

March 26, 1999

Tennessee Valley Authority
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SUBJECT: NRC INTEGRATED INSPECTION REPORT NO. 50-390/99-01 AND
50-391/99-01

Dear Mr. Scalice:

This refers to the inspection conducted on January 17, 1999 - February 27, 1999, at the Watts Bar facility. The enclosed report presents the results of this inspection.

During the inspection period, your conduct of activities at the Watts Bar facility was generally characterized by safety-conscious operations, sound engineering and maintenance practices, and careful radiological work controls.

Based on the results of this inspection, the NRC has determined that three violations of NRC requirements occurred. These violations are being treated as Non-Cited Violations (NCVs), consistent with Appendix C of the Enforcement Policy. These NCVs are described in the subject inspection report. If you contest the violation or severity level of these NCVs, you should provide a response within 30 days of the date of this inspection report, with the basis for your denial, to the Nuclear Regulatory Commission, ATTN: Document Control Desk, Washington DC 20555-0001, with a copies to the Regional Administrator, Region II, and the Director, Office of Enforcement, United States Nuclear Regulatory Commission, Washington, DC 20555-0001.

In accordance with 10 CFR 2.790 of the NRC's "Rules of Practice," a copy of this letter and its enclosure will be placed in the NRC Public Document Room.

Should you have any questions concerning this letter, please contact us.

Sincerely,

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