



UNITED STATES
NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

REGION IV

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Docket Nos. 50-445
 50-446
License No. NPF-87
Construction Permit No. CPPR-127

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Gentlemen:

SUBJECT: NRC INSPECTION REPORT NOS. 50-445/92-24; 50-446/92-24 (NOTICE OF VIOLATION)

This refers to the inspection conducted by Messrs. W. B. Jones, G. E. Werner, and C. E. Johnson during the period June 7 through July 18, 1992. The inspection included a review of activities authorized for the Comanche Peak Steam Electric Station, Units 1 and 2. At the conclusion of the inspection, the findings were discussed with you and those members of your staff identified in the enclosed report.

Areas examined during the inspection included plant status, followup on corrective actions for violations, licensee event report followup, onsite event followup, operational safety verification, maintenance observation, and surveillance observation. Within these areas, the inspection consisted of selective examination of procedures and representative records, interviews with personnel, and observation by the inspectors.

Based on the results of this inspection, certain of your activities appeared to be in violation of NRC requirements, as specified in the enclosed Notice of Violation (Notice). The violation is of concern because it closely parallels an earlier failure described in NRC Inspection Report 50-445/92-20; 50-446/92-20 to initiate an Operations Notification and Evaluation Form and it was not prevented by the immediate corrective actions implemented as a result of that report.

You are required to respond to this letter and should follow the instructions specified in the enclosed Notice when preparing your response. In your response, you should document the specific actions taken and any additional actions you plan to prevent recurrence. After reviewing your response to this Notice, including your proposed corrective actions and the results of future inspections, the NRC will determine whether further NRC enforcement action is necessary to ensure compliance with NRC regulatory requirements.

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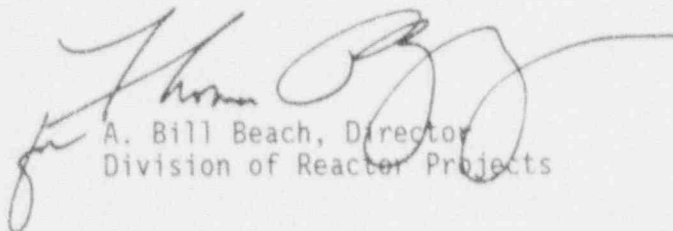
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In accordance with 10 CFR Part 2.790 of the NRC's "Rules of Practice," a copy of this letter, its enclosures, and your response to this letter, will be placed in the NRC Public Document Room.

The response directed by this letter and the enclosed Notice are not subject to the clearance procedures of the Office of Management and Budget as required by the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1980, Pub. L. No. 96-511.

Should you have any questions concerning this inspection, we will be pleased to discuss them with you.

Sincerely,



A. Bill Beach, Director
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Enclosures:

1. Appendix A - Notice of Violation
2. Appendix B - NRC Inspection Report
50-445/92-24; 50-446/92-24

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