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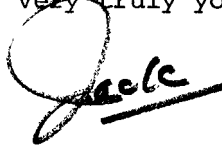
Dear Grote:

In response to your letter of May 4, there is attached a rate sheet from our local utility which you will find of interest.

The written-in average increase "adjustment factor" or "fuel factor" is indeed .0005 cents/kwh. It is very difficult to believe this as fuel adjustments on the east coast are running upwards of three cents per kwh. Our local power is generated hydraulically along the Colorado River and this is the reason that our adjustment factor is so small. It actually amounts to only a slight increase in administrative costs.

It was good to hear that your trip back was interesting and that you are hard at work once again. Please write if you have any questions or if we can be of any assistance.

Very truly yours,



John H. Lancaster
Manager, VLA Project

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Enclosure