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Reference: Letter ET 95-0100 dated November 22, 1995 from
R. C. Hagan to USNRC
Subject: Docket No. 50-482: Revision to Technical Specification
3.9.4, "Containment Building Penetrations"

Gentlemen:

This letter transmits a revision to the application for amendment to Facility Operating License No. NPF-42 for Wolf Creek Generating Station (WCGS) dated November 22, 1995. The Reference proposed modifications to the WCGS Technical Specifications to revise Technical Specification 3.9.4, "Containment Building Penetrations," and its associated Bases section, to allow the containment personnel airlock doors to be open during core alterations and movement of irradiated fuel in containment. This revision to the Reference is being submitted due to discussions held on January 26, 1996, with Mr. J. C. Stone, NRC Project Manager. Based upon these discussions, additional information will be added to the bases section for Technical Specification 3.9.4, to describe the purpose of administrative controls associated with the open status of containment during core alterations and fuel handling.

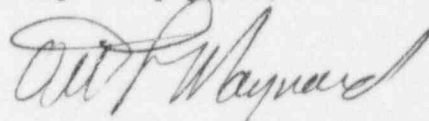
Attached is the revised page from the Bases section for Technical Specification 3.9.4. This revision does not affect the discussions or conclusions of the original Safety Evaluation, No Significant Hazards Consideration Determination, nor the Environmental Impact Determination provided by the Reference.

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A copy of this letter, with attachment, is being provided to the designated Kansas State official.

If you have any questions concerning this matter, please contact me at (316) 364-8831 extension 4450 or Mr. Richard D. Flannigan at extension 4500.

Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Otto L. Maynard".

Otto L. Maynard

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Attachment

cc: L. J. Callan (NRC), w/a
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J. C. Stone (NRC), w/a

STATE OF KANSAS)
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COUNTY OF COFFEY)

Otto L. Maynard, of lawful age, being first duly sworn upon oath says that he is Vice President Plant Operations 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 *Otto L. Maynard*
Otto L. Maynard
Vice President
Plant Operations

SUBSCRIBED and sworn to before me this 8TH day of FEBRUARY, 1996.

Mary E. Gifford
Notary Public

Expiration Date 12/09/1999