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MEMORANDUM FOR: Vincent S. Noonan, Director
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FROM: L. Shao, Group Leader
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SUBJECT: STATUS OF NEW A-4 ALLEGATIONS

The enclosure summarizes the status of potential new allegations from alleger A-4 which were the subject of a memo from T. Westerman of Region IV dated October 23, 1985.

If Westerman has any questions on this subject, he can contact S. Hou and D. Jeng.

L. C. Shao
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Enclosure: As stated

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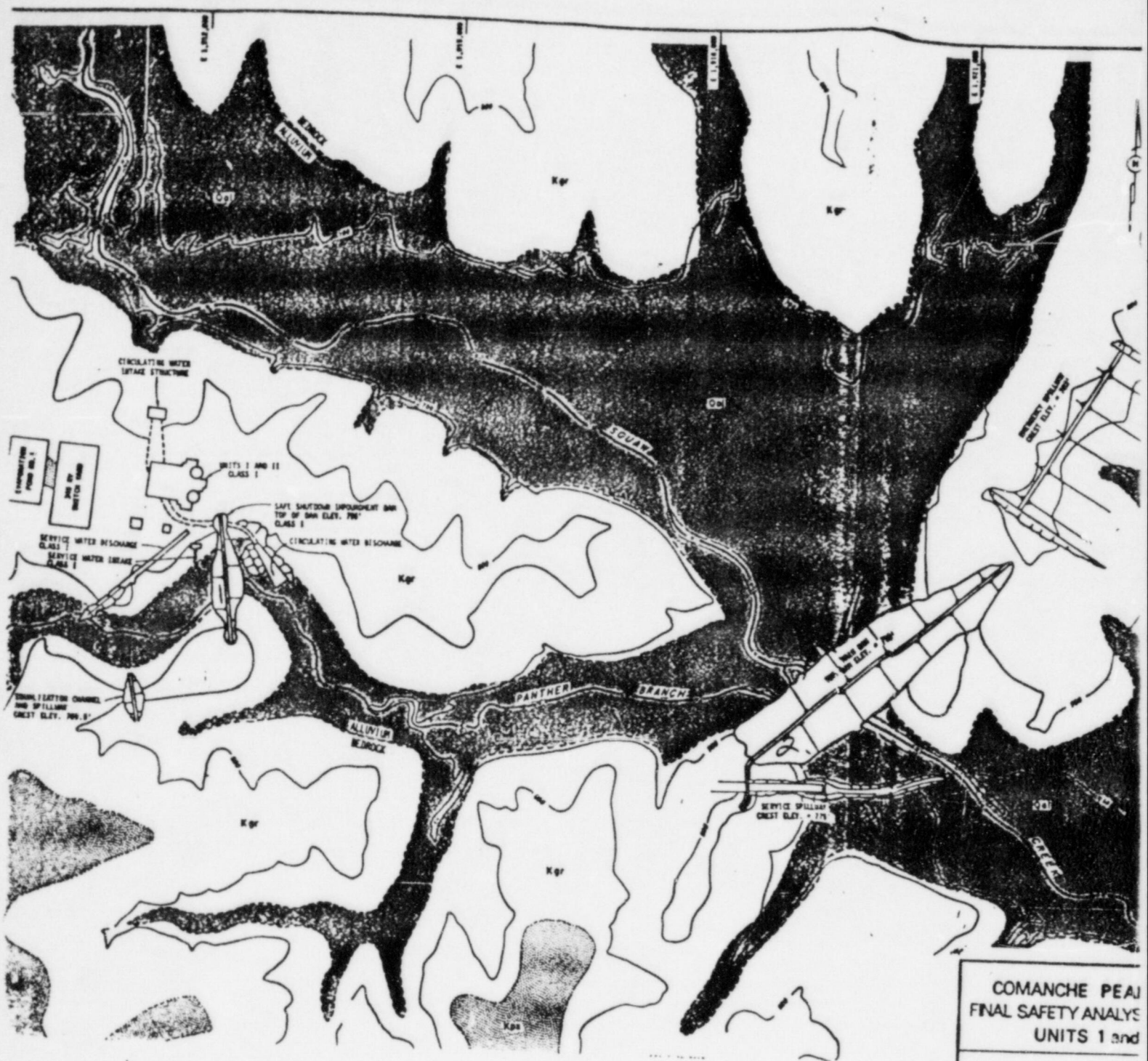
STATUS OF POTENTIALLY NEW ALLEGATIONS RECEIVED FROM ALLEGER A-4

ALLEGATION	STATUS
Main Condensers	
There was up to 30% overrolling of the tubes which resulted in "busting" the tube sheet.	This allegation is addressed in SSER #10, M/P Cat. 14, AW-47.
[redacted] can provide information regarding spider web cracking of the tube sheet.	The TRT is unaware of this item. A potential new allegation.
The tube sheet is out of alignment 3/8"	This allegation is addressed in SSER #10, M/P Cat. 30, AQW-15.
The Brown & Root superintendent, George Panley, made statements to the NRC that are not the truth regarding tube sheet alignment.	The TRT is unaware of this item. A potential new allegation.
Dam (described as having had the damaged Sensor)	
The radius and taper of the dam are wrong. [redacted] of Glen Rose can substantiate.	A potential new allegation.
Reactor Cavity Liner Plate	
The tape recorder was off when he expressed concerns regarding cracking in the reactor cavity liner plates. The cracking problem needs to be looked at generically based on lot and heat numbers.	A potential new allegation.
Approximately 30-35 plates in Unit 1 and 25-40 plates in Unit 2 have been removed due to voiding behind the plate.	The C/S group is aware of the cutting of holes in the plates in the search for voids but not of the complete removal of plates. A potential new allegation.
[redacted]	



1. Safe Shutdown (Seismic)
2. Squaw Creek dam

144 1/4 mile Squaw Creek Bridge FO:30

ALLEGATION	STATUS
Main Circulating Water Pumps	
The pump intake baffles were improperly fitup (gap) and the proper weld procedures were not followed. W. W. Grant was the welder involved in the baffle installation.	A potential new allegation.
The "emergency gates" retaining insert for the main circulating water pumps is not properly installed.	A potential new allegation.
TDI Emergency Diesel Generator Auxiliary Skids	
After having worked on the skids for several years due to defective fabrication, the applicant scrapped the skid. This will result in extra cost since there were three different versions of the same skid.	This allegation is addressed in SSER #10, M/P Cat. 1, AW-38, AQW-24; M/P Cat. 27, AQW-11, AQW-16.
Unit 1 Containment Wall	
[redacted] formed him that two or three 5-gallon cans containing trash had been incorporated into the Unit 1 containment wall. The location stated to be the WNW wall, 50 feet from the airlock, at the same elevation as the airlock.	An allegation similar to this was covered in SSER #8, C/S Cat. 5, AC-36. This allegation concerned concrete placed in the dome of Unit 1. Therefore, this may potentially be a new allegation.

Camp Tres Rios

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FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT REQUEST

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FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT REQUEST

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TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

Pursuant to the Freedom of Information Act (FOIA), 5 U.S.C. 552, the Government Accountability Project (GAP) requests copies of any and all agency records and information, including but not limited to notes, letters, memoranda, drafts, minutes, diaries, logs, calendars, tapes, transcripts, summaries, interview reports, procedures, instructions, engineering analyses, drawings, files, graphs, charts, maps, photographs, agreements, handwritten notes, studies, data sheets, notebooks, books, telephone messages, computations, voice recordings, computer runoffs, any other data compilations, interim and/or final reports, status reports, and any and all other records relevant to and/or generated in connection with any information known to the NRC about the May 30, 1986 letter from Thomas F. Westerman to Texas Utilities Generating Company in the Attention of Mr. W.G. Counsil, Executive Vice President, in reference to 4-86-A-019.

This request includes all agency records as defined in 10 C.F.R. 9.3a(b) and NRC Manual, Appendix 0211, Parts 1.A.2 and A.3 (appproved October 8, 1980) whether they currently exist in the NRC official, "working", investigative or other files, or at any other location, including private residences.

If any records, as defined in 10 C.F.R. 9.3(b) and the NRC Manual, supra, and covered by this request have been destroyed and/or removed after this request, please provide all surrounding records, including but not limited to a list of all records which have been or are destroyed and/or removed, a description of the action(s) taken relevant to, generated in connection with, and/or issued in order to implement the action(s).

GAP requests that fees be waived, because "finding the information can be considered as primarily benefitting the general public," 5 U.S.C. 522 (a) (4) (a). GAP is a non-profit, non-partisan public interest organization concerned with honest and open government. Through public outreach, the Project promotes whistleblowers as agents of government accountability.

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Through its Environmental Whistleblower Clinic, GAP offers assistance to local public interest and citizens groups and intervenors in the concern for safety at nuclear power plants.

We are requesting this information as part of an ongoing monitoring project on the adequacy of Region IV and the NRC's efforts to protect public health and safety at and near nuclear power plants.

For any documents or portions that you deny due to a specific FOIA exemption, please provide an index itemizing and describing the documents or portions of documents withheld. The index should provide a detailed justification of your grounds for claiming each exemption, explaining why each exemption is relevant to the document or portion of the document withheld. This index is required under Vaughn v. Rosen (I), 484 F2d 820 (D.C. Cir. 1973), cert. denied, 415 U.S. 977 (1974).

We look forward to your response to this request within ten working days.

Sincerely,

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