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U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
Washington, DC 20555

SUBJECT: Arkansas Nuclear One - Unit 1
Docket No. 50-313
License No. DPR-51
Amended Technical Specification
Change Request on ANO-1 Reactor
Building Tendon Surveillance Requirement

Gentlemen:

Attached is a revised Technical Specification change request concerning the reactor building tendon surveillance requirements for the tenth year and all subsequent inspections at Arkansas Nuclear One - Unit One (ANO-1). The attached Technical Specification change request revises our original submittal dated January 26, 1983, (1CAN018302) by incorporating acceptance criteria into the ANO-1 Technical Specifications, rather than by reference to the applicable Regulatory Guide in our plant procedures. This Technical Specification change request is being submitted at the request of your Mr. Norman Romney.

Additionally, as we discussed with your Mr. Oliver Lynch on March 8, 1983, the ANO-1 Tendon Surveillance Program is referenced in the ANO-2 Technical Specifications (Bases Section 3/4.6.1.5) and effectively serves, in part, as the basis for the ANO-2 Tendon Surveillance Program being a visual examination. As discussed in our January 26, 1983, letter, the attached Technical Specification change request will modify the ANO-1 tendon surveillance requirements to be consistent with Regulatory Guide 1.35, Revision 2. The existing ANO-2 Technical Specification requirements are in compliance with Regulatory Guide 1.35, Revision 2. Therefore, since the attached Technical Specification change request will modify the ANO-1 tendon surveillance requirements to be consistent with those for ANO-2, we have concluded that reducing the number of surveillance tendons from twenty-one (21) to nine (9) for the tenth year and all subsequent ANO-1 tendon surveillances will not

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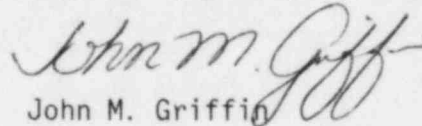
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violate the bases for the visual tendon surveillance program currently required for ANO-2.

All other information in our January 26, 1983, transmittal letter remains applicable to this revision to our Technical Specification change request. No fee is enclosed as this revision amends a Technical Specification change request already under regulatory review. We request NRC's approval of this change by April 1, 1983, to incorporate this change into our second five year inspection for ANO-1.

Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "John M. Griffin". The signature is written in dark ink and is positioned above the printed name.

John M. Griffin

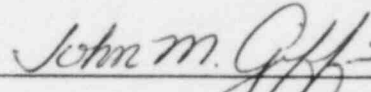
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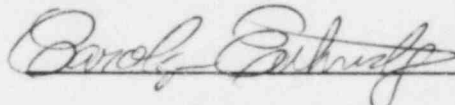
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I, John M. Griffin, being duly sworn, subscribe to and say that I am Vice President, Nuclear Operations for Arkansas Power & Light Company; that I have full authority to execute this oath; that I have read the document numbered 1CAN038301 and know the contents thereof; and that to the best of my knowledge, information and belief the statements in it are true.



John M. Griffin

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN TO before me, a Notary Public in and for the County and State above named, this 10th day of March, 1983, 1983.



Notary Public

My Commission Expires:

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