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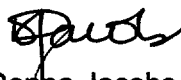
Subject: Docket No. 50-482: April, 2002, Monthly Operating Report

Gentlemen:

Attached to this letter is the April, 2002, Monthly Operating Report for the Wolf Creek Generating Station. Enclosed is a corrected page from the March, 2002, Monthly Operating Report, Wolf Creek Nuclear Operating Corporation letter WO 02-0021. The cumulative Net Electrical Energy Generated (MWH) is changed from 141,909,550 as previously submitted to 139,333,570. This was the result of a calculational error that was discovered and corrected.

This submittal is being made in accordance with the requirements of Wolf Creek Generating Station Technical Specification 5.6.4, "Monthly Operating Reports." This submittal also follows the guidance of Generic Letter 97-02, "Revised Contents of the Monthly Operating Report." If you have questions regarding this report, please contact me at (620) 364-4246, or Mr. Tony Harris at (620) 364-4038.

Very truly yours,


Donna Jacobs

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Attachment
Enclosure

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OPERATING DATA REPORT

Report Number: 206

DOCKET NO.: 50-482
UNIT NAME: Wolf Creek Generating Station
DATE: May 1, 2002
COMPLETED BY: J. L. Yunk
TELEPHONE: (620) 364-4272

REPORT MONTH: April, 2002

1.	Design Electrical Rating (MWe - Net):	1170
2.	Maximum Dependable Capacity (MWe - Net):	1170

		This Month	Year to Date	Cumulative
3.	Number of Hours Reactor Critical:	100.7	2,046.7	124,411.4
4.	Number of Hours Generator On-Line:	68.4	2,012.4	123,262.6
5.	Unit Reserve Shutdown Hours:	0.0	0.0	339.8
6.	Net Electrical Energy Generated (MWH)	41,519	2,338,087	139,375,089

UNIT SHUTDOWN AND POWER REDUCTIONS

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DATE: May 1, 2002
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No.	Date	Type	DURATION (Hours)	REASON (1)	METHOD OF SHUTTING DOWN THE REACTOR	CORRECTIVE ACTIONS/COMMENTS
		F: FORCED S: SCHEDULED			(2)	
2	3/21/2002	S	650.6 hours	C	4	Scheduled Refuel XII

SUMMARY: The unit was in Mode 6 on April 1, 2002 at 000 hours with Refuel XII maintenance, testing and refueling activities continuing. At 2002 hours on April 1, 2002, defueling activities were completed. Core reload commenced on April 11, 2002, at 1748 hours and the unit entered Mode 6. Refueling was completed on April 14, 2002, at 1249 hours. With core reload complete, the unit entered Mode 5 on April 18, 2002, at 0835 hours. The unit entered Mode 4 on April 24, 2002, at 0944 hours. Entry into Mode 3 occurred on April 25, 2002, at 0712 hours. On April 26, 2002, at 1722 hours the unit entered Mode 2. The reactor achieved criticality at 1917 hours on April 26, 2002. At 1055 hours on April 27, the unit entered Mode 1. The generator output breakers were closed and the Main Generator was synchronized to the grid at 2022 hours on April 27, 2002. At 0006, April 28, 2002, the generator output breakers were opened for main turbine trip testing. At 0702, April 28, 2002, the generator output breakers were closed and the unit commenced increasing power. At 0441 on April 30, 2002, the unit was at approximately 100% power, and remained there through the remainder of April.

- (1) REASON: A: EQUIPMENT FAILURE (EXPLAIN) E: OPERATOR TRAINING AND LICENSE EXAMINATION
 B: MAINTENANCE OR TEST F: ADMINISTRATIVE
 C: REFUELING G: OPERATIONAL ERROR (EXPLAIN)
 D: REGULATORY RESTRICTION H: OTHER (EXPLAIN)
- (2) METHOD: 1. MANUAL
 2. MANUAL SCRAM
 3. AUTOMATIC SCRAM
 4. CONTINUATION
 5. OTHER

OPERATING DATA REPORT

Report Number: 205

DOCKET NO.: 50-482
UNIT NAME: Wolf Creek Generating Station
DATE: April 4, 2002
COMPLETED BY: J. L. Yunk
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REPORT MONTH: March, 2002

1.	Design Electrical Rating (MWe - Net):	1170
2.	Maximum Dependable Capacity (MWe - Net):	1170

		This Month	Year to Date	Cumulative
3.	Number of Hours Reactor Critical	530.0	1,946.0	124,310.7
4.	Number of Hours Generator On-Line	528.0	1,944.0	123,194.2
5.	Unit Reserve Shutdown Hours	0.0	0.0	339.8
6.	Net Electrical Energy Generated (MWH)	608,945	2,296,568	139,333,570