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Gentlemen:

We recently forwarded to you recommended technical specifications for existing fire protection equipment at Arkansas Nuclear One - Unit 1 (ANO-1) and asked that you respond within 20 days and advise us of any specific requirements to which you objected, citing the reasons and bases therefore. Your company's response, dated December 12, 1977, signed by Donald A. Reuter for Daniel H. Williams, stated simply that our recommended technical specifications were "unacceptable" without giving any explanation.

A complete fire hazards analysis has still not been submitted for ANO-1, and you are presently the only licensee that has not done so. The fire protection technical specifications that you originally proposed fell far short of the level of protection we believe is necessary. We consider the attention your organization has been giving to this important issue to be unsatisfactory.

We hope that this matter will be rectified by the material which your December 12, 1977 letter indicates that you will submit by January 16, 1978. You have already been advised that the licensing of ANO - Unit 2 is contingent upon satisfactory resolution of the fire protection review. Such resolution is to include both Units 1 and 2. In any event, the resolution with respect to Unit 1 must be achieved very promptly.

Sincerely,

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You have already been advised that the licensing of ANO - Unit 2 is contingent upon the satisfactory resolution of the fire protection review. We intend that this resolution will be for the ANO site, that is, to include Units 1 and 2. We look forward to receiving your January 15, 1978, submittal as indicated in your December 12, 1977 letter, and the prompt satisfactory resolution of this matter.

Sincerely,

Edson G. Case, Acting Director
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