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DOCKET NO. 50-313 ARKANSAS POWER AND LIGHT COMPANY NOTICE OF ISSUANCE OF AMENDMENT TO FACILITY OPERATING LICENSE

Notice is hereby given that the U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (the Commission) has issued Amendment No. 11 to Facility Operating License No. DPR-51 issued to Arkansas Power and Light Company which revised Technical Specifications for operation of Arkansas Nuclear One, Unit 1, located in Pope County, Arkansas. The amendment is effective as of its date of issuance.

The amendment eliminates the discharge sampling station for the ichthyoplankton entrainment program and incorporates the assumption of 100% mortality of entrained ichthyoplankton. The amendment retains sampling of station intake. Continued sampling of the intake with the assumption of 100% mortality will permit a conservative assessment of entrainment impact to be made.

The application for the amendment complies with the standards and requirements of the Atomic Energy Act of 1954, as amended (the Act), and the Commission's rules and regulations. The Commission has made appropriate findings as required by the Act and the Commission's rules and regulations in 10 CFR Chapter I, which are set forth in the license amendment. Prior

Supe of 8004210659 public notice of this amendment is not required since the amendment does not involve a significant hazards consideration.

The Commission has determined that the issuance of this amendment will not result in any significant environmental impact and that pursuant to 10 CFR § 51.5(d)(4) an environmental statement, negative declaration or environmental impact appraisal need not be prepared in connection with issuance of this amendment.

For further details with respect to this action, see (1) the application for amendment dated December 12, 1975, and (2) Amendment No. 11 to License No. DPR-51. Both of these items are available for public inspection at the Commission's Public Document Room, 1717 H Street, N. W. Washington, D. C. and at the Arkansas Polytechnic College, Russellville, Arkansas.

A copy of item (2) may be obtained upon request addressed to the U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, Washington, D. C. 20555, Attention: Director, Division of Operating Reactors.

Dated at Bethesda, Maryland, this 23rd day of February 1976.

FOR THE NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

D. L. Ziemann, Chief

Operating Reactor Branch No. 2 Division of Operating Reactors