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SUBJECT: COLUMBIA GENERATING STATION – NRC EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS

ANNUAL INSPECTION REPORT 05000397/2012501

Dear Mr. Reddemann:

On December 31, 2012, the Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) staff completed its annual inspection of the Emergency Preparedness Program at the Columbia Generating Station. This inspection began on January 1, 2012. Issuance of this letter closes NRC Inspection Report 05000397/2012501. The inspection results associated with the 2012-501 and 2012-503 reports are documented in integrated Resident Inspector Reports 2012-002, 2012-003, 2012-004, and 2012-005

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Sincerely,

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Mark S.Haire, Chief Plant Support Branch 1 Division of Reactor Safety

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