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SUBJECT: GRAND GULF NUCLEAR STATION - NRC SECURITY INSPECTION  
REPORT 05000416/2013404

Dear Mr. Mulligan:

On November 21, 2013, the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) completed an inspection at the Grand Gulf Nuclear Station. The inspection covered one or more of the key attributes of the security cornerstone of the NRC's Reactor Oversight Process. The enclosed inspection report documents the inspection results, which were discussed on November 21, 2013, with you and other members of your staff.

The inspection examined activities conducted under your license as they relate to security and compliance with the Commission's rules and regulations and with the conditions of your license. The inspectors reviewed selected procedures and records, observed activities, and interviewed personnel.

One NRC identified finding of very low security significance (i.e., Green as determined by the Physical Protection Significance Determination Process) was identified during this inspection. The deficiency was promptly corrected or compensated for and the plant was in compliance with applicable physical protection and security requirements within the scope of this inspection before the inspector left the area. The finding was determined to involve a violation of NRC requirements. However, the NRC is treating the violation as a non-cited violation (NCV) consistent with Section 2.3.2.a of the Enforcement Policy.

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copies to the Regional Administrator, Region IV; the Director, Office of Enforcement, United States Nuclear Regulatory Commission, Washington, DC 20555-0001; and the NRC Resident Inspectors at the Grand Gulf Nuclear Station.

One cross-cutting aspect was assigned to a finding in the area associated with Work Control, Work Coordination, because due to the varying security components that were inoperable, the staff was forced to implement both manual actions and compensatory measures in order to maintain regulatory compliance [H.3(b)(4)].

If you disagree with the cross-cutting aspect assignment in this report, you should provide a response within 30 days of the date of this inspection report, with the basis for your disagreement, to the Regional Administrator, Region IV; and the NRC Resident Inspectors at the Grand Gulf Nuclear Station.

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Sincerely,

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