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July 8, 2021

Mr. Ernest J. Kapopoulos, Jr.
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Hartsville, SC 29550

SUBJECT: H.B. ROBINSON STEAM ELECTRIC PLANT – CYBER SECURITY
INSPECTION REPORT 05000261/2021401

Dear Mr. Kapopoulos, Jr.:

On April 30, 2021, the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) completed an inspection at H.B. Robinson Steam Electric Plant. On May 25, 2021, the NRC inspectors discussed the results of this inspection with you and other members of your staff. The results of this inspection are documented in the enclosed report.

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

If you contest the violations or the significance or severity of the violations documented in this inspection report, 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 II; the Director, Office of Enforcement; the Director, Office of Nuclear Security and Incident Response; and the NRC Resident Inspector at H.B. Robinson Steam Electric Plant.

The following cross cutting aspects were assigned to findings using Inspection Manual Chapter 0310 "Aspects Within Cross Cutting Areas:" one [H.1] - Resources and one [H.14] - Conservative Bias.

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 II; the Director, Office of Nuclear Security and Incident Response; and the NRC Resident Inspector at H.B. Robinson Steam Electric Plant.

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Sincerely,

/RA/

Scott M. Shaeffer, Chief
Engineering Branch 2
Division of Reactor Safety

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