Docket No. 50-460

Mr. D. W. Mazur, Managing Director Washington Public Power Supply System 3000 George Washington Way P.O. Box 968 Richland, Washington 99352-0968

Dear Mr. Mazur:

SUBJECT: EMERGENCY RESPONSE CAPABILITY - CONFORMANCE TO REGULATORY

GUIDE 1.97, REVISION 3 FOR WASHINGTON PUBLIC POWER SUPPLY

SYSTEM NUCLEAR PROJECT NO. 1 (WNP-1)

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Our associated Safety Evaluation Report is enclosed.

Sincerely,
original signed by
Lester S. Rubenstein, Acting Director
Standardization and Non-Power
Reactor Project Directorate
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