August 18, 2015

Charles A. Beamon
Associate General Counsel and
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Federal Energy Regulatory Commission
888 First Street, NE
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Dear Mr. Beamon:

As a result of its onsite inspection of the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (FERC) ethics program, the United States Office of Government Ethics (OGE) issued two recommendations in its March 2015 inspection report. In August 2015, OGE conducted a follow-up to assess the implementation of the recommendations.

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<td>1 Certify public financial disclosure reports timely.</td>
<td>FERC has put in place measures to expedite remedial action and any required follow-up with agency financial disclosure report filers. During its follow-up, OGE verified that all public financial disclosure reports filed subsequent to OGE’s inspection had been timely certified.</td>
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<td>2 Ensure new entrant confidential financial disclosure reports are filed timely.</td>
<td>In coordination with its Human Resources office, FERC has put in place measures to expeditiously identify new hires or promotions to positions requiring the filing of a confidential financial disclosure report. OGE verified that all of FERC’s new entrant confidential financial disclosure reports required to be filed subsequent to OGE’s inspection were filed, reviewed and certified in a timely manner.</td>
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Thank you for your assistance during the follow-up process. We encourage you to contact your OGE Desk Officer for any future ethics program support.

Sincerely,

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Dale Christopher
Deputy Director for Compliance