Docket: 50-445

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Gentlemen:

SUBJECT: EXAMINATION REPORT, COMANCHE PEAK STEAM ELECTRIC STATION (CPSES)

On March 6-7 and April 5-7, 1984, NRC administered examinations to employees of your company who had applied for licenses to operate your CPSES facility. At the conclusion of the examinations, the examination questions and preliminary findings were discussed with those members of your staff identified in the enclosed report. Your attention is directed to Section 3.C, page 6, in the enclosed report. There was a noticeably high failure rate among candidates taking the examination for a second time, particularly Senior Operator candidates. Licensee staff personnel are encouraged to evaluate this occurrence to determine if an underlying problem exists in the training program. This area will receive further NRC attention during the next scheduled examination period.

In accordance with 10 CFR 2.790(a), a copy of this letter and the enclosed report will be placed in the NRC Public Document Room unless you notify this office, by telephone, within 10 days of the date of this letter, and submit written application to withhold information contained therein within 30 days of the date of this letter. Such application must be consistent with the requirements of 2.790(b)(1).

Should you have any questions concerning this letter, please contact us.

Sincerely,

"Original Signed By: D. R. HUNTER's

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Enclosure: Examination Report

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