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U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission ATTN: Document Control Desk Washington, D.C. 20555

Attention: Mr. Jose A. Calvo Director, Project Directorate IV

Docket No. 50-267

SUBJECT: Transmittal of Sixth Six-Month PCRV Tendon Interim Surveillance Report

REFERENCE: 1) PSC Letter, Warembourg to Calvo, cated January 8, 1988 (P=88002)

- 2) NRC Letter, Docket No. 50-267, Johnson to Lee, dated July 8, 1985 (G-85261)
- PSC Letter, Warembourg to Calvo, dated July 20, 1987 (P-87234)

Dear Mr. Calvo:

Please find enclosed the "PCRV Tendon Interim Surveillance Report" for Fort St. Vrain, dated August 1988.

In compliance with Reference (2), Item 2, the enclosed report presents and discusses the findings of the sixth six-month interim tendon surveillance program period. The report of findings of the fifth six-month interim surveillance period was submitted under the Reference (1) letter.

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Based upon continuing favorable surveillance results to date showing virtually no progression of tendon corrosion. PSC again respectfully requests NRC concurrence to convert to the proposed revised interim tendon surveillance program schedule as outlined and justified in the Reference (3) letter (Attachment 1). PSC believes it is very appropriate from a technical standpoint and prudent from a personnel safety standpoint (due to difficult accessibility with a heavy tendon jack) to convert to the proposed annual surveillance and reporting schedule. It is also PSC's desire to complete in a more timely fashion a surveillance on the remaining accessible tendons which have had no previous surveillance; the proposed revised schedule per Reference (3) is weighted to accelerate completion of these remaining surveillances.

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If you should have any questions concerning the current tendon surveillance report or the proposal for a revised interim tendon surveillance program, please contact Mr. M. H. Holmes at (303) 480-6960.

Very truly yours,

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Attachment

Enclosure

cc: w/Attachment & Enclosure: Regional Administrator, Region IV ATTN: Mr. T. F. Westerman Chief, Projects Section B

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