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## Gentlemen:

The Commission has issued the enclosed Amendment No. 25 to Facility Operating License No. DPR-51 for Arkansas Nuclear One - Unit No. 1. This amendment consists of changes to the Technical Specifications in response to your request of September 30, 1976.

The amendment deletes references to certain usage of the terms "refueling period", "refueling outage", and "refueling shutdown" in response to the NRC letter dated June 7, 1976. In place of these terms, time periods affording easier interpretation of requirements have been specified. During our review, we determined that modifications to the requested changes were necessary. These changes were discussed with and agreed to by your staff and have been incorporated.

Copies of our related Safety Evaluation and Notice of Issuance also are enclosed.

Sincerely,

Original signed by M. Grotenhuis

Don K. Davis, Acting Chief Operating Reactors Branch #2 Division of Operating Reactors

Enclosures:

1. Amendment No. 25 to License No. DPR-51

2. Safety Evaluation

3. Notice

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