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Mr. Steven Vercelli, Site Vice President
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SUBJECT: RIVER BEND STATION – NRC SECURITY INSPECTION REPORT
05000458/2019410

Dear Mr. Vercelli:

On July 2, 2019, the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) completed an inspection at your River Bend Station. On June 14, 2019, the NRC inspectors discussed the results of the Access Control inspection with Mr. Scott Kent and other members of your staff. On July 2, 2019, the NRC inspectors discussed the results of the Review of Target Set inspection with Mr. Keith Crissman, Senior Manager, Projects and Maintenance Support. The results of this inspection are documented in the enclosed report.

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

If you contest the violations or significance of these NCVs, you should provide a response within 30 days of 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 Enforcement; and the NRC resident inspector at the River Bend Station.

One cross-cutting aspect was assigned to a finding in the area of Human Performance, Avoid Complacency, [H.12]. 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 IV; and the NRC resident inspector at the River Bend Station.

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Sincerely,

/RA/

Ray L. Kellar P.E., Chief
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Division of Reactor Safety

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Enclosure:
Inspection Report 05000458/2019410

cc: Mr. Todd Kauffman
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