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October 8, 2015

Mr. Jeremy Browning, Site Vice President
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Russellville, AR 72802-0967

SUBJECT: ARKANSAS NUCLEAR ONE, UNITS 1 AND 2 – NRC SECURITY INSPECTION
REPORT 05000313/2015404 AND 05000368/2015404

Dear Mr. Browning:

On August 26, 2015, the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) completed a security baseline inspection at the Arkansas Nuclear One, Units 1 and 2, facility and discussed the results of this inspection with Mr. J. Browning, Site Vice President, and other members of your staff. Inspectors documented the results of this inspection in the enclosed inspection report.

No NRC-identified or self-revealing findings were identified during this inspection.

However, inspectors documented a licensee-identified violation which was determined to be of very low safety significance in this report. The NRC is treating this violation as a non-cited violation (NCV) consistent with Section 2.3.2.a of the Enforcement Policy.

If you contest the violation or significance of the NCV, you should provide a response within 30 days of the date of this inspection report, with the basis for your denial, to the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, ATTN: Document Control Desk, Washington DC 20555-0001; with copies to the Regional Administrator, Region IV; the Director, Office of Enforcement, U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, Washington, DC 20555-0001; and the NRC resident inspector at the Arkansas Nuclear One, Units 1 and 2, facility.

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Sincerely,

/RA/

Mark S. Haire, Chief
Plant Support Branch 1
Division of Reactor Safety

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