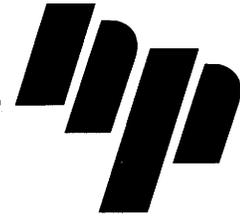
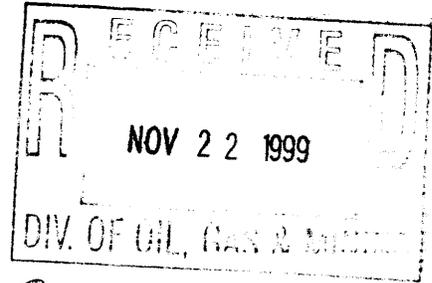


## NEVADA POWER COMPANY



November 18, 1999

Pamela Grubaugh-Litting  
 Permit Supervisor  
 State of Utah – Dept. of Natural Resources  
 Division of Oil, Gas and Mining  
 1594 West North Temple, Ste. 1210  
 Salt Lake City, UT 84114-5801



Re.: Reclamation Bond #5612988, \$4,904,000, Wellington  
 Preparation Plant, ACT/007/012

*Copy Pam (all)*

Dear Ms. Grubaugh-Litting:

It has come to our attention that it would benefit us if the Safeco Bond #5612986 in the current amount of \$4,904,000 were released and replaced with another surety company.

The replacement surety would be Fidelity and Deposit Company of Maryland. Enclosed is a copy of the Treasury Listing for Fidelity and Deposit Company of Maryland, which is a subsidiary of Zurich American Insurance Company, which is also T listed.

Your assistance and approval is greatly appreciated.

Sincerely,

*Jeannette R. Wiley*  
 Jeannette R. Wiley, ARM, CMA  
 Risk Manager



SURETY BOND TRANSACTION REPORT

(SAFECO INSURANCE COMPANIES, SAFECO PLAZA, SEATTLE, WA 98185)

NO. 5612986 - 0000

PRINCIPAL	NAME: NEVADA ELECTRIC INVESTMENT COMPANY STREET: P.O. BOX 230 CITY: LAS VEGAS STATE: NV ZIP: 89151														
ACCOUNT	NEVADA POWER COMPANY		NO: P541	STMT CODE:											
OBLIGEE	NAME: STATE OF UTAH/DEPT OF NATURAL RESOURCES/ DIV. OF OIL & GAS STREET: 355 WEST NORTH TEMPLE/ 3 TRIAD CENTER, SUITE 350 CITY: SALT LAKE CITY STATE: UT ZIP: 84180														
BOND	TYPE: LICENSE AND PERMIT RATE STATE: UT FORM: 0 CANCEL DAYS: 0 COMPANY: SAFECO INSURANCE COMPANY OF AMERICA DESCRIPTION: RECLAMATION BOND  BOND AMOUNT: \$4,904,000														
RATING SUMMARY	EFFECTIVE DATE: 10/01/1999 EXPIRATION DATE: 10/01/2000 INCP: 10/01/1989 RENEWAL METHOD: 1 NONCANCELLABLE, AUTOMATIC BILLING COLLATERAL: NONE REIN CODE: A CLASS: 450-16 CLASS DESCRIPTION: STRIP MINING  <table border="1"> <thead> <tr> <th>BOND AMOUNT</th> <th>RATE</th> <th>PREMIUM</th> <th>COMM %</th> <th>COMMISSION</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>\$4,904,000</td> <td>12.5000</td> <td>\$61,300.00</td> <td>30.000</td> <td>\$18,390.00</td> </tr> </tbody> </table>					BOND AMOUNT	RATE	PREMIUM	COMM %	COMMISSION	\$4,904,000	12.5000	\$61,300.00	30.000	\$18,390.00
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REMARKS	X-REF: MINOR FILE: NEVADA POWER COMPANY.														
ATTORNEY															
AGENT	ZN-AGENT: 14-7429 MASTER:		NAME: SEDGWICK JAMES OF NV, INC. STREET: 3380 WEST SAHARA AVE SUITE 100 CITY: LAS VEGAS STATE: NV ZIP: 89102-6070												
LOCATION	SERVICE CENTER: ORANGE COUNTY		CLERK: SYSTEM DIVISION: NCB												
PREMIUM BILLING	TRANS: SYSTEM RENEWAL NOTE:		CHG DATE: 10/01/1999 ENTRY DATE: 08/02/1999												
SEQ. NO.	AMOUNT DUE: \$61,300.00 COMMISSION: \$18,390.00  24  THIS IS A CONTINUOUS, NONCANCELLABLE BOND AND HAS BEEN AUTOMATICALLY RENEWED AND BILLED TO YOU. IN ORDER TO TERMINATE THIS BOND YOUR PRINCIPAL MUST PROVIDE US WITH A SIGNED RELEASE FROM THE OBLIGEE.														

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MD, MA, MI, MN, MS, MO, MT, NE, NV, NH, NJ, NM, NY, NC, ND, OH, OK,  
OR, PA, RI, SC, SD, TN, TX, UT, VT, VA, WA, WV, WI, WY.  
INCORPORATED IN: New Hampshire.

## Fidelity and Deposit Company of Maryland

BUSINESS ADDRESS: 300 Saint Paul Place, Baltimore, MD 21202. PHONE:  
(410) 539-0800. UNDERWRITING LIMITATION b/: \$39,686,000. SURETY  
LICENSES c/f: AL, AK, AS, AZ, AR, CA, CO, CT, DE, DC, FL, GA, GU, HI, ID,  
IL, IN, IA, KS, KY, LA, ME, MD, MA, MI, MN, MS, MO, MT, NE, NV, NH, NJ,  
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WA, WV, WI, WY. INCORPORATED IN: Maryland.

## FIDELITY AND GUARANTY INSURANCE COMPANY

BUSINESS ADDRESS: 385 Washington Street, St. Paul, MN 55102. PHONE:  
(651) 310-7911. UNDERWRITING LIMITATION b/: \$1,220,000. SURETY  
LICENSES c/f: AL, AK, AZ, AR, CA, CO, CT, DE, DC, FL, GA, HI, ID, IL, IN,  
IA, KS, KY, LA, ME, MD, MA, MI, MN, MS, MO, MT, NE, NV, NH, NJ, NM,  
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WY. INCORPORATED IN: Iowa.

## Fidelity and Guaranty Insurance Underwriters, Inc.

BUSINESS ADDRESS: 385 Washington Street, St. Paul, MN 55102. PHONE:  
(651) 310-7911. UNDERWRITING LIMITATION b/: \$3,192,000. SURETY  
LICENSES c/f: AL, AK, AZ, AR, CA, CO, CT, DE, DC, FL, GA, HI, ID, IL, IN,  
IA, KS, KY, ME, MD, MA, MN, MS, MO, MT, NE, NV, NJ, NM, NY, NC, ND,  
OH, OK, OR, PA, RI, SC, SD, TN, TX, UT, VT, VA, WA, WV, WI, WY.  
INCORPORATED IN: Wisconsin.

## Financial Pacific Insurance Company

BUSINESS ADDRESS: P.O. Box 292220, Sacramento, CA 95829-2220. PHONE:  
(916) 630-5000. UNDERWRITING LIMITATION b/: \$2,027,000. SURETY  
LICENSES c/f: AZ, AR, CA, ID, KS, MO, MT, NE, NV, ND, OR, SD, UT.  
INCORPORATED IN: California.

## Fireman's Fund Insurance Company

BUSINESS ADDRESS: 777 San Marin Drive, Novato, CA 94998. PHONE: (415)  
899-2000. UNDERWRITING LIMITATION b/: \$230,629,000. SURETY  
LICENSES c/f: AL, AK, AZ, AR, CA, CO, CT, DE, DC, FL, GA, GU, HI, ID, IL,  
IN, IA, KS, KY, LA, ME, MD, MA, MI, MN, MS, MO, MT, NE, NV, NH, NJ,  
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WA, WV, WI, WY. INCORPORATED IN: California.

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**Worcester Insurance Company**

**BUSINESS ADDRESS:** 120 Front Street, Ste 500, Worcester, MA 01608-1408.  
**PHONE:** (508) 751-8100. **UNDERWRITING LIMITATION b/:** \$10,194,000.  
**SURETY LICENSES c,/:** CT, MA, MI, NH, NY, RI, VT. **INCORPORATED IN:**  
 Massachusetts.

**Zurich American Insurance Company**

**BUSINESS ADDRESS:** 1400 American Lane, Schaumburg, IL 60196-1056.  
**PHONE:** (847) 605-6000. **UNDERWRITING LIMITATION b/:** \$117,782,000.  
**SURETY LICENSES c,/:** AL, AK, AZ, AR, CA, CO, CT, DE, DC, FL, GA, HI,  
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 NJ, NM, NY, NC, ND, OH, OK, OR, PA, PR, RI, SC, SD, TN, TX, UT, VT, VA,  
 VI, WA, WV, WI, WY. **INCORPORATED IN:** New York.

**Certified Reinsurer Companies**

**COMPANIES HOLDING CERTIFICATES OF AUTHORITY AS  
 ACCEPTABLE REINSURING COMPANIES UNDER SECTION  
 223.3(b) OF TREASURY CIRCULAR NO. 297, REVISED  
 SEPTEMBER 1, 1978 [See Note (e)]**

[Return to the top](#)**Charter Oak Fire Insurance Company (The) 13**

**BUSINESS ADDRESS:** One Tower Square, Hartford, CT 06183-6014. **PHONE:**  
 (860) 277-0111. **UNDERWRITING LIMITATION b/:** \$15,726,000.

**FOLKSAMERICA REINSURANCE COMPANY**

**BUSINESS ADDRESS:** One Liberty Plaza, New York, NY 10006. **PHONE:** (212)  
 312-2500. **UNDERWRITING LIMITATION b/:** \$32,850,000.

**Generali - U.S. Branch**

**BUSINESS ADDRESS:** One Liberty Plaza, New York, NY 10006. **PHONE:** (212)  
 602-7600. **UNDERWRITING LIMITATION b/:** \$10,390,000.

**Odyssey Reinsurance Corporation**

**BUSINESS ADDRESS:** One Liberty Plaza, New York, NY 10006. **PHONE:** (212)  
 978-4700. **UNDERWRITING LIMITATION b/:** \$32,677,000.