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The following selected correspondence was prepared and sent or obtained during the evaluation of the application for renewal of the operating license for Arkansas Nuclear One, Unit 1 (ANO-1):

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E-2	Arkansas Department of Environmental Quality (ADEQ) cover letter, dated April 17, 2000, discussing status of NPDES permit for ANO.	
E-3	U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service (FWS) letter, dated June 30, 2000, stating that no federally-listed, or proposed, threatened, or endangered species are currently known in the area of the ANO site.	
E-4 through E-22	U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission to Arkansas State Historic Preservation Officer, dated August 10, 2000, discussing findings from the ANO site audit regarding the renewal of the ANO-1 license. This letter includes 3 attachments: a detailed report of the observations of the archeologists who was present during the site audit (Enclosure 1); a letter from the Historic Preservation Officer for the Caddo Tribe of Oklahoma, dated May 15, 2000 (Enclosure 2); and a letter from the NRC dated August 10, 2000, responding to the May 15, 2000 letter (Enclosure 3).	
E-23 & E-24	Entergy Operations, Inc. letter addressing actions taken to control activities that could affect archeological and historic sites at the ANO site.	



April 17, 2000

Cynthia Carpenter, Chief Generic Issue, Environmental, Financial and Rulmaking Branch U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission MS 0-11-F-1 Washington, DC 20555

RE: NPDES Permit AR0001392 Entergy Operations, Inc. Arkansas Nuclear One 1448 S.R. 333 Russellville, Arkansas 72801

Dear Ms. Carpenter:

On April 3, 2000, Ms. Kim Leigh, Mr. Duane Nertzel and Mr. Michael Prock met with Joe Williford and myself to discuss the operations of Arkansas Nuclear One.

In this meeting a letter was ask to be sent to you regarding the status of the permit and its compliance. A review of our records indicated that NPDES permit No. AR0001392 is currently in good standing and revealed the facility is in compliance with these regulations.

Should you have any questions, feel free to call me at (501) 682-0638.

Sincerely,

LORI ANN HUDMAN Administrative Assistant NPDES Enforcement Section



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June 30, 2000

Pacific Northwest National Laboratory Attn: Dr. Charles Brandt P.O. Box 999 Richland, Washington 99352

Dear Dr. Brandt:

The Fish and Wildlife Service has reviewed the information supplied in your letter dated June 13, 2000 concerning the license renewal for Arkansas Nuclear One, Unit 1 nuclear plant in Pope County, and its associated transmission lines in Conway, Logan, Pope, and Yell Counties, Arkansas. Our comments are submitted in accordance with the Endangered Species Act (87 Stat. 884, as amended 16 U.S.C. 1531 et seq.).

No federally listed or proposed threatened or endangered species are currently known to occur in the project area. Therefore, no further consultation in accordance with the Endangered Species Act is required.

We appreciate your interest in the preservation of endangered species. If you have any questions, please contact Elizabeth Stafford at (501) 513-4483.

Sincerely,

Allan J. Mueller Field Supervisor

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