Signature) Commissions NB 9685 "A, N, I, C" Az 264 National Board, State, Province, and Endorsements						
Date: Jan 6, 2011						
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Palo Verde Nuclear Generating Station Table 1 Items with flaws or relevant conditions that required evaluation for continued service

Examination	ltem	Description Evaluation		
Category	Number	of Work	Description	
		None		

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Palo Verde Nuclear Generating Station Table 2 Abstract of repair/replacement activities required for continued service

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	item	Description	Date	Repair/Replacement
Code Class	Description	of Work	Completed	Plan Number
3	ESP PUMP SPBP01 TO DG CLGWTR HT EXCH DGB-E01 3PSPBL032	Perform weld buildup of corroded area due to coating failure	10/29/2010	Work Order # 3547711
2	VALVE, GLOBE FOR LETDOWN BACK PRESSURE CONTROL 3JCHEPV0201P	Replace control Valve due to erosion/cavitation damage(1")	11/11/2009	Work Order # 3287990
1	STEAM GENERATOR 2 3MRCEE01B	Install hot leg tube plugs	11/1/2010	Work Order # 3533514
1	STEAM GENERATOR 2 3MRCEE01B	Install cold leg tube plugs	10/29/2010	Work Order # 3533516
3	ESS & DG HT EXCH DGB/EWBE01 TO TRAIN B SPRAY POND 3PSPBL025	Weld build up. Rework eroded areas	11/1/2010	Work Order # 3491911
2	VALVE, GLOBE SG 2 DOWNCOMER BLDWN SAMPLE LINE ISOL 3JSGAUV0223	Body to bonnet seal weld leak CRDR 3394017 (< 1")	11/17/2010	Work Order # 3391684
3	DG B AIR INTERCOOLER A 3MDGBE01A, 3MDGBE01B	Repair corroded areas	10/29/2010	Work Order # 3312611
3	ECWS HT EXCH B 3MEWBE01	Repair corroded area	10/29/2010	Work Order # 3475802
2	FEEDWATER HEADER TO STEAM GENERATOR RCEE01B 3PSGEL014	Replace piping spool S-001	11/8/2010	Work Order # 3381628
мс	FEEDWATER PENETRATION 3MSGEU12	Remove surface flaws	10/19/2010	Work Order # 3545185