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Mr. Robert S. Bement  
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SUBJECT: PALO VERDE NUCLEAR GENERATING STATION, UNITS 1, 2, AND 3  
NRC INSPECTION REPORT 05000528/2019201, 05000529/2019201, AND  
05000530/2019201

Dear Mr. Bement:

On February 7, 2019, the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) completed a security inspection at your Palo Verde Nuclear Generating Station, Units 1, 2, and 3. The NRC inspectors discussed the results of this inspection with Mr. Michael McLaughlin, Vice President, Operations Support, and other members of your staff. The results of this inspection are documented in the enclosed report.

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

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The NRC is waiving the affidavit requirements for your response in accordance with 10 CFR 2.390(B)(1)(ii).

Sincerely,

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Danté Johnson, Branch Chief  
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Division of Security Operations  
Office of Nuclear Security and Incident Response

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