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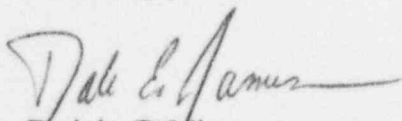
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Subject: Arkansas Nuclear One - Unit 2
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Cancellation of Request for Exigent Processing of the
Technical Specification Change Request Concerning
Small Break Loss of Coolant Accident Methodology

Gentlemen:

By letter dated December 2, 1996 (2CAN129607), Entergy Operations requested the technical specification change request to reference a more recent small break loss of coolant accident methodology (2CAN119610) be processed under exigent circumstances as described in 10CFR50.91(1)(6). It has since been determined that there is no need for exigent processing because the steam generator tube plugging remained within the bounds of our current methodology. Therefore, Entergy Operations requests that the exigent processing of this change be canceled. This change will be necessary for the upcoming Unit 2 refueling outage (2R12) which is currently scheduled to begin on April 18, 1997. Should you have any questions, please contact me.

Very truly yours,


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