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In Reply Refer To: Docket: 50-267

Public Service Company of Colorado ATTN: O. R. Lee, Vice President Electric Production P.O. Box 840 Denver, Colorado 80201

Dear Mr. Lee:

This letter is to confirm the commitments made in an Enforcement Conference between you and members of your staff, Mr. John T. Collins, Regional Administrator, on October 12, 1983, regarding diesel generator test requirements in Technical Specification 4.6.1.

We understand that you are preparing revisions to the electrical portions of your Technical Specifications to include, among other items a revision to LCO 4.6.1, and that these will be submitted to the NRC prior to the end of your next refueling outage. In the interim, you have committed to the following actions:

- When a diesel generator is found or rendered inoperable, the other diesel generator shall be tested within 1 hour. This satisfies the "immediate" test required by your Technical Specifications.
- 2. If the second diesel generator has been tested for operability, and determined to be operable, within the preceding 8-hour period from the time of finding the first diesel generator inoperable, then the second diesel generator can be assummed to be operable for the purposes of LCO 4.6.1. This does not relax the normal surveillance interval.
- 3. The length of time that a diesel generator should be operated to prove operability shall be determined by your plant operations review committee based on the recommendations of the diesel manufacturer. This determination shall be forwarded to the Regional Administrator.

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If our understanding of your planned actions described above is not in accordance with your actual plans and actions being implemented, please contact this office by telephone (817) 860-8100 within 24 hours.

Sincerely,

"Unginal Signed bys J. T. COLLINS"

John T. Collins Regional Administrator

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