

# WOLF CREEK

NUCLEAR OPERATING CORPORATION

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Reference: 1) NRC letter dated June 21, 1993, 1993, "Generic Letter 93-04, Rod Control System Failure and Withdrawal of Rod Cluster Control Assemblies"  
2) Letter ET 93-0094 dated August 5, 1993, from F. T. Rhodes, WCNO, to the Nuclear Regulatory Commission  
3) Letter ET 93-0107 dated September 17, 1993, from F. T. Rhodes, WCNO, to the Nuclear Regulatory Commission

Subject: Docket No. 50-482: Response to the Request for Additional Information Regarding Generic Letter 93-04, "Rod Control System Failure and Withdrawal of Rod Cluster Control Assemblies, 10 CFR 50.54(f)"

Gentlemen:

The NRC issued a Request for Additional Information regarding Generic Letter 93-04 (Reference 1) on December 19, 1994. This letter was issued pursuant to 10 CFR 50.54(f), and required a response to be submitted to the NRC within 30 days of receipt of the letter. In that letter, you specifically requested that Wolf Creek Nuclear Operating Corporation (WCNO): 1) confirm, in writing, the installation of the control rod current order timing modification, and 2) commit to implement the new current order surveillance test, or provide an alternative surveillance test for staff review and approval. Both the current order timing modification and the new current order surveillance test are described in WCAP-13864, Rev. 1, Westinghouse Technical Bulletin NSD-TB-94-05-RO, and Westinghouse Owner's Group (WOG) document "Recommended Rod Control System Surveillance Test."

- 1) The current order timing modification recommended by Westinghouse was installed and tested at Wolf Creek Generating Station.

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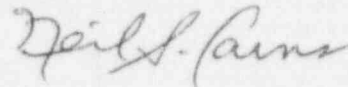
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- 2) WCNOC commits to perform, prior to startup from each refueling outage, the current order surveillance test that consists of the Type A and C tests as discussed in the above WCAP, Technical Bulletin, and WOG document.

If you have any questions concerning this matter, please contact me at (316) 364-8831, extension 4100, or Mr. Richard D. Flannigan at extension 4500.

Very truly yours,



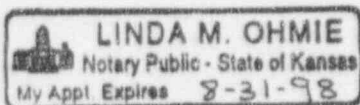
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Neil S. Carns, of lawful age, being first duly sworn upon oath says that he is President and Chief Executive Officer of Wolf Creek Nuclear Operating Corporation; that he has read the foregoing document and knows the content thereof; that he has executed 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.



By Neil S. Carns  
Neil S. Carns  
President and  
Chief Executive Officer

SUBSCRIBED and sworn to before me this 26<sup>th</sup> day of January, 1995.

Linda M. Ohmie  
Notary Public

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