

SENATE RESOLUTION No. 1824

A RESOLUTION recognizing and congratulating the renewal of Wolf Creek Nuclear Operating Corporation's license.

WHEREAS, On November 20, 2008, the Nuclear Regulatory Commission approved Wolf Creek's application for a renewed license for the Wolf Creek Generating Station; and

WHEREAS, Wolf Creek Generating Station has been providing Kansas with energy since June 4, 1985; and

WHEREAS, Wolf Creek's original 40-year license was scheduled to expire in 2025 and the renewed operating license allows the station to operate an additional 20 years until 2045; and

WHEREAS, Wolf Creek is the 50th nuclear power unit among the nation's 104 licensed plants to receive a license renewal; and

WHEREAS, Wolf Creek has been, and continues to be, a reliable, safe source of electricity for all of its customers; and

WHEREAS, According to a 2006 study conducted by the Nuclear Energy Institute, Wolf Creek has had a positive impact on the economy for both Coffey County and the state of Kansas, contributing \$165 million annually to the local and state economy in the form of payroll, purchases and taxes; and

WHEREAS, This renewed operating license ensures that Wolf Creek will continue to be an important part of Kansas' energy portfolio: Now, therefore,

Be it resolved by the Senate of the State of Kansas: That we do hereby recognize and congratulate the Wolf Creek Nuclear Operating Corporation for receiving a renewal of its operating license, enabling it to continue to serve the energy needs of Kansas for years to come.

Be it further resolved: That the Secretary of the Senate be directed to provide five enrolled copies of this resolution to Senator Derek Schmidt.

Senate Resolution No. 1824 was sponsored by Senator Derek Schmidt.

I hereby certify that the above RESOLUTION originated in the SENATE, and was adopted by that body

President of the Senate.

Secretary of the Senate.