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Via Telecopy

Jonathan G. Katz, Secretary
Securities and Exchange Commission
450 Fifth Street, N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20549

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**Re: Entergy Corporation (File No. 1-11299)
Sworn Statements of Principal Executive Officer and
Principal Financial Officer Pursuant to Commission Order No. 4-460**

Dear Mr. Katz

In accordance with the Order of the Securities and Exchange Commission requiring the filing of sworn statements pursuant to Section 21(a)(1) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (File No. 4-460), enclosed is a sworn statement from each of J. Wayne Leonard, Chief Executive Officer, and C. John Wilder, Chief Financial Officer, of Entergy Corporation. In accordance with the Frequently Asked Questions About Commission Order No. 4-460, the original of the sworn statements will be delivered to your office tomorrow.

If you have any questions, please contact me at (504) 576-2095.

Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "John M. Adams, Jr." followed by a period.

John M. Adams, Jr.

Enclosures

Statement Under Oath of Principal Executive Officer and Principal Financial Officer Regarding Facts and Circumstances Relating to Exchange Act Filings

I, C. John Wilder, state and attest that:

(1) To the best of my knowledge, based upon a review of the covered reports of Entergy Corporation, and, except as corrected or supplemented in a subsequent covered report:

- no covered report contained an untrue statement of a material fact as of the end of the period covered by such report (or in the case of a report on Form 8-K or definitive proxy materials, as of the date on which it was filed); and
- no covered report omitted to state a material fact necessary to make the statements in the covered report, in light of the circumstances under which they were made, not misleading as of the end of the period covered by such report (or in the case of a report on Form 8-K or definitive proxy materials, as of the date on which it was filed).

(2) I have reviewed the contents of this statement with Entergy Corporation's audit committee.

(3) In this statement under oath, each of the following, if filed on or before the date of this statement, is a "covered report":

- Annual Report on Form 10-K for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2001 of Entergy Corporation;
- all reports on Form 10-Q, all reports on Form 8-K and all definitive proxy materials of Entergy Corporation filed with the Commission subsequent to the filing of the Form 10-K identified above; and
- any amendments to any of the foregoing.

C. John Wilder
 C. John Wilder
 August 12, 2002

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12th day of August 2002.

Denise C. Redmann
Notary Public

My Commission expires _____
DENISE C. REDMANN

NOTARY PUBLIC
Parish of Orleans, State of Louisiana
My Commission is issued for Life.

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