

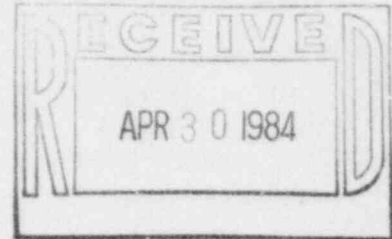


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KMLNRC 84-071

Re: Docket No. STN 50-482

Subj: Potential 10CFR50.55(e) Interim Report -
Seismic Positioner Plates on DS-416 Breakers

Dear Mr. Johnson:

This letter provides an interim report on a potential 10CFR50.55(e) concerning seismic positioner plates on Westinghouse DS-416 reactor trip breakers supplied to Wolf Creek Generating Station. This matter was initially reported to Mr. William Johnson of the Nuclear Regulatory Commission, Region IV, by Mr. O.L. Maynard of Kansas Gas and Electric Company (KG&E) on March 27, 1984.

During a field inspection of four DS-416 reactor trip breakers, it was observed that the required seismic positioner plates had not been installed on these breakers. The omission of these seismic positioner plates could possibly limit the ability of the reactor trip breaker assemblies to perform their function during a seismic event. KG&E is pursuing the final resolution of this matter.

The status of this potential 10CFR50.55(e) will be carried on the monthly status update as file 53564-K132. The final report or any significant information will be submitted by separate correspondence. In the interim, please direct any questions concerning this subject to me or to Mr. Otto Maynard of my staff.

Very truly,

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