

Bart D. Withers President and Chief Executive Officer

May 31, 1988

WM 88-0142

U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission ATTN: Document Control Desk Washington, D. C. 20555

Subject: Docket No. 50-482: Response to Generic Letter 88-05
Boric Acid Corrosion of Carbon Steel Reactor Pressure
Boundary Components in PWR Plants

Gentlemen:

The purpose of this letter is to provide Wolf Creek Nuclear Operating Corporation's (WCNOC) schedule for developing and implementing boric acid corrosion inspection procedures. This schedule is being submitted in accordance with the requirements of Generic Letter 88-05 "Boric Acid Corrosion of Carbon Steel Reactor Pressure Boundary Components in PWR Plants", dated March 17, 1988.

WCNOC is arrently developing an administrative procedure and enhancing existing procedures to provide assurance that boric acid corrosion does not lead to degradation of the reactor coolant pressure boundary. The procedures will be completed and implemented by September 30, 1988.

If you have any questions concerning this submittal, contact me or Mr. O. L. Maynard of my staff.

Very truly yours,

Bart. D. Withers President and

Chief Executive Officer

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Bart D. Withers, of lawful age, being first duly sworn upon oath says that he is President and Chief Executive Officer of Wolf Creek Nuclear Operating Corporation; that he has read the foregoing document and knows the content thereof; that he has executed that same for and on behalf of said Corporation with full power and authority to do so; and that the facts therein stated are true and correct to the best of his knowledge, information and belief.

President and Chief Executive Officer

SUBSCRIBED and sworn to before me this 31 day of may , 1988.

Marline Seathmar
Notary Public

Expiration Date August 4, 1990

