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U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
Attn: Document Control Desk
Washington, DC 20555-0001

Subject: Response to Regulatory Issue Summary 2017-03, "Preparation and Scheduling of Operator Licensing Examinations" (ML17025A240)
Arkansas Nuclear One – Units 1 and 2
Docket Nos. 50-313 and 50-368
License Nos. DPR-51 and NPF-6

Dear Sir or Madam:

Regulatory Issue Summary 2017-03 requests that licensees voluntarily update Operator licensing examination schedules and applicant estimates for calendar years 2019 through 2022. The requested information has been compiled by the Arkansas Nuclear One (ANO) Training Department for ANO Units 1 and 2 and is documented on the enclosed NRC Form 536. It should be noted that a separate NRC Form 536 was completed for each unit; therefore, there are two completed forms enclosed.

There are no commitments contained in this submittal. Should you have any questions concerning this submittal, please contact Randal Martin at 479-858-6844.

Sincerely,

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Enclosures

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Estimated burden per response to comply with this voluntary information collection request: 1 hour. This information collection is used to plan budgets and resources for operator examinations. Send comments regarding burden estimate to the FOIA, Privacy, and Information Collections Branch (T-5 F53), U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, Washington, DC20555-0001, or by e-mail to Infocollects.Resource@nrc.gov, and to the Desk Officer, Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs, NEOB-10202, (3150-0131), Office of Management and Budget, Washington, DC 20503. If a means used to impose an information collection does not display a currently valid OMB control number, the NRC may not conduct or sponsor, and a person is not required to respond to, the information collection.

FACILITY	NRC REGION
ARKANSAS NUCLEAR ONE, Unit 1	IV

A. PROPOSED EXAMINATION PREPARATION SCHEDULE

PROPOSED NUMBER	<u>CY 2019</u>	<u>CY 2020</u>	<u>CY 2021</u>	<u>CY 2022</u>
ESTIMATED NUMBER OF LICENSEE-PREPARED EXAMINATIONS	0	1	0	1
ESTIMATED NUMBER OF NRC-PREPARED EXAMINATIONS	0	0	0	0

B. INITIAL OPERATOR LICENSE EXAMINATIONS

PROPOSED NUMBER	<u>CY 2019</u>	<u>CY 2020</u>	<u>CY 2021</u>	<u>CY 2022</u>
NUMBER OF REACTOR OPERATORS	0	8	0	8
NUMBER OF SENIOR REACTOR OPERATORS - INSTANT	0	4	0	4
NUMBER OF SENIOR REACTOR OPERATORS - UPGRADE	0	4	0	4
NUMBER OF SENIOR REACTOR OPERATORS - LIMITED	0	0	0	0
PROPOSED DATES				
PRIMARY DATE		03/30/2020		03/14/2022
ALTERNATE DATE		04/13/2020		03/28/2022

C. PROPOSED GENERIC FUNDAMENTALS EXAMINATION (GFE) SCHEDULE

PROPOSED NUMBER	<u>CY</u>		<u>CY</u>	
	MARCH	SEPTEMBER	MARCH	SEPTEMBER
ESTIMATED NUMBER OF CANDIDATES				



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ARKANSAS NUCLEAR ONE, Unit 2

NRC REGION

IV

A. PROPOSED EXAMINATION PREPARATION SCHEDULE

PROPOSED NUMBER	<u>CY 2019</u>	<u>CY 2020</u>	<u>CY 2021</u>	<u>CY 2022</u>
ESTIMATED NUMBER OF LICENSEE-PREPARED EXAMINATIONS	1	0	1	0
ESTIMATED NUMBER OF NRC-PREPARED EXAMINATIONS	0	0	0	0

B. INITIAL OPERATOR LICENSE EXAMINATIONS

PROPOSED NUMBER	<u>CY 2019</u>	<u>CY 2020</u>	<u>CY 2021</u>	<u>CY 2022</u>
NUMBER OF REACTOR OPERATORS	8	0	8	0
NUMBER OF SENIOR REACTOR OPERATORS - INSTANT	4	0	4	0
NUMBER OF SENIOR REACTOR OPERATORS - UPGRADE	4	0	4	0
NUMBER OF SENIOR REACTOR OPERATORS - LIMITED	0	0	0	0
PROPOSED DATES				
PRIMARY DATE	03/11/2019		03/29/2021	
ALTERNATE DATE	03/25/2019		04/19/2021	

C. PROPOSED GENERIC FUNDAMENTALS EXAMINATION (GFE) SCHEDULE

PROPOSED NUMBER	<u>CY</u>		<u>CY</u>	
	MARCH	SEPTEMBER	MARCH	SEPTEMBER
ESTIMATED NUMBER OF CANDIDATES				