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SUBJECT: WOLF CREEK'S RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF VIOLATION AND NRC
INSPECTION REPORT 05000482/2009002

Dear Mr. Muench:

Thank you for your letter of June 12, 2009, in response to our May 13, 2009, letter and Notice of Violation regarding the failure to identify the adverse condition of and to take corrective action for the repetitive, inappropriate closure of the reactor coolant pump thermal barrier heat exchanger valves, inappropriate closure of the downstream component cooling water containment isolation valves, and inappropriate circuit breakers opening associated with the above thermal barrier valves. We will review your reply and the implementation of your corrective actions during a future inspection to determine that full compliance has been achieved and will be maintained.

Sincerely,

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