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Subject: Arkansas Nuclear One - Unit 2

Docket No. 50-368 License No. NPF-6

Snubber Inspection Extension

Technical Specification Change Request

Gentlemen:

Attached for your review and approval is a proposed Technical Specification change to 3/4.7.8 Hydraulic Shock Suppressors (Snubbers) for ANO-2. The proposed change involves the visual inspection period for inaccessible snubbers.

The proposed change to the snubber visual inspection interval would allow the snubber inspection due between August 8, 1990 and February 6, 1991, to be delayed until the end of upcoming ANO-2 refueling outage (2R8) which is currently scheduled to begin February 17, 1991. This would prevent ANO-2 from being forced into shutdown condition specifically to perform the inspection of inaccessible snubbers. The snubbers will be inspected during the scheduled outage. Although the circumstances of this change are not exigent or emergency, expeditious handling of this change is requested.

In accordance with 10CFR50.91(a)(1), Entergy Operations has evaluated the proposed change using the criteria in 10CFR50.92(c) and has determined that said change involves no significant hazards consideration. The bases for this determination are attached.

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We request that the effective date for this change be upon NRC issuance of the amendment to allow for outage planning associated with this change.

Very truly yours,

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Ms. Greta Dicus, Director Division of Radiation Control and Emergency Management Arkansas Department of Health 4815 West Markham Street Little Rock, AR 72201 I, N. S. Carns, being duly sworn, subscribe to and say that I am Vice President, Operations ANO for Entergy Operations, Inc.; that I have full authority to execute this oath; that I have read the document numbered 2CAN109003 and know the contents thereof; and that to the best of my knowledge, information and belief the statements in it are true.

N. S. Carns

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN TO before me, a Notary Public in and for the County and State above named, this /// day of October, 1990.

Sandy Seebenmorgen Notary Public

My Commission Expires:

May 11, 2000