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Donnie H. Grimsley, Director Division of Freedom of Information & Publications Service U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission Washington, D. C. 20553

Dear Mr. Grimsley:

This is a re west pursuant to the Freedom of Information Act, 5 U.S.C. 552, and 0 CFR Part 9 for NRC documents relating to Palo Verde Units 1, 2 & 3, and more particularly described below.

For the purpose of this request, the term "document" means all memoranda, letters, filings, testimony, exhibits, contracts, transcripts, minutes, notes, drafts, studies, analyses, reports, maps, diagrams, charts, books, articles, pictures, printouts, tapes, or other written, graphic, or computerized information in any form which constitutes agency records under the Freedom of Information Act.

The documents we are requesting can more particularly be described as:

- All documents which relate in any way to the \$125,000 civil penalty issued to the Arizona Public Service Company on October 16, 1990 and related to emergency lighting requirements at the three Palo Verde nuclear plants.
- All documents dated after 1/1/88 reporting, discussing, analyzing, summarizing or in any other form addressing investigations, inquiries, inspections, or other federal government exploration of issues directly or indirectly related to the emergency lighting system at the Palo Verde nuclear Plants.

Pursuant to 5 U.S.C. § 552(a)(6), a response to this request is required in ten days. We are willing to pay all necessary search and copy fees associated with this request. Please notify

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the undersigned at (202) 887-4558 if these fees are expected to exceed \$450.00. If any portion of this request is denied, please provide a detailed explanation of the reasons for the denial, as required by 5 U.S.C. § 552(a)(6).

Sincerely,

Bradley W. Jones