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In the Matter of
 Texas Utilities Generating Company, et al.
 (Comanche Peak Steam Electric Station, Units 1 and 2)
 Docket Nos. 50-445 and 50-446

Dear Administrative Judges:

Counsel for NRC Staff has recently been made aware of a memorandum dated March 22, 1983 from Richard W. Krimm, Assistant Associate Director, Office of Natural and Technological Hazards, Federal Emergency Management Agency ("FEMA") to Edward C. Jordan, Director, Division of Emergency Preparedness and Engineering Response, Office of Inspection and Enforcement, NRC. The memorandum sets forth FEMA's confirmation that three areas of concern regarding emergency preparedness for CPSES have been satisfactorily resolved. This memorandum is provided to the Board for its information.

Sincerely,

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 Counsel for NRC Staff

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MEMORANDUM FOR: Edward L. Jordan
Director, Division of Emergency Preparedness
and Engineering Response
Office of Inspections and Enforcement
U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission

FROM: 
Richard W. Krimm
Assistant Associate Director
Office of Natural and Technological Hazards

SUBJECT: Comanche Peak Testimony Before ASLB, September 17, 1982

This memorandum is in response to a telephone request by Mr. David M. Rohrer, of your organization, concerning disposition of three areas of unresolved Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) testimony resulting from Atomic Safety and Licensing Board (ASLB) hearings held September 17, 1982, in Fort Worth, Texas, on Comanche Peak.

FEMA Region VI has confirmed that the three areas of concern have been satisfactorily resolved as follows.

1. The first area of concern is on page 5709 of the transcript from the ASLB hearings. It concerns testimony that the State plan did not reflect that a letter had been obtained from Hood County Hospital agreeing to treat individuals injured onsite at Comanche Peak. Also, the plan did not indicate that Hood County Hospital was a county-owned hospital. (Testimony at the hearing by State personnel reflected that Hood County Hospital is indeed a county-owned hospital and, as such, letters of agreement were not needed.)

The State has since changed its State plan to reflect that Hood County Hospital is a county-owned hospital and, as such, letters of agreement are not required.

2. The second area of concern is on pages 5715-16 of the transcript of the ASLB hearings. It concerns the fact that the State plan did not contain a satisfactory list of hospitals with capabilities to treat radiological contaminated persons.

Since the hearings, the State has incorporated a list of hospitals capable of treating radiological contaminated persons in the plan.

3. The third area of concern is on pages 5717-18 of the transcript from the ASLB hearings. It concerns the fact that the county plans (Hood and Somervell) did not have letters of agreement from ambulance companies that would assist Comanche Peak in case of an accident.

Ambulance service for Comanche Peak will be provided by county-owned ambulances and, as such, will not require letters of agreement.

I trust that this information will be useful in closing out the NRC Safety Evaluation Report.

I would prefer that this type of request be sent in writing to me rather than direct to the FEMA Region.