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PREDECISIONAL ENFORCEMENT CONFERENCE ARRANGEMENTS (NRC OFFICE OF INVESTIGATIONS REPORT NO. 2-98-023 AND INSPECTION REPORT NOS. 50-390, 391/99-06)

Dear Mr. Casto:

I have recently been informed that the NRC wish to meet with me again as part of TVA's predecisional enforcement conference to be held as a result of the subject NRC Office of Investigations (OI) report. I cooperated fully with the NRC OI investigator during his investigation and spoke with him on two separate occasions; during an initial interview session in which a court reporter was present for the latter part of the interview (OI investigator used a cassette recorder prior to the court reporter's arrival), as well as a follow-up interview session which was recorded by the OI investigator on a cassette recorder. In order for me to be able to fully prepare for the upcoming predecisional enforcement conference, I request copies of the transcripts of both of those interview sessions.

For the same reasons it is important for me to review my own interview results, it is essential that I also review any other transcribed interviews conducted as part of the OI investigation which address me or my involvement in the subject matter of the investigation or this enforcement. I understand that it may be necessary to edit portions of those interviews in order to protect personal information. However, given the subject matter of the enforcement and the importance of my being able to participate meaningfully in the enforcement process, it is absolutely essential that I review all of the facts and circumstances being considered by NRC which involve me prior to the conference taking place.

It would also be of great assistance to me to be able to review the full contents of the OI report prior to the enforcement conference. I understand from TVA's licensing staff that such a request has already been made in connection with this and previous enforcement actions, and that these requests have been denied by NRC. Nonetheless, if it is at all possible to obtain a copy of that report at this time, I respectfully ask NRC to reconsider its decision and provide a copy of that report to me as well.

Thank you for considering my requests.

Sincerely,



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