

**CENWW-OD-G**

**March 9, 2023**

**MEMORANDUM FOR THE RECORD: 23 LGS 01 Unit Priority Deviation, Unit 6 Testing**

**SUBJECT: Temporary Priority Unit Deviation for Required NERC Compliance Testing of Unit 6**

**Background**

Every two years MOD 25 testing of units is required to achieve WECC NERC procedural compliance and avoid regulatory violation. The testing for Unit 6 was scheduled for late February upon completion of the outage period to complete 20 LGS 16 MOC, Powerhouse Roof Repair, finalized with return to service status of units 1, 2, 3, 4, and 6 on February 23, 2023, at 14:45, and prior to the start of the fish passage season.

Unit 6 was forced into outage shortly thereafter on February 23 at 17:58 due to a NEXUS meter failure. The NEXUS meter repairs were completed, and the unit not returned to service status until 15:30 on February 28, 2023, thereby disrupting the scheduled window for MOD 25 testing. The required NERC compliance testing was quickly rescheduled for March 8, 2023. Unit 1 was in generation status when unit 6 testing began at 09:22, and due to over generation limitations was shut down at 10:16. Unit 1 was returned to service March 8 at 11:15, and Unit 6 testing was completed, and unit 6 shut down at 11:16.

Little Goose operated outside of unit priority on March 8, 2023 between the hours of 09:22 and 11:16.

- A. Species – NA
- B. Origin – NA
- C. Length – NA
- D. Marks and tags – NA
- E. Marks and Injuries found on carcass – NA
- F. Cause and Time of Death – NA
- G. Future and Preventative Measures – NA

Sincerely,  
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