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June 21, 2018

Mr. David B. Hamilton
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SUBJECT: PERRY NUCLEAR POWER PLANT—CYBER-SECURITY INSPECTION
REPORT 05000440/2018410

Dear Mr. Hamilton:

On April 20, 2018, the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) completed an inspection at the Perry Nuclear Power Plant. On April 20, 2018, and May 10, 2018, the NRC inspectors discussed the results of this inspection with you and other members of your staff. The results of the inspection are documented in the enclosed report.

The NRC inspectors documented one NRC-identified violation in this report, where the violation was of very-low significance (Green). The NRC is treating this violation as a Non-Cited Violation consistent with Section 2.3.2.a of the Enforcement Policy.

One cross-cutting aspect was assigned to a finding in the area of Human Performance. Specifically, you failed to use a systematic process for evaluating and implementing change so that nuclear safety remains the overriding priority. [H.3]

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In addition, if you disagree with a 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 U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, ATTN: Document Control Desk, Washington, DC, 20555-0001; with copies to the Regional Administrator, Region III; and the NRC Resident Inspector at Perry Nuclear Power Plant.

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Sincerely,

/RA Richard Skokowski for/

Robert C. Daley, Chief
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