

Docket No. 50-313

January 4, 1969

Arkansas Power & Light Company
Sixth and Pine Streets
Ft. Bluff, Arkansas 71601

Attention: Mr. J. D. Phillips
Vice President & Chief Engineer

Gentlemen:

Please refer to Mr. Harlan T. Holmes' letter dated December 11, 1968 which forwarded a proposed liner anchorage test program, dated November 27, 1968, for the Bechtel-designed containment of your Russellville Nuclear Unit.

As noted in that letter an earlier version of this program was discussed on November 21, 1968 by representatives of the AEC and your agent, Bechtel, with general agreement as to procedures to be followed.

We have reviewed the revised test program, enclosed with your December 11, 1968 letter, and have concluded that this November 27 revision incorporates substantially all changes mutually agreed upon on November 21. There is one agreement area not specifically covered in the revised program that we assume will be included in your evaluation report on the test results. In the November 21 discussions, it was agreed that the results of the two tests to be made on the 4-12 weld samples with the liner plate stiffened and in compression would be extrapolated to the 6-12 welds if, as expected by Bechtel, the test machine does not have the capacity to reproduce this loading on the 6-12 welds.

Sincerely,

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Peter A. Morris, Director
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