



Portland General Electric Company

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Trojan Nuclear Plant
Docket 50-344
License NPF-1

U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
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Dear Sirs:

Fuel Building Modifications

By letter dated August 31, 1989, "Trojan Nuclear Plant Long-Term Pipe Support Design Verification Program", Portland General Electric Company (PGE) reported to the Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) that under the Design Verification Program, the evaluation of the Fuel Building had confirmed and quantified code overstresses existing under seismic and tornado loading conditions. By letter dated September 29, 1989, "Design Verification Program - Fuel Building Action Plan", PGE submitted details of an action plan to resolve the overstress conditions and committed to complete modifications to restore the Fuel Building structural steel framing allowable stress levels by December 1, 1990.

By telephone conversation on November 8, 1990, PGE informed Mr. Roby Bevan of the NRC staff that the completion date for the Fuel Building modifications would be extended. Although the modification work is in progress, an extension of the completion date to January 31, 1991, is necessary because unforeseen difficulties in engineering the modification designs delayed starting the modifications and a shortage of available labor is impacting the rate at which the modifications can be made.

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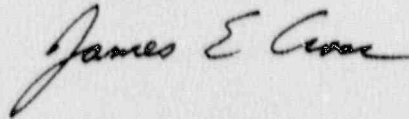
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PGE would be pleased to discuss further any questions the NRC staff has concerning this extension.

Sincerely,



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