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March 19, 1976

Arkansas Power and Light Company
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Docket No. 50-313

Gentlemen:

This refers to the inspection conducted by Blaine Murray of this office on March 3-4, 1976 of activities authorized by NRC Operating License No. DPR-51, and to the discussion of the inspection findings held by Mr. Murray with Mr. J. W. Anderson, Jr. and other members of his staff at the conclusion of the inspection on March 4, 1976.

Areas examined during the inspection and our findings are discussed in the enclosed inspection report. Within these areas, the inspection consisted of selective examination of procedures and representative records, interviews with personnel, and observations by the inspector.

Within the scope of this inspection, no items of noncompliance were disclosed.

In accordance with Section 2.790 of the NRC's "Rules of Practice," Part 2, Title 10, Code of Federal Regulations, a copy of this letter and the enclosed inspection report will be placed in the NRC's Public Document Room. If this report contains any information that you believe to be proprietary, it is necessary that you submit a written application to this office requesting that such information be withheld from public disclosure. If no proprietary information is identified, a written statement to that effect should be submitted. If an application is submitted, it must fully identify the bases for which information is claimed to be proprietary. The application should be prepared so that information sought to be withheld is incorporated in a separate paper and

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referenced in the application since the application will be placed in the Public Document Room. Your application, or written statement, should be submitted to us within 20 days. If we are not contacted as specified, the enclosed report and this letter may then be placed in the Public Document Room.

Should you have any questions concerning this letter, we will be glad to discuss them with you.

Sincerely,

G. L. Madsen
G. L. Madsen, Chief
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Nuclear Support Branch

Enclosure:
IE Inspection Report No. 50-313/76-04