

## UNITED STATES NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION REGION IV 1600 EAST LAMAR BOULEVARD ARLINGTON, TEXAS 76011-4511

May 31, 2019

Mr. Eric Larson, Site Vice President Entergy Operations, Inc. Grand Gulf Nuclear Station P.O. Box 756 Port Gibson, MS 39150

SUBJECT: CLOSURE OF INVESTIGATION (OI 4-2017-029)

Dear Mr. Larson:

This refers to an investigation conducted by the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission's (NRC's) Office of Investigations regarding activities at the Grand Gulf Nuclear Station. The Office of Investigations initiated the investigation to determine whether employees at the Grand Gulf Nuclear Station willfully failed to implement As Low As Reasonably Achievable (ALARA) planning and controls during Refueling Outage 20 (RF-20).

Based on the evidence developed during the investigation, the concern was not substantiated. The NRC plans no further action related to the willful aspect of this concern and considers this investigation closed.

You should note that final NRC documents may be made available to the public under the Freedom of Information Act subject to redaction of information pursuant to the Freedom of Information Act. Requests under the Freedom of Information Act should be made in accordance with 10 CFR 9.23, Requests for Records. Information is accessible from the NRC's website at <a href="http://www.nrc.gov/reading-rm/foia/foia-request.html#how">http://www.nrc.gov/reading-rm/foia/foia-request.html#how</a>.

In accordance with 10 CFR 2.390 of the NRC's "Agency Rules of Practice and Procedure," a copy of this letter will be made available electronically for public inspection in the NRC Public Document Room or from the NRC's Agencywide Documents Access and Management System (ADAMS), accessible from the NRC website at <u>http://www.nrc.gov/reading-rm/adams.html</u>.

Sincerely,

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G. Michael Vasquez, Team Leader Allegations Coordination and Enforcement Staff

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