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Gentlemen:

Subject: Hope Creek Generating Station
Docket No. 50-354
License Change Request LCR 94-06
Inservice Leak and Hydrostatic Testing Exception

By letter dated March 4, 1994, Public Service Electric and Gas Company submitted the subject amendment request to the Nuclear Regulatory Commission. The proposed changes would revise the Index, Table 1.2, "OPERATIONAL CONDITIONS," Section 3/4.10 "Special Test Exceptions," and the Bases. The addition of Technical Specification 3/4.10.8, "Inservice Leak and Hydrostatic Testing," permits testing with reactor coolant temperatures up to 212°F. The proposed changes also require that secondary containment be operable.

The New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection and Energy's Bureau of Nuclear Engineering (BNE) reviewed the above amendment in accordance with the requirements of 10CFR50.91(b) and has no comments.

If you have any questions, please contact Suren Singh at (609) 987-2039 or Rich Pinney at (609) 987-2086.

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