April 26, 1982

Docket: 50-267/82-06

Public Service Company of Colorado ATTN: O. R. Lee, Vice President Electric Production Post Office Box 840 Denver, Colorado 80201

Gentlemen:

This refers to the inspection conducted by Mr. J. P. Jaudon of our staff during the periods March 8-12 and 22-26, 1982, of activities authorized by NRC Facility Operating License DPR-34 for the Fort St. Vrain Generating Station, and to the discussion of our findings with Messrs. D. Warembourg and J. Gahm and other members of your staff at the conclusion of the inspection.

Areas examined during the inspection and our findings are discussed in the enclosed inspection report. Within these areas, the inspection consisted of selective examination of procedures and representative records, interviews with personnel, and observations by the inspector.

During this inspection, it was found that certain of your activities were not conducted in full compliance with NRC requirements. Consequently, you are required to respond to these matters, in writing, in accordance with the provisions of Section 2.201 of the NRC's "Rules of Practice," Part 2, Title 10, Code of Federal Regulations. Your response should be based on the specifics contained in the Notice of Violation enclosed with this letter.

One new unresolved item is discussed in paragraph 4 of the enclosed report.

We have also examined actions you have taken with regard to previously identified inspection findings. The status of these items is identified in paragraph 2 of the enclosed report.

In accordance with 10 CFR 2.790(a), a copy of this letter and the enclosures will be placed in the NRC Public Document Room unless you notify this office, by telephone, within 10 days of the date of this letter and submit written application to withhold information contained therein within 30 days of the date of this letter. Such application must be consistent with the requirements of 2.790(b)(1).

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The responses directed by this letter and the accompanying Notice are not subject to the clearance procedures of the Office of Management and Budget as required by the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1980, PL 96-511.

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Should you have any questions concerning this inspection, we will be pleased to discuss them with you.

Sincerely,

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G. L. Madsen, Chief Reactor Project Branch 1

Enclosures: 1. Appendix A - Notice of Violation 2. Appendix B - NRC Inspection Report 50-267/82-06

cc w/enclosures: Fort St. Vrain Generating Station ATTN: D. W. Warembourg, Manager Nuclear Production Post Office Box 368 Platteville, Colorado 80601

J. W. Gahm, Quality Assurance Manager (same address)

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