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U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission Attention: Document Control Desk One White Flint North 11555 Rockville Pike Rockville, MD 20852-2738 301-415-7000

SUBJECT:

Entergy Operations, Inc. – Implementation Confirmation

for Orders dated April 29, 2003

River Bend Station Docket No. 50-458 License No. NPF-47

REFERENCES:

See Below

Dear Sir or Madam:

The NRC issued Orders dated April 29, 2003: EA-03-038, *Order for Compensatory Measures Related to Fitness-For-Duty Enhancements Applicable to Nuclear Facility Security Force Personnel;* EA-03-039, *Order for Compensatory Measures Related to Training Enhancements on Tactical and Firearms Proficiency and Physical Fitness Applicable to Armed Nuclear Power Plant Security Force* Personnel; and EA-03-086, *Order Requiring Compliance with Revised Design Basis Threat* (collectively referred to as "Orders") for River Bend Station. In addition to other requirements, the Orders required nuclear power plant licensees to revise their physical security plans, safeguards contingency plans, and security force training and qualification plans; submit those plans to the NRC for approval by April 29, 2004; and complete implementation of those plans by October 29, 2004, unless a request for a schedule extension for one or more elements of those plans was approved by the NRC.

On September 30, 2004, Entergy Operations Inc. (Entergy) filed a Supplemental Response to Order EA-03-086 that contained the Physical Security Plan, the Contingency Plan, and the Training and Qualification Plan as required by Order EA-03-086 for River Bend Station. By letter dated October 28, 2004, the NRC issued a Safety Evaluation Report documenting the NRC's review and acceptance of those plans. Section III.C. of Order EA-03-086 requires Entergy to advise the NRC when implementation of the NRC approved physical security plans, safeguards contingency plans, and general training and qualification plans has been accomplished. Section III.C.2. of Order EA-03-39 requires Entergy to advise the NRC when full compliance with the requirements in Attachment 2 to that Order has been achieved.

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Entergy hereby certifies that those conditions have been met and the exercise of enforcement discretion pursuant to the Orders during the transition period will no longer be necessary.

This letter includes no new commitments.

I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct. Executed on the 8th day of November, 2004.

Respectfully submitted,

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REFERENCES:

Updated River Bend Station Submittal of Security Plan, T&Q Plan and Safeguards Contingency Plans Incorporating RAI Responses, dated September 30, 2004 (RBG-46335)

April 29, 2004 letter to Document Control Desk, River Bend Station Submittal of Revision to Security Plan, T&Q Plan and Safeguards Contingency Plans (RBG-46266)

NRC Letters from Samuel J. Collins to Holders of Licenses for Operating Power Reactors as listed in Enclosure 2, dated April 29, 2003 Regarding Issuance of Order Requiring Compliance with Revised Design Basis Threat for Operating Power Reactors (EA-03-086), Issuance of Order for Compensatory Measures Related to Training Enhancements on Tactical and Firearms Proficiency and Physical Fitness Applicable to Armed Nuclear Power Plant Security Force Personnel (EA-03-039) (RBC-50030 & 50031)

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