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Director of Nuclear Reactor Regulation
Attention: Mr. B. J. Youngblood, Chief
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Washington, D.C. 20555

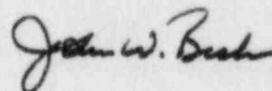
SUBJECT: COMANCHE PEAK STEAM ELECTRIC STATION
DOCKET NOS. 50-445 AND 50-446
VISUAL WELD INSPECTION CRITERIA

Dear Sir:

By letter dated December 14, 1984, the Nuclear Construction Issues Group (NCIG) transmitted to the NRC, copies of a report entitled "Visual Weld Acceptance Criteria For AWS Structural Welding At Nuclear Power Plants". This report was submitted on behalf of the NCIG member utilities for review and acceptance by the NRC Staff.

As a NCIG member, Texas Utilities Generating Company (TUGCO) is extremely interested in the expeditious NRC review of this document. TUGCO is currently in the process of developing procedures and providing training for welding inspectors. It is anticipated that the Visual Weld Acceptance Criteria (VWAC) will be implemented into CPSES Unit 1 and 2 construction activities immediately upon NRC staff acceptance.

Respectfully,



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