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Docket Nos. 50-313/77-16  
50-368/77-21

Arkansas Power and Light Company  
ATTN: Mr. W. Cavanaugh III  
Executive Director of Generation  
and Construction  
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Gentlemen:

Thank you for your letter of November 11, 1977 in response to our letter and Notice of Violation dated October 20, 1977. We have reviewed your response in regard to Infractions 1.a and 1.b and we continue to view these matters as items of noncompliance. We have no questions, however, regarding your indicated corrective action for these items, and we acknowledge your commitment to provide additional information on Infraction 1.b by February 1, 1978.

We find that additional information is needed relative to Infraction 1.c. Specifically, we request that you indicate the action which has been taken to prevent recurrence of this item.

We have no further questions regarding Infraction 1.d.

In our letter of October 20, we requested that you respond to the deviation identified in paragraph 3 of the inspection report. Your November 11 letter did not address this deviation. It is our understanding, based on a conversation on November 15 between your Mr. Alexander and Mr. J. E. Gagliardo of this office, that your failure to respond to the deviation was an oversight, and that you do plan to submit a response to the deviation. You are requested to submit to this office within 10 days, a written statement including the information requested in our October 20 letter in regard to the identified deviation.

Sincerely,

*G. L. Madsen*  
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