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APPENDIX A

NOTICE OF VIOLATION

TU Electric
Comanche Peak Steam Electric
Station (CPSES)

Docket Nos. 50-445
50-446
License Nos. DPR-51
NPF-6
Construction Permit CPPR-127

During an NRC inspection conducted on July 27-31, 1992, one violation of NRC requirements was identified. The violation involved inadequate access control to a vital area. In accordance with the "General Statement of Policy and Procedure for NRC Enforcement Actions," 10 CFR Part 2, Appendix C, the violation is listed below:

Inadequate Access Control - Vital Area

License Condition 2.H of the CPSES, Unit 1, Facility Operating License states in part, "TU Electric shall fully implement and maintain in effect all provisions of the physical security plan . . . previously approved by the Commission . . ."

Paragraph 6.2 of the physical security plan identifies the control room as a separate vital area, and paragraph 6.3 requires that access to vital areas be via doors that are normally locked and alarmed.

Contrary to the above, the inspectors discovered on July 28, 1992, that the shared control room, a vital area, could be accessed in a manner that bypassed the locked and alarmed doors.

This is a Severity Level IV violation (Supplement III) (445/9230-01).

Pursuant to the provisions of 10 CFR 2.201, TU Electric is hereby required to submit a written statement or explanation to the Regional Administrator, Region IV, with a copy to the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, ATTN: Document Control Desk, Washington, D.C. 20555, within 30 days of the date of the letter transmitting this Notice of Violation (Notice). This reply should be clearly marked as a "Reply to a Notice of Violation" and should include for each violation: (1) the reason for the violation, or, if contested, the basis for disputing the violation, (2) the corrective steps that have been taken and

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the results achieved, (3) the corrective steps that will be taken to avoid further violations, and (4) the date when full compliance will be achieved. If an adequate reply is not received within the time specified in this Notice, the Commission may issue an Order or Demand for Information as to why such other action as may be proper should not be taken. Where good cause is shown, consideration will be given to extending the response time.

Dated at Arlington, Texas
this 17th day of August 1992

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