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U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
Attn: Document Control Desk
Washington, DC 20555

SUBJECT: Entergy Operations, Inc.
Supplemental Information Pertaining to Relaxation Requests to NRC Order EA-03-009 (TAC Nos. MB9542, MB8927, and MC0640)

Arkansas Nuclear One, Unit 2
Docket No. 50-368
License No. NPF-6

REFERENCES:

1. NRC letter, "Arkansas Nuclear One, Unit 2 (ANO-2) – Relaxation Request from U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) Order EA-03-009 for the Vessel Head Penetration Control Element Drive Mechanism (CEDM) Nozzles (TAC No. MB9542)," dated September 25, 2003
2. NRC letter, "Arkansas Nuclear One, Unit 2 (ANO-2) – Relaxation Request from U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) Order EA-03-009 for the Control Element Drive Mechanism Nozzles (TAC No. MB9542)," dated October 9, 2003
3. NRC letter, "Arkansas Nuclear One, Unit 2 (ANO-2) – Relaxation Request from NRC Order EA-03-009 Regarding the Bare Metal Visual Examination (TAC No. MB8927)," dated October 9, 2003
4. NRC letter, "Arkansas Nuclear One, Unit 2 (ANO-2) – Relaxation Request from U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) Order EA-03-009 for the Incore Instrumentation Nozzles (TAC No. MC0640)," dated October 9, 2003

Dear Sir or Madam:

In the referenced letters, the NRC staff requested that Entergy Operations, Inc. (Entergy) review information contained in safety evaluations that the staff had prepared to support relaxation requests to NRC Order EA-03-009. Entergy had submitted these requests for Arkansas Nuclear One, Unit 2 (ANO-2). Specifically, the staff requested that Entergy review the safety evaluations to determine if they contained any proprietary information.

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Entergy has reviewed the safety evaluations with the owners of the information, Dominion Engineering, Inc. and Westinghouse Electric Co., and has concluded that they contain no proprietary information. Entergy informed the NRC staff of these conclusions via telephone conversations on September 30, 2003 and October 14, 2003.

This letter contains no new commitments.

If you have any questions or require additional information, please contact Guy Davant at (601) 368-5756.

Sincerely,

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