TEXAS UTILITIES GENERATING COMPANY

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COMANCHE PEAK STEAM ELECTRIC STATION FLOODING CONCERNS QA FILE: CP-84-17, SDAR-141 FILE NO.: 10110

Dear Mr. Johnson:

In accordance with 10CFR50.55(e), we are submitting the enclosed report of actions taken to correct a deficiency regarding flooding levels. This item was previously reported to your Mr. Doyle Hunnicutt on July 17, 1984.

Supporting documentation is available at the CPSES site for your Inspectors review.

Very truly yours,

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Flooding Concerns

Description

During an engineering damage study analysis regarding an unrelated issue, the flooding levels resulting from fire suppression were established at twenty-two (22) and twelve (12) inches, respectively, for Rooms 113 and 115 A & B in the Electrical Control Building (Elevation 778'-0"). The sump pumps for these rooms are commonly located in Room 113 without provisions to isolate sump overflow from the sump pump of Rooms 115 A & B.

As a result of the installed configuration, the flooding level of the room with the lower level (Rooms 115 A & B at 12") could be exceeded as a result of sump overflow.

Safety Implications

A flooding level in excess of twelve (12) inches could incapacitate safetyrelated HVAC equipment (water chillers) essential to safe plant shutdown and operation.

Corrective Action

TUGCO has completed a reanalysis of flooding as a possible result of backflow from sump overflow. Engineering resolutions to isolate the affected drains (precluding flooding) have been prescribed and should be implemented no later than August 30, 1984.