

Docket No.: 50-482

October 22, 1986

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Dear Mr. Koester:

SUBJECT: WOLF CREEK GENERATING STATION - AMENDMENT NO. 2 TO FACILITY
OPERATING LICENSE NPF-42

The Commission has issued the enclosed Amendment No. 2 to Facility Operating License NPF-42 for the Wolf Creek Generating Station. The amendment is in response to your application dated March 4, 1986, as supplemented July 29, 1986 and September 18, 1986.

This amendment modifies the Technical Specifications to reflect a title change in reporting relationship, correction of typographical errors, addition and deletion of groups from the Unit Organization figure, addition of positions and group from the Nuclear Department organization, and changes in membership to the Nuclear Safety Review Committee.

A copy of our related Safety Evaluation is enclosed. Notice of issuance will be included in the Commission's next bi-weekly Federal Register notice.

Sincerely,

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Enclosures:

1. Amendment No. 2 to License No. NPF-42
2. Safety Evaluation

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WOLF CREEK GENERATING STATION
DOCKET NO. 50-482
AMENDMENT TO FACILITY OPERATING LICENSE

Amendment No. 2
License No. NPF-42

1. The Nuclear Regulatory Commission (the Commission) has found that:
 - A. The application for amendment to the Wolf Creek Generating Station (the facility) Facility Operating License No. NPF-42 filed by Kansas Gas and Electric Company acting for itself and Kansas City Power and Light Company and Kansas Electric Power Cooperative, Inc., (licensees) dated March 4, 1986 as revised July 29 and September 18, 1986, complies with the standards and requirements of the Atomic Energy Act of 1954, as amended (the Act) and the Commission's regulations as set forth in 10 CFR Chapter I;
 - B. The facility will operate in conformity with the application, as amended, the provisions of the Act, and the regulations of the Commission;
 - C. There is reasonable assurance: (i) that the activities authorized by this amendment can be conducted without endangering the health and safety of the public, and (ii) that such activities will be conducted in compliance with the Commission's regulations set forth in 10 CFR Chapter I;
 - D. The issuance of this license amendment will not be inimical to the common defense and security or to the health and safety of the public;
 - E. The issuance of this amendment is in accordance with 10 CFR Part 51 of the Commission's regulations and all applicable requirements have been satisfied.

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2. Accordingly, the license is amended by changes to the Technical Specifications as indicated in the attachment to this license amendment and Paragraph 2.C.(2) of Facility Operating License No. NPF-42 is hereby amended to read as follows:

2. Technical Specification

The Technical Specifications contained in Appendix A, as revised through Amendment No. 2, and the Environmental Protection Plan contained in Appendix B, both of which are attached hereto, are hereby incorporated into the license. KG&E shall operate the facility in accordance with the Technical Specifications and the Environmental Protection Plan.

3. This license amendment is effective as of its date of issuance.

FOR THE NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

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Attachment:
Changes to the Technical
Specifications

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*With changes
as noted.*

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ATTACHMENT TO LICENSE AMENDMENT NO. 2

OPERATING LICENSE NO. NPF-42

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Revise Appendix A Technical Specifications by removing the pages identified below and inserting the enclosed pages. The revised pages are identified by amendment number and contain marginal lines indicating the area of change. The corresponding overleaf page is also provided to maintain document completeness.

AMENDED PAGE

OVERLEAF PAGE

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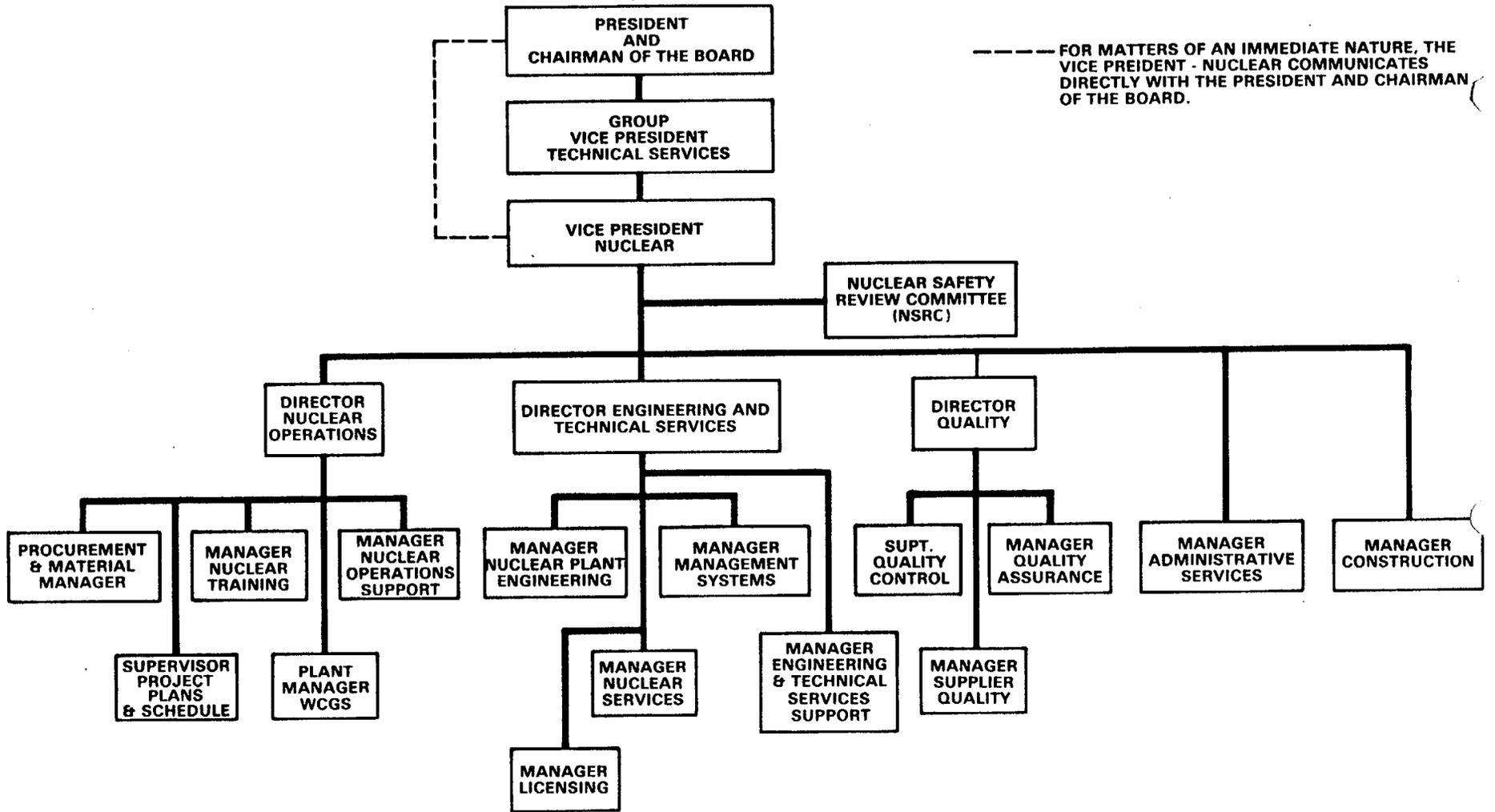
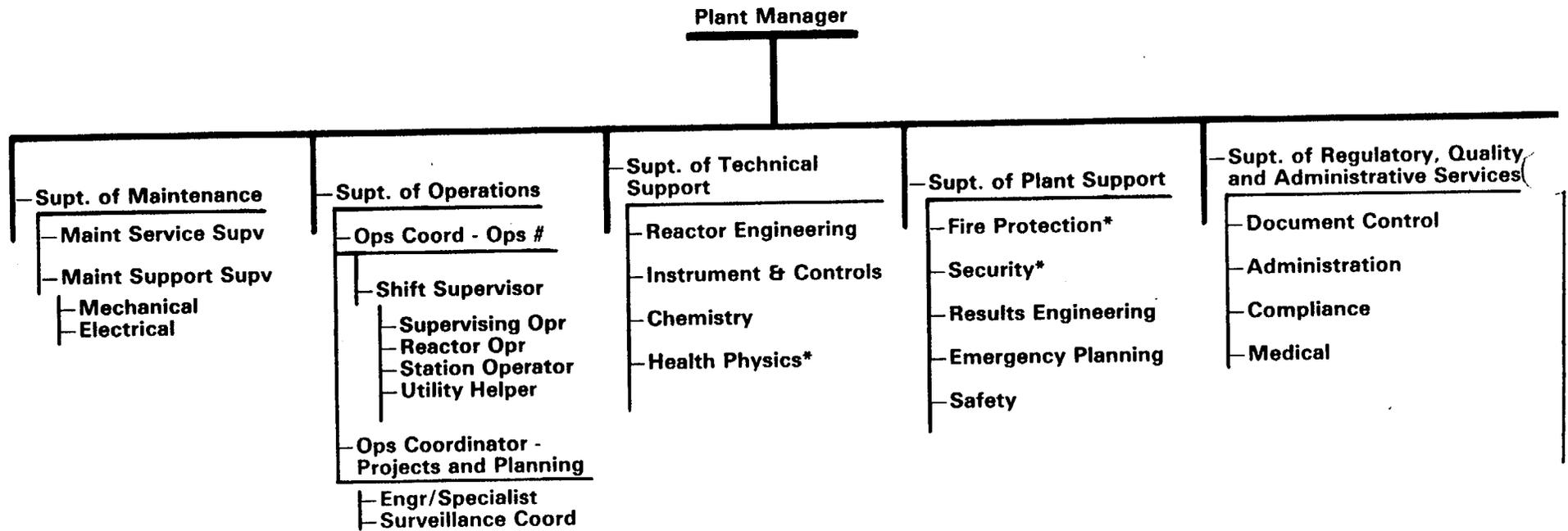


FIGURE 6.2-1 OFFSITE ORGANIZATION



*For technical matters of an immediate nature the respective individual reports directly to the Plant Manager.

This position requires an SRO License.

FIGURE 6.2-2 UNIT ORGANIZATION

ADMINISTRATIVE CONTROLS

RESPONSIBILITIES (Continued)

- k. Review of changes to the PROCESS CONTROL PROGRAM, the OFFSITE DOSE CALCULATION MANUAL and the Radwaste Treatment Systems, and
- l. Review of any accidental, unplanned, or uncontrolled radioactive release including the preparation of reports covering evaluation, recommendations, and disposition of the corrective action to prevent recurrence and the forwarding of these reports to the Plant Manager and to the Nuclear Safety Review Committee.

6.5.1.7 The PSRC shall:

- a. Recommend in writing to the Plant Manager approval or disapproval of items considered under Specification 6.5.1.6a. through d. above,
- b. Render determinations in writing with regard to whether or not each item considered under Specification 6.5.1.6a. through e. above constitutes an unreviewed safety question, and
- c. Provide written notification within 24 hours to the Director Nuclear Operations and the Nuclear Safety Review Committee of disagreement between the PSRC and the Plant Manager; however, the Plant Manager shall have responsibility for resolution of such disagreements pursuant to Specification 6.1.1 above.

RECORDS

6.5.1.8 The PSRC shall maintain written minutes of each PSRC meeting that, at a minimum, document the results of all PSRC activities performed under the responsibility provisions of these Technical Specifications. Copies shall be provided to the Director Nuclear Operations and the Nuclear Safety Review Committee.

6.5.2 NUCLEAR SAFETY REVIEW COMMITTEE (NSRC)

FUNCTION

6.5.2.1 The NSRC shall function to provide independent review and audit of designated activities in the areas of:

- a. Nuclear power plant operations,
- b. Nuclear engineering,
- c. Chemistry and radiochemistry,
- d. Metallurgy,
- e. Instrumentation and control,
- f. Radiological safety,

ADMINISTRATIVE CONTROLS

FUNCTION (Continued)

- g. Mechanical and electrical engineering, and
- h. Quality assurance practices.

The NSRC shall report to and advise the Vice President-Nuclear on those areas of responsibility specified in Specifications 6.5.2.7 and 6.5.2.8.

COMPOSITION

6.5.2.2 The NSRC shall be composed of at least the following:

Chairman:	Manager Nuclear Services
Member:	Director Engineering and Technical Services
Member:	Manager Quality Assurance (Home Office)
Member:	Director Nuclear Operations
Member:	Manager Licensing
Member:	KCP&L Senior Director of Nuclear Affairs
Member:	Manager Nuclear Safety

Additional members and Vice Chairman may be appointed by the Chairman.

ALTERNATES

6.5.2.3 All alternate members shall be appointed in writing by the NSRC Chairman to serve on a temporary basis; however, no more than two alternates shall participate as voting members in NSRC activities at any one time.

CONSULTANTS

6.5.2.4 Consultants shall be utilized as determined by the NSRC Chairman to provide expert advice to the NSRC.

MEETING FREQUENCY

6.5.2.5 The NSRC shall meet at least once per calendar quarter during the initial year of unit operation following fuel loading and at least once per 6 months thereafter.

QUORUM

6.5.2.6 The quorum of the NSRC necessary for the performance of the NSRC review and audit functions of these Technical Specifications shall consist of the Chairman or his designated alternate and at least two-thirds of the NSRC members including alternates. No more than a minority of the quorum shall have line responsibility for operation of the Unit.



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SAFETY EVALUATION BY THE OFFICE OF NUCLEAR REACTOR REGULATION

SUPPORTING AMENDMENT NO. 2 TO OPERATING LICENSE NO. NPF-42

KANSAS GAS & ELECTRIC COMPANY

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WOLF CREEK GENERATING STATION

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INTRODUCTION

By letter dated March 4, 1986, and supplements thereto dated July 29, 1986 and September 18, 1986, Kansas Gas and Electric Company requested several changes to the Technical Specifications for the Wolf Creek Generating Station, Unit 1. The requested changes involve two title changes, a change in reporting relationship, the correction of typographical errors, addition and deletions of groups from the Unit Organization figure, and the addition of positions and groups to the Nuclear Safety Review Committee. These changes would affect Figures 6.2-1 and 6.2.2, and Section 6.5.2.2 of of the plant Technical Specifications.

EVALUATION

The first requested revision would change the title Procurement & Materials Superintendent, Figure 6.2-1, to Procurement & Material Manager. This is an administrative change that does not constitute a change in reporting relationships or overall organizational commitments and is, therefore, acceptable.

Another revision requested by the July 29 letter would change the title Manager Construction shown in Figure 6.2-1 to Manager Facilities and Modification. This is an administrative change that does not constitute a change in reporting relationships or overall organizational commitments and is, therefore, acceptable.

The second revision would change the reporting relationship of onsite Emergency Planning, Figure 6.2-2, from the Supt. of Regulatory, Quality and Administrative Services to the Supt. of Plant Support. This does not constitute a change in job responsibilities, or overall organizational commitments. It does change reporting relationships, but the staff feels that the new relationship will enhance the ability of the Superintendent of Plant Support to manage several related functions in a coordinated way - Emergency Planning, Fire Protection, Security, and Safety. We find this revision acceptable.

An additional July 29 revision would change the reporting relationship of the Manager Licensing from the Manager Nuclear Services to the Director (Vice President, when the new operating organization goes into effect) Engineering and Technical Services shown in Figure 6.2-1. This does not constitute a change in job responsibilities or overall organizational commitments. This new reporting relationship should enhance the role of the Manager Licensing and provide added upper management visibility of licensing issues. Therefore, we find this revision acceptable.

The next three changes in the March 4 request rectify clerical errors present in the Wolf Creek Generating Station, Unit No. 1, Technical Specifications. The titles Manager Operations Support, Figure 6.2-1, and Ops Coordinator Planning and Projects, Figure 6.2-2, are being corrected to read manager Nuclear Operations Support and Ops Coordinator Projects and Planning, respectively. In addition, the spelling of Security, Figure 6.2-2, is also being corrected. These changes are acceptable.

The following four changes are being made to Figure 6.2-2 in order to more accurately reflect the organization. The Safety and Medical groups, reporting to the Supt. of Plant Support and the Supt. of Regulatory, Quality and Administrative Services, respectively, are existing groups being added for completeness. The Computers group, reporting through the Instrument & Controls group to the Supt. of Technical Support, is being deleted from the Figure in order to reflect a consistent level of organizational detail. The Utility Helper position, reporting through Ops Coords-ops to the Supt. of Operations, is being deleted since this position no longer exists. According to the licensee, the Utility Helper function is fulfilled by personnel in other existing positions. These changes do not constitute a change in reporting relationships or overall organizational commitments and are acceptable.

Three revisions to Figures 6.2-1 and 6.2-2 have been requested in order to indicate positions and groups that have been added to the Nuclear Department organization. In Figure 6.2-2 a Compliance group is being added to the Unit Organization. This group reports to the Supt. of Regulatory, Quality and Administrative Services. The position Supervisor Project Plans & Schedule, reporting to the Director Engineering and Technical Services, and the position Manager Engineering & Technical Services Support reporting to the Director Engineering and Technical Services, have been added to the Offsite Organization shown in Figure 6.2-1. Since these revisions represent organizational enhancements and augmentations and do not affect any existing reporting relationships or overall organizational commitments, we find them acceptable.

Another July 29 change would add the position Nuclear Coordinator to the Nuclear Safety Review Committee (NSRC) in Section 6.5.2.2. By letter dated September 18, 1986, the licensee provided the qualifications requirements for this position. Because the qualifications for this position are the same as those for other members of the NSRC, this will not reduce or dilute the level of expertise on that committee and is, therefore, acceptable.

Section 6.5.2.2 is being revised to change the Nuclear Safety Review Committee (NSRC) membership list. These changes reflect a Nuclear Department organizational change, which deleted the position Manager Licensing and Radiological Services, and the recent retirement of the Vice President Engineering. First, the NSRC membership list is being revised to read Manager Licensing rather than Manager Licensing and Radiological Services. The Manager Radiological Services and Manager Licensing report directly to the Manager Nuclear Services, who is the NSRC Chairman. Thus the Manager Nuclear Services can fully address issues involving Radiological Services, while the Manger Licensing is present as a committee member to address licensing issues. Second, the NSRC membership list is being revised to read KCP&L Senior Director of Nuclear Affairs rather than Vice President-Engineering. Kansas Gas and Electric Company's Vice President-Engineering recently retired. His position on the NSRC is being filled by Kansas City Power & Light Company's Senior Director of Nuclear Affairs who has extensive experience in the nuclear industry. Since the requested revisions do not appear to affect the level of experience present in the NSRC and since the same technical and management responsibilities are still represented, we find these changes acceptable.

The remaining July 29 changes result from a proposed reorganization of the Quality Branch. The position of Manager Quality Assurance (Home Office) will be eliminated. The responsibilities of this position will be transferred to two new positions-Manager Supplier Quality, and Manager Quality Assurance, Formerly Manager Quality Assurance (WCGS), as shown in Figure 6.2-1. Section 6.5.2.2 will also be changed to show the Manager Quality Assurance (Home Office). Because the qualifications for membership on the NSRC will not change, and because the organizational changes should provide a more efficient quality assurance organization, we find these changes acceptable.

ENVIRONMENTAL CONSIDERATION

This amendment involves changes in recordkeeping, reporting or administrative procedures or requirements. Accordingly, this amendment meets the eligibility criteria for categorical exclusion set forth in 10 CFR 51.22(c)(10). Pursuant to 10 CFR 51.22(b) no environmental impact statement or environmental assessment need be prepared in connection with the issuance of this amendment.

CONCLUSION

The Commission made proposed determinations that the amendment involves no significant hazards consideration which were published in the Federal Register (51 FR 27285) on July 30, 1986, and (51 FR 29001) on August 13, 1986, and consulted with the state of Kansas. No public comments were received, and the state of Kansas did not have any comments.

We have concluded, based on the considerations discussed above, that: (1) there is reasonable assurance that the health and safety of the public will not be endangered by operation in the proposed manner, and (2) such activities will be conducted in compliance with the Commission's regulations and the issuance of this amendment will not be inimical to the common defense and security or to the health and safety of the public.

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