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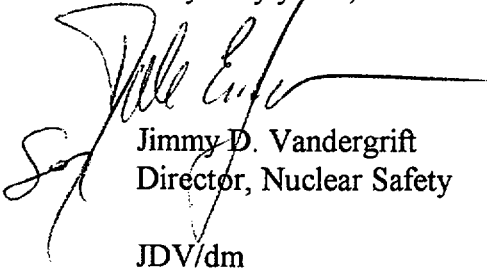
Subject: Arkansas Nuclear One - Units 1 and 2
Docket Nos. 50-313 and 50-368
License Nos. DPR-51 and NPF-6
Quality Assurance Program Approval For Radioactive Material Packages

Gentlemen:

Entergy Operations requests a renewal of our Quality Assurance (QA) Program Approval for Radioactive Material Packages, Approval Number 0341, dated January 18, 1995 which expires January 31, 2000. Entergy Operations intends to again apply the applicable criteria of 10CFR50 Appendix B Quality Assurance Program to transportation activities as authorized by 10CFR71.101(f). The Quality Assurance (QA) Program Approval for Radioactive Material Packages was previously contained in the site specific Quality Assurance Manual Operations (QAMO). A common corporate level Quality Assurance Program Manual (QAPM) was created combining the site specific QAMOs. The Quality Assurance (QA) Program Approval for Radioactive Material is included in the QAPM, which had an effective date of April 30, 1999.

We request your prompt review of this renewal. However, Arkansas Nuclear One understands that the program will expire on January 31, 2000 and that no shipping of radioactive material packages will be allowed from the site after January 31, 2000 until renewal is received.

Very truly yours,



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