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U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission

Attn.: Document Control Desk Washington, DC 20555-0001

SUBJECT:

Request for Alternative ANO2-R&R-008
Use of Mechanical Nozzle Seal Assemblies

Arkansas Nuclear One, Unit 2

Docket No. 50-368 License No. NPF-6

REFERENCES:

1. Letter from Entergy Operations, Inc. to the NRC dated January 31, 2005

2. Letter from Entergy Operations, Inc. to the NRC dated January 24, 2005

Dear Sir or Madam:

In Reference #1, Entergy Operations, Inc. (Entergy) responded to the NRC staff's Request for Additional Information (RAI) pertaining to Entergy's Request for Alternative ANO2-R&R-008, which was submitted via Reference #2. On February 1, 2005, representatives from Entergy and the NRC staff participated in a telephone call to discuss Entergy's response to the RAI. Based on that call, Entergy is providing corrected commitments to replace those that were provided in Reference #1. These corrected commitments are provided in the enclosure to this letter.

Should you have any questions regarding this letter, please contact Guy Davant of my staff at (601) 368-5756.

Very truly yours,

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F.G. Burford

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Enclosure: Licensee-Identified Commitments Associated with Request for Alternative

ANO2-R&R-008

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ENCLOSURE

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LICENSEE-IDENTIFIED COMMITMENTS
ASSOCIATED WITH REQUEST FOR ALTERNATIVE ANO2-R&R-008

LICENSEE-IDENTIFIED COMMITMENTS

		TYPE (Check one)		SCHEDULED
	COMMITMENT	ONE-TIME ACTION	CONTINUING COMPLIANCE	COMPLETION DATE
1.	The results of the VT-2 exams discussed in Sections III.B.3 and III.B.4 of Request for Alternative ANO2-R&R-008 will be evaluated by comparing them with acceptance standard IWB-3522.			Spring, 2005 (2R17)
2.	The results of the VT-3 exam discussed in Section III.B.3 of Request for Alternative ANO2-R&R-008 will be evaluated by comparing them with acceptance standard IWB-3520.2.	✓		Spring, 2005 (2R17)