



UNITED STATES  
NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION  
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ANO Site Vice President  
Arkansas Nuclear One  
Entergy Operations, Inc.  
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SUBJECT: ARKANSAS NUCLEAR ONE, UNITS 1 AND 2 - EXEMPTION FROM THE  
REQUIREMENTS OF 10 CFR 2.109(b) RELATED TO THE SUBMISSION OF A  
SUBSEQUENT LICENSE RENEWAL APPLICATION (EPID L-2026-LLE-0014)

Dear Sir or Madam:

The U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission has approved the enclosed exemption from specific requirements of Title 10 of the *Code of Federal Regulations* (10 CFR) Section 2.109(b), for Arkansas Nuclear One (ANO), Units 1 and 2. This action is in response to the letter dated March 11, 2026, which requested that Entergy Operations, Inc.'s be permitted to submit its subsequent license renewal applications for ANO, Unit 1 and ANO, Unit 2 by no later than 3 years prior to the expiration of each unit's renewed operating license of May 20, 2034, and July 17, 2038, respectively, and receive the timely renewal protection of 10 CFR 2.109(b).

A summary of the exemption will be included in a forthcoming quarterly *Federal Register* notice.

Sincerely,

/RA/

Mahesh Chawla, Project Manager  
Plant Licensing Branch IV  
Division of Operating Reactor Licensing  
Office of Nuclear Reactor Regulation

Docket Nos. 50-313 and 50-368

Enclosure:  
Exemption

cc: Listserv

## **ENCLOSURE**

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