

TENNESSEE VALLEY AUTHORITY

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September 9, 1985

U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
Region II
Attn: Dr. J. Nelson Grace, Regional Administrator
101 Marietta Street, NW, Suite 2900
Atlanta, Georgia 30323

Dear Dr. Grace:

WATTS BAR NUCLEAR PLANT UNITS 1 AND 2 - SUPPLEMENTAL RESPONSE TO VIOLATION
390/85-40-04 - FAILURE TO SUPPLEMENTAL PROCESS A FIELD CHANGE REQUEST

We responded to R. D. Walker's letter dated July 19, 1985, report numbers 50-390/85-40, 50-391/85-31, concerning the subject violation by letter dated August 16, 1985. Below is our supplemental response to the violation.

As discussed with NRC-OIE Region II Section Chief S. P. Weise on August 28, 1985, the date of August 30, 1985 for completion of workplan 5317 as part of the corrective actions indicated in our response on this matter could not be met. This is due to the imposition of the stop work order on welding at the plant per our commitments to NRC under Confirmation of Action letter 50-390/85-01 and 50-391/85-01. The corrective action on the violation will be completed one week after the lifting of the stop work order on welding.

If you have any questions concerning this matter, please get in touch with R. H. Shell at FTS 858-2688.

To the best of my knowledge, I declare the statements contained herein are complete and true.

Very truly yours,

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J. A. Domer

J. A. Domer, Chief
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