

February 14, 2008

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SUBJECT: WOLF CREEK GENERATING STATION - INDIVIDUAL NOTICE OF
CONSIDERATION OF ISSUANCE OF AMENDMENT TO FACILITY
OPERATING LICENSE, PROPOSED NO SIGNIFICANT HAZARDS
CONSIDERATION DETERMINATION, AND OPPORTUNITY FOR HEARING
RE: STEAM GENERATOR PROGRAM (TAC NO. MD8054)

Dear Mr. Muench:

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If you have any questions, please contact me at 301-415-3016 or via e-mail at BKS1@nrc.gov.

Sincerely,

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Docket No. 50-482

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