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SUBJECT: PALO VERDE NUCLEAR GENERATING STATION, UNITS 1, 2, AND 3 –  
NRC SECURITY INSPECTION REPORT 05000528/2015403, 05000529/2015403,  
AND 05000530/2015403

Dear Mr. Edington:

On August 20, 2015, the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) completed a security inspection at Palo Verde Nuclear Generating Station, Units 1, 2, and 3. An NRC inspector discussed the results of this inspection with Ms. M. Lecal, Vice President, Regulatory and Oversight, and other members of your staff. The inspector documented the results of this inspection in the enclosed inspection report.

The NRC inspector did not identify any findings or violations of more than minor significance.

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Sincerely,

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