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Power Distribution Limits

Revised Technical Specification Change Request

Gentlemen:

On January 29, 1991, Entergy Operations requested a change (2CANØ19107) to the ANO-2 Technical Specifications revising Specifications 3.2.1 and 3.2.4.

Based on conversations with the NRC Staff on April 29, 1991, Entergy Operations is submitting the proposed revision to our original request. The ACTION requirements of Technical Specifications 3.2.1 and 3.2.4 for COLSS out of service have been reworded to require restoration of the linear heat rate and departure from nucleate boiling ratio to within the specified limits within two hours. This revision addresses the Staff's position that a four hour time period to restore the parameters to within limits as proposed in our original submittal was unacceptable. It was recognized that our original submittal was consistent with a similar change approved for Waterford 3. However, the NRC Staff has subsequently revised what they consider to be an acceptable period of time to restore the parameters to within acceptable limits.

These changes are more conservative than our previous submittal; therefore, the discussions and the no significant hazards consideration provided in our previous submittal remain valid.

Should you or your staff have questions regarding this response, please do not hesitate to call.

Very truly yours,

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