

# WOLF CREEK

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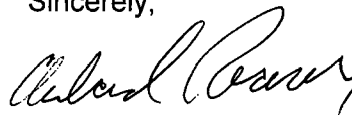
Subject: Docket No. 50-482: Response to NRC Regulatory Issue Summary 2015-05, "Preparation and Scheduling of Operator Licensing Examinations"

Gentlemen:

Regulatory Issue Summary (RIS) 2015-05, "Preparation and Scheduling of Operator Licensing Examinations," requests licensees to voluntarily submit information to aid in the preparation and scheduling of operator licensing examinations. In response to RIS 2015-05, Wolf Creek Nuclear Operating Corporation is providing an estimate of the number of generic fundamentals examinations for years 2017 and 2018, as well as the number of license examinations for years 2017 through 2020. Enclosed with this letter is the completed Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) Form 536 containing Wolf Creek Generating Station's operator licensing examination and scheduling data.

This letter contains no commitments. If you have any questions concerning this matter, please contact me at (620) 364-4171, or Mr. Bill Muilenburg at (620) 364-4186.

Sincerely,



Cleveland Reasoner

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Enclosure

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**OPERATOR LICENSING  
EXAMINATION DATA**

Estimated burden per response to comply with this voluntary information collection request: 1 hour. This information collection is used to plan budgets and resources for operator examinations. Send comments regarding burden estimate to the FOIA, Privacy, and Information Collections Branch (T-5 F53), U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, Washington, DC 20555-0001, or by internet e-mail to [Infocollects.Resource@nrc.gov](mailto:Infocollects.Resource@nrc.gov), and to the Desk Officer, Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs, NEOB-10202, (3150-0131), Office of Management and Budget, Washington, DC 20503. If a means used to impose an information collection does not display a currently valid OMB control number, the NRC may not conduct or sponsor, and a person is not required to respond to, the information collection.

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**A. PROPOSED EXAMINATION PREPARATION SCHEDULE**

| PROPOSED NUMBER                                    | <u>CY 2017</u> | <u>CY 2018</u> | <u>CY 2019</u> | <u>CY 2020</u> |
|--|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|
| ESTIMATED NUMBER OF LICENSEE-PREPARED EXAMINATIONS | 1              | 0              | 1              | 0              |
| ESTIMATED NUMBER OF NRC-PREPARED EXAMINATIONS      | 0              | 0              | 0              | 0              |

**B. INITIAL OPERATOR LICENSE EXAMINATIONS**

| PROPOSED NUMBER                              | <u>CY 2017</u> | <u>CY 2018</u> | <u>CY 2019</u> | <u>CY 2020</u> |
|--|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|
| NUMBER OF REACTOR OPERATORS                  | 9              | 0              | 9              | 0              |
| NUMBER OF SENIOR REACTOR OPERATORS - INSTANT | 5              | 0              | 5              | 0              |
| NUMBER OF SENIOR REACTOR OPERATORS - UPGRADE | 4              | 0              | 4              | 0              |
| NUMBER OF SENIOR REACTOR OPERATORS - LIMITED | 0              | 0              | 0              | 0              |
| <b>PROPOSED DATES</b>                        |                |                |                |                |
| PRIMARY DATE                                 | 11/13/2017     |                | 11/18/2019     |                |
| ALTERNATE DATE                               | 11/06/2017     |                | 11/11/2019     |                |

**C. PROPOSED GENERIC FUNDAMENTALS EXAMINATION (GFE) SCHEDULE**

| PROPOSED NUMBER                | <u>CY 2017</u> |      |           |          | <u>CY 2018</u> |      |           |          |
|--------------------------------|----------------|------|-----------|----------|----------------|------|-----------|----------|
|                                | MARCH          | JUNE | SEPTEMBER | DECEMBER | MARCH          | JUNE | SEPTEMBER | DECEMBER |
| ESTIMATED NUMBER OF CANDIDATES |                |      |           |          |                | 14   |           |          |