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Re: Nevada Power Company v. Monsanto Company, et. al.

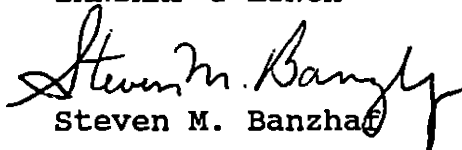
Dear Chuck:

Thank you for forwarding the Order Amending Opinion, Denying Petition For Rehearing, and Rejecting Suggestion For Rehearing En Banc in the above-referenced matter. I have forwarded copies of these papers to Tucson Electric Power's (TEP) Legal Department and have discussed them with the manager thereof, Mr. Steven Glaser. Mr. Glaser informed me yesterday that notwithstanding the success that Nevada Power Company is having in the Ninth Circuit, TEP has no interest in initiating litigation against Monsanto Company or any other corporation responsible for manufacturing or distributing electrical generating equipment containing PCB's. Please give me a call at your convenience and I will explain to you TEP's stated rationale for deciding not to proceed with litigation.

Please give me a call at your convenience. Best personal regards.

Sincerely,

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