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Dear Mr. Crawford:

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REQUEST FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

FORT ST. VRAIN

PROPOSED DECOMMISSIONING PLAN

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These comments are directed to the Fort St. Vrain (FSV) Proposed Decommissioning Plan dated November 5, 1990, by the Public Service Company of Colorado (PSC). Our initial review has determined that significant information is missing from that plan as discussed below.

1. As stated in our July 25, 1990 request for additional information (RAI) on the FSV Preliminary Decommissioning Plan, the cost estimate must include the cost of each major technical action/activity and the waste disposal cost for each activity. Neither the August 27, 1990 PSC response to those questions nor the PSC November 5, 1990 Proposed Decommissioning Plan included the necessary level of detail for cost information required by 10 CFR 50.82(b)(4). Similarly other cost estimate deficiencies identified in our July 25, 1990 RAI were not resolved in either of the PSC submittals.
2. The proposed Decommissioning Plan does not adequately address the ALARA principle and controls, procedures and equipment to protect employees and the public health and safety during decommissioning as required by 10 CFR Part 20 and 10 CFR 50.82(b)(2).