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August 17, 2007

Mr. David A. Christian
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SUBJECT: KEWAUNEE POWER STATION, NRC MATERIAL CONTROL & ACCOUNTING
TI 2515/154 PHASE III INSPECTION REPORT 05000305/2007402(DRP)

Dear Mr. Christian:

On July 31, 2007, the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) completed an inspection of the material control and accounting (MC&A) safeguards program at the Kewaunee Power Station. The inspection was conducted under Phase III of Temporary Instruction 2515/154. The enclosed inspection report documents the inspection results, which were discussed with members of your staff during the exit meeting on July 31, 2007.

The inspection examined activities conducted under your license as they relate to safety and compliance with the Commission's rules and regulations and with the conditions of your license. The inspectors reviewed selected procedures and records, observed storage of special nuclear material, and interviewed personnel. Areas examined during the inspection included physical inventory and accounting records.

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Exemption number: 5
Nuclear Regulatory Commission review required before public release.

Christine A. Lipa, Chief, BR4, DRP, RIII
Name and organization of person making determination.

Date of determination: 07/23/2007

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This report documents one NRC-identified Severity Level IV violation of NRC requirements. Additionally, a licensee-identified violation which was determined to be of very low safety significance is listed in this report. However, because of the very low safety significance and because they were entered into your corrective action program, the NRC is treating the violations as non-cited violations (NCV(s)) consistent with Section VI.A.1 of the NRC Enforcement Policy. If you contest these non-cited violations, you should provide a response within 30 days of the date of this inspection report, with the basis for your denial, to the Nuclear Regulatory Commission, ATTN: Document Control Desk, Washington DC 20555-0001; with copies to the Regional Administrator, Region III; the Director, Office of Enforcement, United States Nuclear Regulatory Commission, Washington, DC 20555-0001; and the NRC Resident Inspector at the Kewaunee Power Station.

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Should you have any questions concerning this inspection, we will be pleased to discuss them with you.

Sincerely,

/RA/

Christine A. Lipa, Chief
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Division of Reactor Projects

Docket No. 50-305
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