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October 4, 2006

LICENSEE: Tennessee Valley Authority

FACILITY: Browns Ferry Unit 1

SUBJECT: MEETING SUMMARY - INTERNAL MEETING OF THE BROWNS FERRY  
UNIT 1 RESTART PANEL - DOCKET NO. 50-259

On October 2, 2006, the Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) held a meeting of the NRC Browns Ferry 1 (BF1) Restart Oversight Panel in the Region II office in Atlanta, Georgia. The panel was established in accordance with NRC Inspection Manual Chapter (IMC) 2509, "Browns Ferry Unit 1 Restart Project Inspection Program." The purpose of IMC 2509 is to provide the policies and requirements for the restart inspection program, the BF1 Restart Oversight Panel, and the documentation of the major regulatory and license actions associated with the restart. In addition, the IMC provides guidance for assessing the licensee's readiness for restart and the return of the unit to the Reactor Oversight Process (ROP). The Restart Panel was established via a charter issued on October 13, 2005.

During this meeting the panel discussed the BF1 restart project status and discussed the action items identified from the previous panel discussion conducted on September 7, 2006. Other discussion topics during this internal NRC meeting included: Update on the ACRS schedule; status of licensing activities; fire protection, internal tubing and containment coating program status; public website updates; SPOC II turnover status, and the next Public Meeting on October 20th in Rockville, MD.

Enclosure 1 contains a list of the Panel Members participating in the meeting and other NRC attendees. Enclosure 2 contains the Inspection Planning and Scheduling Report.

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Documents associated with the NRC oversight of the BF1 Recovery can be found on the NRC's website at <http://www.nrc.gov/NRR/OVERSIGHT/ASSESS/bf1-recovery.html> .

Sincerely,

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Joseph W. Shea, Director  
Division of Reactor Safety

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Enclosures:   1. List of Attendees  
                  2. Inspection Planning and Scheduling Report

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Memo to BF Unit 1 Panel Members from Joseph W. Shea dated October 4, 2006.

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L. Mellen, DRP  
T. Ross, DRP  
D. Duvigneaud, NRR  
C. Stancil, DRP

## **List of Attendees**

### **NRC Browns Ferry Unit 1 Restart Oversight Panel Meeting (10/02/06)**

#### **Nuclear Regulatory Commission Panel Members**

##### **Region II**

J. Shea, Director, Division of Reactor Safety (DRS) - *Chairman*  
M. Widmann, Chief, Branch 6, Division of Reactor Projects (DRP) - *Member*  
W. Bearden, Senior Resident Inspector Unit 1, Branch 6, DRP - *Member*  
M. Lesser, Chief, Division of Construction Inspection (DCI) - *Member*  
L. Mellen, Senior Project Engineer, Branch 6, DRP - *Member*

##### **Headquarters**

C. Holden, Deputy Director, Division of Operating Reactor Licensing (DORL), NRR -  
*Vice Chairman*  
L. Raghavan, Branch Chief, DORL, NRR - *Member*

##### **Other Attendees**

T. Ross, Senior Resident Inspector Units 2 and 3, Branch 6, DRP  
J. Boska, Project Manager, DORL, NRR