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SUBJECT: Revision to Licensee Response to Notice of Violation 50-482/9704-01

Dear Mr. Maynard:

Thank you for your letter of May 8, 1997, informing us of your plans to revise the completion date for revision of Procedure AP 28A-001, "Performance Improvement Request." We have reviewed the new anticipated date for completion of the procedure revision and find it acceptable. We will review the implementation of your procedure revision during a future inspection to determine that full compliance has been achieved and will be maintained.

Sincerely,

Thomas P. Gwynn, Director Division of Reactor Projects

Docket No.: 50-482 License No.: NPF-42

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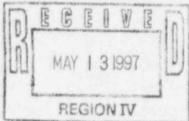
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> References: 1) Letter dated March 10, 1997, from A. T. Howell, NRC, to O. L. Maynard, WCNOC 2) Letter ET 97-0044, dated April 23, 1997, from R. A. Muench, WCNOC, to NRC Document Control Desk

Subject:

Docket No. 50-482: Revision to Response to Notice of Violation 50-482/9704-01

Gentlemen:

This letter transmits a revision to Wolf Creek Nuclear Operating Corporation's (WCNOC) ET 97-0044 response to Notice of Violation 50-482/9704-01 (Reference 2). Violation 9704-01 concerned the failure of a Shift Supervisor to recognize conditions requiring entry into Technical Specification Action Statement 3.6.3, and failure to log that entry.

The first paragraph under the heading "Corrective Steps That Will Be Taken And The Date When Full Compliance Will Be Achieved:" on page 2 of letter ET 97-0044, stated:

"Procedure AP 28A-001, Revision 6, 'Performance Improvement Request,' will be revised by May 10, 1997, to provide guidance for when a multi-discipline team approach should be used to perform evaluations of significant PIRs. This will ensure that knowledgeable organizations are given the opportunity to provide input into the evaluation process for significant issues."

The completion date has been revised from May 10, 1997, to July 10, 1997, to allow a thorough review and revision of the Performance Improvement Request process.

If you have any questions regarding this response revision, please contact me at (316) 364-8831, extension 4000, or Mr. Richard D. Flannigan at extension 4500.

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