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Nuclear Business Unit

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United States Nuclear Regulatory Commission
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Washington, DC 20555

**HOPE CREEK GENERATING STATION
DOCKET NO. 50-354
UNIT NO. 1
LICENSEE EVENT REPORT NO. 99-007-00**

Dear Sir:

This Licensee Event Report entitled, "License Condition Violation - Class-1E Battery Charging Operation," is being submitted pursuant to the requirements of Hope Creek Operating License Condition 2.F.

Sincerely,

Mark Bezilla
General Manager -
Hope Creek Operations

Attachment

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Attachment A

The following item represents the commitment that PSE&G is making to the NRC relative to LER 354/99-007-00:

1. The battery charging procedure will be revised to clarify the steps concerning the use of fuse protection while charging operable, Class-1E batteries. Training on the revised procedure will be provided to appropriate Maintenance Department personnel by August 31, 1999.
2. Personnel involved in this event will be held accountable for inappropriate actions in accordance with PSE&G procedures and policies by July 31, 1999.
3. The details of this event, including lessons learned, will be rolled out to appropriate Maintenance Department personnel by August 31, 1999.