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 UNITED STATES  
 NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION  
 WASHINGTON, D. C. 20555

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In Reply Refer To:  
 Dockets: 50-313/86-39  
           50-368/86-39  
           50-313/87-07  
           50-368/87-07

EA 87-90

Arkansas Power & Light Company  
 ATTN: Mr. Gene Campbell  
       Vice President, Nuclear  
       Operations  
 Post Office Box 551  
 Little Rock, Arkansas 72203

Gentlemen:

SUBJECT: ORDER IMPOSING CIVIL MONETARY PENALTY

This refers to your letter dated August 3, 1987, in response to the Notice of Violation and Proposed Imposition of Civil Penalty sent to you by our letter dated July 2, 1987. Our letter and Notice described violations, one of which was identified by AP&L, during an inspection conducted during the periods December 8-11, 1986, and February 25, 1987, of activities at the Arkansas Nuclear One Station.

To emphasize the need for increased management oversight and control of the security program, a civil penalty of Seventy-Five Thousand Dollars (\$75,000) was proposed.

In your response, you admitted that violations I.A, I.B and II.A occurred as stated and requested that violation II.B be "handled as an open item" because the circumstances of the violation stemmed from confusion over your corrective actions to violation 50-313/85-26-03; 50-368/85-27-03. You also requested that the civil penalty for violations I.A and I.B be mitigated to Twenty-Five Thousand Dollars (\$25,000).

After consideration of your response, we have concluded, for the reasons given in the Appendix attached to the Order Imposing Civil Penalty, that the civil penalty proposed for violations I.A and I.B should not be mitigated.

Accordingly, we hereby serve the enclosed Order on Arkansas Power and Light Company imposing a civil monetary penalty in the amount of Seventy-Five Thousand Dollars (\$75,000). However, we have concluded in regard to Violation II.B that confusion and misunderstanding concerning your compensatory measures did occur, and we are withdrawing this violation and correcting the appropriate records to reflect this action. We will review the effectiveness of your corrective actions for violations I.A, I.B and II.A during a subsequent inspection.

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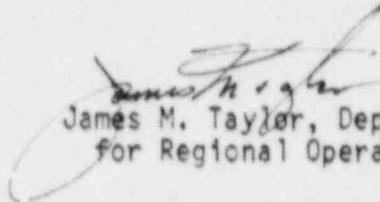
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In accordance with Section 2.790 of the NRC's "Rules of Practice," Part 2, Title 10, Code of Federal Regulations, a copy of this letter and the order will be placed in the NRC's Public Document Room.

The material contained in the Appendix to the Order contains Safeguards Information as defined by 10 CFR Part 73.21 and its disclosure to unauthorized individuals is prohibited by Section 147 of the Atomic Energy Act of 1954, as amended. Therefore, this Appendix will not be placed in the Public Document Room.

Sincerely,

  
James M. Taylor, Deputy Executive Director  
for Regional Operations

Enclosures:  
As Stated

cc:  
Arkansas Radiation Control Program Director  
(Non-Safeguards Portions Only)