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Docket No. 50-313

Mr. Neil S. Carns Vice President, Operations ANO Entergy Operations, Inc. Route 3 Box 137G Russellville, Arkansas 72801

Dear Mr. Carns:

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Our related safety evaluation is enclosed.

Sincerely,

Original signed by:

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