APPENDIX B

NOTICE OF DEVIATION

Public Service Company of Colorado Fort St. Vrain Nuclear Generating Station

Docket: 50-267 Operating License: DPR-34

Based on the results of an NRC inspection conducted on July 25 through August 5, 1988, a deviation of your commitments was identified. The deviation consisted of failure to notify the NRC of a decision not to meet a commitment made in response to a prior deviation. In accordance with the "General Statement of Policy and Procedure for NRC Enforcement Actions," 10 CFR Part 2, Appendix C (1988), the deviation is listed below:

The licensee, in a response dated September 10, 1985, to deviation 267/8516-01, committed to begin "... design of a new, larger records storage center for Fort St. Vrain in March of 1985. The New Records Storage Center will be housed in a building separate from the present records storage building, and connected to the present building only by an enclosed walkway between the two buildings. The new building will be used solely for records storage and the present building will be used as an office building with no records being permanently within it.

"In order to ensure that the new records storage center will meet the NRC requirements, . . . a letter will be sent to the NRC Once we have received NRC approval . . . we will proceed with ordering material and begin construction of the new building at the earliest reasonable time."

Contrary to the above, the licensee, in October 1986, indefinitely postponed construction of the new records storage facility and failed to inform the NRC of this change in a commitment. (267/8814-02)

Public Service Company of Colorado is hereby requested to submit to this office within 30 days of the date of the letter transmitting this Notice, a written statement or explanation in reply, including for each deviation: (1) the reason for the deviation if admitted, (2) the corrective steps which have been taken and the results achieved, (3) the corrective steps which will be taken to avoid further deviations, and (4) the date when full compliance will be achieved. Where good cause is shown, consideration will be given to extending the response time.

Dated at Arlington, Texas, this 2nd day of September 1988