



UNITED STATES
NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, D. C. 20555

January 29, 1980

Mr. Richard Fouke
Citizens for Fair Utility
Regulation (CFUR)
1668-B Carter Drive
Arlington, TX 76010

In the Matter of
Texas Utilities Generating Company, et al.
(Comanche Peak Steam Electric Station, Units 1 and 2)
Docket Nos. 50-445 and 50-446

Dear Mr. Fouke:

In your request for information and documents dated August 25, 1979, you requested several reports which, as our response stated, had not yet been issued. In particular, you requested reports related to the NRC staff determination on whether the March 28, 1979, accident at Three Mile Island (TMI)-2 constitutes an "extraordinary nuclear occurrence" (ENO), as defined by the Commission's regulations, 10 CFR Part 140, §§ 140.84 and 140.85. You also requested reports of the NRC Special Inquiry Group investigating the TMI-2 accident. These reports have recently been issued. A Federal Register notice of January 4, 1980, (45 Fed. Reg. 1180) announced that the panel making the determination on whether TMI-2 constitutes an "ENO" has completed its investigation, evaluation and analysis. The findings of the panel are contained in NUREG-0637, "Report to the Nuclear Regulatory Commission from the Staff Panel on the Commission's Determination of an Extraordinary Nuclear Occurrence (ENO)." Copies of the Federal Register notice and NUREG-0637 are enclosed. On January 24, 1980, the NRC Special Inquiry Group issued "A Report To The Commissioners and To The Public." We understand that this report will be made available to you and all parties in NRC adjudicatory proceedings as part of a "Board Notification." If this is not the case, we will provide you with a copy of the report.

Sincerely,

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Enclosure: As stated

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