

UNITED STATES NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION WASHINGTON, D. C. 20555

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Docket No. 50-313

Mr. William Cavanaugh, III Vice President, Generation and Construction Arkansas Power & Light Company P. O. Box 551 Little Rock, Arkansas 72203

Dear Mr. Cavanaugh:

Your letter of September 28, 1979, stated that the reactor cavity seal ring has been moved away from the annulus cavity area and, therefore, does not use a missile hazard. Our resident inspector at Arkansas Nuclear One, Unit No. 1 (ANC-1) has verified that the seal ring has been removed from the cavity annulus area and, therefore, no longer constitutes a potential missile hazard.

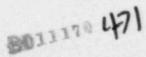
We have concluded that this safety issue has been satisfactorily resolved at ANO-1.

Sincerely,

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Robert W. Reid, Chief Operating Reactors Branch #4 Division of Licensing

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