

APPENDIX A

NOTICE OF VIOLATION

Arkansas Power and Light Company

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Based on the results of an NRC inspection conducted during the period of May 14-18, 1984, and in accordance with the NRC Enforcement Policy (10 CFR Part 2, Appendix C), 49 FR 8583, dated March 8, 1984, the following violation was identified:

Failure To Provide Adequate Design Control Measures

10 CFR Part 50, Appendix B, Criterion III, states in part: "The design control measures shall provide for verifying or checking the adequacy of design, such as by the performance of design reviews, by the use of alternate or simplified calculational methods, or by the performance of a suitable testing program. . . . Design changes, including field changes, shall be subject to design control measures commensurate with those applied to the original design. . . ."

Arkansas Power and Light Company Quality Assurance Program for Operations, TOP-1A, Revision 5, dated October 10, 1980, invokes ANSI N45.2.11-1974. ANSI N45.2.11-1974, states in part: "Measures shall be applied to verify the adequacy of design. . . . The results of design verification efforts shall be clearly documented, with the identification of the verifier clearly indicated thereon, and filed. . . . The responsible design organization shall identify and document the particular design verification methods to be used."

Contrary to the above, administrative procedures for the control of design changes do not provide the necessary instructions to satisfy these specific requirements.

This is a Severity Level IV Violation. (Supplement ID) (50-313/8415-01; 50-368/8415-01)

Pursuant to the provisions of 10 CFR 2.201, Arkansas Power and Light Company is hereby required to submit to this office, within 30 days of the date of this Notice, a written statement or explanation in reply, including: (1) the corrective steps which have been taken and the results achieved; (2) corrective steps which will be taken to avoid further violations; and (3) the date when full compliance will be achieved. Consideration may be given to extending your response time for good cause shown.

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