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Mr. Frank Rusco, Director
Natural Resources and Environment
U.S. Government Accountability Office
441 G Street, NW
Washington, D.C. 20548

Dear Mr. Rusco:

Thank you for providing the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) with the opportunity to review and comment on the U.S. Government Accountability Office's (GAO's) draft report GAO-18-67, "Critical Infrastructure Protection: Electricity Suppliers Have Taken Actions To Address Electromagnetic Risks, and Additional Research is Ongoing." The NRC has reviewed the draft report, and has provided a few minor comments for GAO consideration. Please see the comments in the enclosure to this letter.

If you have any questions about the NRC's response, please contact John Jolicoeur by telephone at (301) 415-1642 or by email at John.Jolicoeur@nrc.gov.

Sincerely,

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Victor M. McCree
Executive Director
for Operations

Enclosure:
As stated

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 ACCOUNTABILITY OFFICE, LETTER RE: PROPOSED REPORT ON CRITICAL
 INFRASTRUCTURE PROTECTION: ELECTRICITY SUPPLIERS HAVE TAKEN
 ACTIONS TO ADDRESS ELECTROMAGNETIC RISKS, AND ADDITIONAL
 RESEARCH IS ONGOING (GAO-18-67) (CODE 100893) DATED January 11, 2018

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