

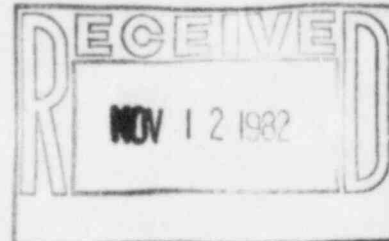


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SUBJECT: Arkansas Nuclear One - Units 1 and 2  
Docket Nos. 50-313 and 50-368  
License Nos. DPR-51 and NPF-6  
Drawing Control Program Progress Report  
(File: 3300, 2-3300)

Gentlemen:

On June 30, 1982, AP&L provided you with a status report (ØCANØ68216) and a description of progress made in the area of drawing control. This letter provides an update to the status of our efforts and progress in this area.

As previously stated, our philosophy concerning drawing control is that it encompasses preparation, reproduction, and distribution of plant related drawings. Our goal is to accomplish this in a timely manner to ensure that up-to-date, accurate, and readable drawings are available for the operation of the plant. Specifically, our Drawing Control Program has been addressing the timeliness of distribution, quality of reproduction, the large backlog of "pending" design changes, and the long delay in the generation of as-built drawings.

Since our last status report, we have progressed in our program to update the mylars that have been transferred from our Corporate office to ANO. We have, as in the past, been concentrating on those drawings most often used by Operations personnel. As of September 28, 1982, we have updated and reissued 1,662 drawings. Of these, approximately 68 mylars were required to be redrawn (requiring from 30 to 70 manhours each) due to their age and/or condition. Those drawings that have been updated and issued represent a significant improvement over the drawings previously used. To date approximately 4,300 manhours have been expended updating the mylars from the ANO field revision sepias.

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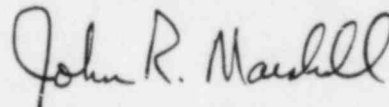
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With regard to the timeliness of issuance of as-built information, we are continuing to evaluate the entire design change closeout process. Progress has been made, however, we have not attained the desired result and are evaluating further changes which can be made.

As we continue to evaluate the total drawing control program requirements, our experience from our work to date as well as the identification of new drawing requirements are incorporated into our drawing control objectives. For example, recent experiences with the filing and retrieval system used by our A/E have indicated that additional measures are needed in the area of hanger sketches. An evaluation of these experiences will be accomplished and the results factored into our design and drawing control program.

We will continue to keep the resident inspector informed of our progress and will provide you with another status report in approximately six months.

Very truly yours

A handwritten signature in dark ink, reading "John R. Marshall". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large, prominent "J" and "M".

John R. Marshall  
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