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Docket No. 50-508

Washington Public Power Supply System P. O. Box 958 Richland, Washington 99352

Attention: Mr. N. O. Strand Managing Director

Gentlemen:

- Subject: Final Report on Deficiency Involving Omission of Vertical Reinforcing Steel in Fuel Handling Building Wall 3FHW006362.5, WNP-3
- Reference: WPPSS Letter from N. O. Strand to R. H. Engelken of January 31, 1980, Subject: WPPSS Nuclear Project No. 3, Reportable Deficiency, 10CFR50.55(e), Defect/Noncompliance Report No. 008.

Thank you for your letter, referenced above, which forwarded a final report pursuant to 10CFR50.55(e) regarding the subject matter.

Your report has been reviewed and evaluated. We have no further questions on this matter at this time. Accordingly, we concur with the resumption of work on the subject wall. Implementation of the corrective actions will be examined during a future inspection.

Your cooperation with us is appreciated.

Sincerely,

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R. H. Engelken Director

