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Dear Sirs:

Subject:

Palo Verde Nuclear Generating Station (PVNGS)

Units 1, 2, and 3

Docket No. STN 50-528/529/530

Expiration of Reactor Operator License

Please be advised that Arizona Public Service Company (APS) has determined that Dennis C. Ford (Docket Number 55-50641; License Number OP-50455-1) no longer needs to maintain a license. In accordance with 10CFR50.74, APS is providing notification that Mr. Ford has been permanently reassigned to a position that does not require a license, and requests that this individual's license be expired per 10CFR55.55.

No commitments are being made to the NRC by this letter.

If you have questions regarding this request, please contact Daniel G. Marks, Section Leader, Regulatory Affairs, at (623) 393-6492.

Sincerely,

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