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**SUBJECT: ARKANSAS NUCLEAR ONE, UNIT 1 - NRC INITIAL OPERATOR LICENSING
EXAMINATION APPROVAL 05000313/2005303**

Dear Mr. Forbes:

The purpose of this letter is to confirm the final arrangements for the upcoming operator licensing examination at Arkansas Nuclear One, Unit 1.

The NRC has completed its review of the operator license application submitted in connection with this examination and separately provided the name of the approved applicant to Randal Martin, Training Supervisor, Unit 1. Note that any examination waivers and application denials have been addressed in separate correspondence.

The NRC has approved the subject examination and hereby authorizes you to administer the written examination in accordance with Revision 9 of NUREG-1021, "Operator Licensing Examination Standards for Power Reactors," on December 7, 2005.

Please contact your Chief Examiner, Gary Johnston, at (817) 276-8526, if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

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