

Terry J. Garrett Vice President Engineering

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U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission ATTN: Document Control Desk Washington, DC 20555

Reference: Letter ET 09-0019, dated October 10, 2009, from T. J. Garrett,

WCNOC, to USNRC

Subject: Docket No. 50-482: Implementation of BEACON Power Distribution

Monitoring System

Gentlemen:

The Reference provided Wolf Creek Nuclear Operating Corporation's (WCNOC) application to revise the Wolf Creek Generating Station Technical Specifications (TS) for use of the BEACON Power Distribution Monitoring System described in WCAP-12472-P-A, "BEACON Core Monitoring and Operations Support System," to perform power distribution surveillances. The Reference requested Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) approval by September 30, 2010 with implementation within 90 days of NRC approval.

In discussions with the NRC Project Manager, it is expected that the license amendment for the referenced application will occur much sooner than the requested September 30, 2010. WCNOC requests that the NRC specify an implementation date of no later than December 29, 2010. WCNOC had expected the approval to take one year and had established the necessary scheduling of resources for software and procedural implementation to occur consistent with issuance of an amendment in September 2010.

This submittal revises the implementation timeframe provided in the Reference, does not expand the scope of the application as originally noticed, and does not impact the conclusions of the NRC staff's original proposed no significant hazards consideration determination as published in the Federal Register (75 FR 4120). In accordance with 10 CFR 50.91, a copy of this submittal is being provided to the designated Kansas State official.



If you have any questions concerning this matter, please contact me at (620) 364-4084, or Mr. Richard D. Flannigan at (620) 364-4117.

Sincerely,

Terry J. Garrett

TJG/rlt

Attachment

cc: E. E. Collins (NRC), w/a

T. A. Conley (KDHE), w/a

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Senior Resident Inspector (NRC), w/a

STATE OF KANSAS SS COUNTY OF COFFEY)

Terry J. Garrett, of lawful age, being first duly sworn upon oath says that he is Vice President Engineering of Wolf Creek Nuclear Operating Corporation; that he has read the foregoing document and knows the contents thereof; that he has executed the same for and on behalf of said Corporation with full power and authority to do so; and that the facts therein stated are true and correct to the best of his knowledge, information and belief.

> Terry , /Garrett

Vice President Engineering

SUBSCRIBED and sworn to before me this 8th day of March

. 2010.

GAYLE SHEPHEARD Notary Public - State of Kansas My Appt. Expires 7/24/201

LIST OF REGULATORY COMMITMENTS

The following table identifies those actions committed to by WCNOC in this document. Any other statements in this submittal are provided for information purposes and are not considered to be regulatory commitments. Please direct questions regarding these commitments to Mr. Richard Flannigan at (620) 364-4117.

REGULATORY COMMITMENT	DUE DATE/EVENT
Once approved, the amendment will be implemented no later than December 29, 2010.	December 29, 2010