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October 15, 2018

Mr. Adam C. Heflin  
President and Chief Executive Officer  
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Burlington, KS 66839

SUBJECT: WOLF CREEK GENERATING STATION NRC INSPECTION REPORT  
05000482/2018201

Dear Mr. Heflin:

On September 11, 2018, the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) completed a security inspection at your Wolf Creek Generating Station. The NRC inspectors discussed the results of this inspection with Mr. Cleveland Reasoner, Site Vice President and Chief Nuclear Officer, and other members of your staff. The results of this inspection are documented in the enclosed report.

NRC inspectors documented four findings of very low security significance (Green) in this report. These findings involved violations of NRC requirements. The NRC is treating these violations as non-cited violations (NCVs) consistent with Section 2.3.2.a of the Enforcement Policy.

If you contest these violations or the significance of these NCVs, you should provide a response within 30 days from the date of this inspection report, with the basis for your denial, to the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, ATTN: Document Control Desk, Washington DC 20555-0001; with copies to the Regional Administrator, Region IV; the Director, Office of Nuclear Security and Incident Response; the Director, Office of Enforcement; and the NRC resident inspector at the Wolf Creek Generating Station.

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Sincerely,

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