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Mr. James D. Bauer, Acting Program Manager
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Dear Mr. Bauer:

Re: State Waste Discharge Permit Application for 400 Area Secondary Cooling Water

The Department of Ecology received your application for a state waste discharge permit for the 400 Area secondary cooling water. The permit application was received by the December 1992 deadline established by Consent Order DE 91NM-177. Due to our current workload, Ecology staff have not been able to review the permit application. The permit application is not accepted as complete, pending review by Ecology staff.

Please note that Ecology has issued comments on the *Phase II Liquid Effluent Program (Project W-252) Wastewater Engineering Report and BAT/AKART Studies*, which includes the 400 Area secondary cooling water. These comments, and any others generated after our review of the permit application, must be resolved before the permit application can be accepted.

If you or your staff have any questions regarding this permit application, please call me at (509) 736-3021 or G. Thomas Tebb at (509) 736-3020.

Sincerely,

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