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U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission  
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Gentlemen:

In the Matter of the Application of ) Docket Nos. 50-390  
Tennessee Valley Authority ) 50-391

WATTS BAR NUCLEAR PLANT (WBN) - COMMITMENT REVISION

The purpose of this letter is to notify NRC that TVA is revising previous commitments associated with the review of corrective action document closures. In a letter to NRC dated November 11, 1994, "NRC Inspection Report No. 50-390, 391/94-37 - Reply to Notice of Violation (NOV) (Examples 2 and 7)," TVA made the following commitment:

"As an interim measure, the Senior Management Review Committee (SMRC) and Nuclear Assurance (NA) will continue to review CAP [corrective action document] closures and provide feedback to line organizations until TVA management has assurance that management expectations are being achieved."

In a letter to NRC dated February 21, 1995, "Validation of Causes of Eight Construction Issues," TVA made the following commitment:

"However, as the result of previously identified problems, NA will continue the review of 100 percent of the corrective action documents and NRC open item closure packages to monitor improvements in line performance and until sustained positive performance is obtained."

TVA has determined that the quality of corrective action document closures have met management expectations. Due to NA's continuing verification of corrective action document closures, TVA considers the SMRC overview of corrective action document closures to no longer be necessary. Therefore, the SMRC review of corrective action document closures is being discontinued on July 28, 1995.

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The site total acceptance rate for NA reviews of corrective action document closures and NRC open item closure packages for recent months has been high. Therefore, the NA review of these closure packages is being modified.

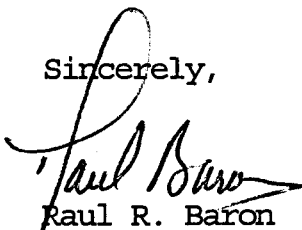
The above commitments are being combined and revised as follows:

"NA will review 100 percent of the closures for corrective action documents initiated prior to July 28, 1995. For those corrective action documents initiated on or after July 28, 1995, the number of closures to be reviewed by NA for any particular permanent plant organization may vary from month-to-month depending upon that organization's performance. However, NA will continue to review 100 percent of those corrective action document closures for construction issues, regardless of the corrective action document initiation date. NA will continue to review NRC open item closure packages until WBN is licensed to load fuel."

The Enclosure contains a list of commitments made in this letter.

If you should have any questions, contact P. L. Pace at  
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