

Mr. William G. Council
Executive Vice President
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Dear Mr. Council:

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AT NUCLEAR POWER PLANTS"

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The information you provided is being used to determine the extent of industry participation and implementation of erosion/corrosion inspection programs and to obtain data on observed pipe wall thinning. The staff does not plan to determine the adequacy or the acceptability of your program at this time. As such no further plant-specific action with respect to the Bulletin is required.

We will notify you should there be any future action that may be required regarding the subject of Pipe Wall Thinning. Should you have any questions please contact Melinda Malloy at (301)492-0738.

Sincerely,

Christopher I. Grimes, Director
Comanche Peak Project Division
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