

UNITED STATES NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSIONTENNESSEE VALLEY AUTHORITYDOCKET NO. 50-390NOTICE OF WITHDRAWAL OF APPLICATION FOR
AMENDMENT TO FACILITY OPERATING LICENSE

The U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (the Commission) has granted a request to the Tennessee Valley Authority (the Licensee) to withdraw its December 23, 1998, application for proposed amendment to Facility Operating License No. NPF-90 for the Watts Bar Nuclear Plant, located in Rhea County, Tennessee.

The proposed amendment would have provided a temporary change, until the next time the unit entered Mode 3, to the ice condenser inlet door position monitoring system channel check methodology to account for the impact of an annunciator ground on the existing channel check methods.

The Commission had previously issued a Notice of Consideration of Issuance of Amendment published in the FEDERAL REGISTER on December 31, 1998 (63 FR 72339). However, by letter dated March 9, 1999, the licensee withdrew the proposed change.

For further details with respect to this action, see the application for amendment dated December 23, 1998, and the licensee's letter dated March 9, 1999, which withdrew the application for this license amendment. The above documents are available for public inspection at the Commission's Public Document room, the Gelman Building, 2120 L Street,

NW., Washington, DC and at the local public document room located at the Chattanooga-Hamilton County Library, 1001 Broad Street, Chattanooga, TN 37402.

Dated at Rockville, Maryland, this 16th day of July 1999.

FOR THE NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION



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