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River Bend Station Fitness-For-Duty Program
Six-Month Performance Data Report**

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Gentlemen:

Pursuant to 10CFR26.71 (d) "Recordkeeping requirements," enclosed is River Bend Station's Fitness-for-Duty (FFD) Six-Month Program Performance Data Report for the report period July 1, 2005, through December 31, 2005. This report contains statistical data and trend analysis compiled by the Fitness-for-Duty Department.

Should you have any questions regarding the attached, please contact Ms. Dee Childress at (225) 381-3655 or Mr. Bill Fountain of my staff at (225) 381-4625.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "David N. Lorfing".

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FITNESS FOR DUTY PROGRAM PERFORMANCE DATA PERSONNEL SUBJECT TO 10CFR26

Entergy Operations, Inc.	December 31, 2005
Company	6 Months Ending
River Bend Station	
Location	
Dee Childress	(225) 381-3655
Contact Name	Phone (Include Area Code)
Cutoffs: Screen / Confirmation <input type="checkbox"/> Appendix A to 10CFR26	
Marijuana 100 and 50 / 15 Amphetamines 1000 / 500	<u> N / A </u> /
Cocaine 300 / 150 Phencyclidine 25 / 25	<u> N / A </u> /
Opiates 300 / 300 Alcohol (%BAC) 0.04%	<u> N / A </u> /

Testing Results	Licensee Employees		Long-Term Contractor Personnel		Short-Term Contractor Personnel	
	# Tested	# Positive	# Tested	# Positive	# Tested	# Positive
Average Number with Unescorted Access	687.60		N / A		270.51	
Pre-Access	22	0	N / A	N / A	109	0
For-Cause (Post accident)	0	0	N / A	N / A	1	0
For-Cause (Behavior)	1	1	N / A	N / A	3	2
Random	165	0	N / A	N / A	74	0
Follow-Up	16	0	N / A	N / A	3	0
Other	0	0	N / A	N / A	0	0
Total	204	1	N / A	N / A	190	2

BREAKDOWN OF CONFIRMED POSITIVE TESTS FOR SPECIFIC SUBSTANCES July – December 2005

	Marijuana	Cocaine	Opiates	Amphetamines	Phencyclidine	Alcohol	Refusal to Test	1	2	3	4	5	
Licensee Employees	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	
Long-Term Contractor	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	
Short-Term Contractor	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	
Total	1	1	0	0	0	2	0	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	4

**Fitness for Duty Program
Six Month Performance Report
July – December 2005**

PROGRAM SUMMARY:

The River Bend Station annual random testing rate is 50 percent. During this reporting period, approximately 23.28 percent of the population has been randomly tested. The rate of positive tests from random testing is 0 percent. The total random percentage for the year is 53.52 percent.

POSITIVE RESULTS:

During the six month report period, 394 samples were collected and tested. Three samples were confirmed positive for alcohol or illegal drugs. One of those samples was confirmed positive for marijuana and cocaine.

MANAGEMENT ACTIONS:

There were five for-cause tests conducted this period:

One was an observed behavior of an Entergy employee who tested positive for alcohol. Subject was sent home for 14 days without pay and subsequently terminated per Human Resources.

Three were observed behavior of contract employees, one tested positive for alcohol (denied for one year), one tested positive for marijuana and cocaine (admitted use during collection and was denied for three years) and the last had negative test results.

One contract employee was tested for a post accident and the results were negative.

EVENTS REPORTED TO THE NRC:

During this reporting period, there were no violations of the fitness for duty program that were reportable.

PROGRAM EVALUATION:

No programmatic problems were identified during this reporting period.