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Gentlemen:

In the Matter of the)	Docket No. 50-390
Tennessee Valley Authority)	

WATTS BAR NUCLEAR PLANT (WBN) UNIT 1 - NOTIFICATION OF CHANGE IN OPERATOR STATUS - 10 CFR 50.74

In accordance with 10 CFR 50.74(a), this letter request that the Senior Reactor Operator's (SRO's) license for Thomas D. Wallace be inactivated. Mr. Wallace's Docket Number is 55-20380. His License Number is SOP-20191-2.

Mr. Wallace currently holds the position of the WBN Operations Manager and in accordance with Section 13.1.3, "Qualification Requirements for Nuclear Facility Personnel," of the WBN Updated Final Safety Analysis Report (UFSAR), a senior reactor operators license is not required to qualify for this position. Therefore, TVA no longer intends to maintain the license. This change in status is effective as of December 3, 2001.

If you have any questions, please telephone me at (423) 365-1824.

Sincerely,

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