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OFFICE OF ENFORCEMENT
NOTIFICATION OF SIGNIFICANT ENFORCEMENT ACTION

Licensee: Entergy Operations, Inc. (EA 90-175)
(Arkansas Nuclear One)
Docket Nos. 50-313 and 50-368

Subject: PROPOSED IMPOSITION OF CIVIL PENALTY - \$50,000

This is to inform the Commission that a Notice of Violation and Proposed Imposition of Civil Penalty in the amount of \$50,000 will be issued on or about December 17, 1990 to Entergy Operations, Inc. This action is based on (1) the failure to identify and correct a deficiency with the air-operated Control Room isolation dampers and (2) providing inaccurate information to the NPC in response to Generic Letter 88-14, Instrument Air Supply System Problems Affecting Safety-Related Equipment. These violations were categorized as a single Severity Level III problem. The base civil penalty was escalated 50% for NRC identification. However, a 50% mitigation was applied because once put on notice of the problem, the licensee's corrective actions were extensive.

It should be noted that the licensee has not been specifically informed of the enforcement action. The schedule of issuance and notification is:

Mailing of Notice December 17, 1990
Telephone Notification of Licensee December 17, 1990

The State of Arkansas will be notified.

The licensee has thirty days from the date of the Notice in which to respond. Following NRC evaluation of the response, the civil penalty may be remitted, mitigated, or imposed by Order.

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