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Division of Project Management
Light Water Reactors, Branch #3
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Sincerely,

The Commission has requested the Office of the Federal Register to publish the enclosed Notice of Proposed Issuance of Amendment to a Construction Permit for the Wolf Creek Generating Station, Unit No. 1. The proposed amendment would add a co-owner, Kansas Electric Cooperatives, Inc. who would acquire an undivided 17 percent ownership participation in the facility.

The action proposed is in accordance with your application, dated July 30, 1979 and the staff's commitment to the Atomic Safety and Licensing Board by letter, dated September 3, 1976.

SUBJECT: PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO CONSTRUCTION PERMIT CPPR-147 - WOLF CREEK GENERATING STATION, UNIT NO. 1

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KANSAS GAS AND ELECTRIC COMPANY

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KANSAS CITY POWER AND LIGHT COMPANY

NOTICE OF PROPOSED ISSUANCE OF AMENDMENT TO A CONSTRUCTION PERMIT

The United States Nuclear Regulatory Commission (the Commission) is considering issuance of an amendment to Construction Permit CPPR-147 issued to Kansas Gas and Electric Company and Kansas City Power and Light Company (applicants) on May 17, 1977. Construction of the Wolf Creek Generating Station, Unit No. 1, located in Coffey County, Kansas is underway.

The amendment would add the Kansas Electric Power Cooperative, Inc. as a co-owner assuming 17 percent interest in the Wolf Creek facility in accordance with the applicants' application, dated July 30, 1979.

Prior to issuance of the proposed permit amendment, the Commission will have made findings required by the Atomic Energy Act of 1954, as amended (the Act) and the Commission's regulations.

By ~~September 24~~ October 24, 1979 the applicants may file a request for a hearing with respect to issuance of the amendment to the construction permit and any person whose interest may be affected by this proceeding and who wishes to participate as a party in the proceeding must file a written petition for leave to

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intervene. Requests for a hearing and petitions for leave to intervene shall be filed in accordance with the Commission's "Rules of Practice for Domestic Licensing Proceedings" in 10 CFR Part 2. If a request for a hearing or petition for leave to intervene is filed by the above date, the Commission or an Atomic Safety and Licensing Board, designated by the Commission or by the Chairman of the Atomic Safety and Licensing Board Panel, will rule on the request and/or petition and the Secretary or the designated Atomic Safety and Licensing Board will issue a notice of hearing or an appropriate order.

As required by 10 CFR §2.714, a petition for leave to intervene shall set forth with particularity the interest of the petitioner in the proceeding, and how that interest may be affected by the results of the proceeding. The petition should specifically explain the reasons why intervention should be permitted with particular reference to the following factors: (1) the nature of the petitioner's right under the Act to be made a party to the proceeding; (2) the nature and extent of the petitioner's property, financial or other interest in the proceeding; and (3) the possible effect of any order which may be entered in the proceeding on the petitioner's interest. The petition should also identify the specific aspect(s) of the subject matter of the proceeding as to which petitioner wishes to intervene. Any person who has filed a petition for leave to intervene or who has been admitted as a party may amend his petition, but such an amended petition must satisfy the specificity requirements described above.

Not later than fifteen (15) days prior to the first prehearing conference scheduled in the proceeding, the petitioner shall file a supplement to the petition to intervene which must include a list of the contentions which are sought to be litigated in the matter, and the bases for each contention set forth with reasonable specificity. A petitioner who fails to file such a supplement which satisfies these requirements with respect to at least one contention will not be permitted to participate as a party.

Those permitted to intervene become parties to the proceeding, subject to any limitations in the order granting leave to intervene, and have the opportunity to participate fully in the conduct of the hearing, including the opportunity to present evidence and cross-examine witnesses.

A request for a hearing or a petition for leave to intervene shall be filed with the Secretary of the Commission, United States Nuclear Regulatory Commission, Washington, D.C., 20555, Attention: Docketing and Service Section, or may be delivered to the Commission's Public Document Room, 1717 H Street, N.W., Washington, D.C. by the above date. Where petitions are filed during the last ten (10) days of the notice period, it is requested the petitioner or a representative for the petitioner promptly so inform the Commission by a toll-free telephone call to Western Union at (800) 325-6000 (in Missouri (800) 342-6700). The Western Union operator should be given Datagram Identification Number 3737 and the following message addressed to Olan B. Parr: (petitioner's name and telephone number); (date petition was mailed); (plant name); and (publication

date and page number of this FEDERAL REGISTER notice). A copy of the petition should also be sent to the Executive Legal Director, U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, Washington, D. C., 20555, and to Gerald Charnoff, Esq., Shaw, Pittman, Potts, & Trowbridge, 1800 M Street, N. W., Washington, D. C., 20036, attorney for the applicant.

Nontimely filings of petitions for leave to intervene, amended petitions, supplemental petitions and/or requests for hearing will not be entertained absent a determination by the Commission, the presiding officer or the Atomic Safety and Licensing Board designated to rule on the petition and/or request, that the petitioner has made a substantial showing of good cause for the granting of a late petition and/or request. That determination will be based upon a balancing of the factors specified in 10 CFR §2.714(a)(i)-(v) and §2.714(d).

This notice of consideration of amendment to the construction permit and opportunity for hearing is being published pursuant to the Nuclear Regulatory Commission staff's commitment to the Atomic Safety and Licensing Board by letter, dated September 3, 1976.

For further details with respect to this action, see the application for amendment dated July 30, 1979 and the staff's commitment to the Atomic Safety and Licensing Board, dated September 3, 1976, which are available for

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FOR THE NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

Dated at Bethesda, Maryland this 18 day of September, 1979.

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Washington, D. C., and at the Coffey County Courthouse, Burlington, Kansas,
public inspection at the Commission's Public Document Room, 1717 H Street, N. W.,