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Gentlemen:

In the Matter of the Application of)	Docket Nos. 50-390	50-438
Tennessee Valley Authority)	50-391	50-439

WATTS BAR NUCLEAR PLANT (WBN) UNITS 1 AND 2; BELLEFONTE NUCLEAR PLANT (BLN)
UNITS 1 AND 2 - ACCESS AUTHORIZATION PROGRAM

Reference: Letter from Mark O. Medford (TVA) to NRC dated April 23, 1992,
"Implementation of Access Authorization Rule - 10 CFR 73.56"

The purpose of this letter is to advise NRC of changes to the Access Authorization Program for WBN and BLN. Effective June 28, 1993, TVA no longer performs background investigations or psychological assessments for WBN contractor personnel. Within the near future, TVA will also implement these changes at BLN. These changes will remain in effect until the requirements for Access Authorization are implemented at WBN and BLN in accordance with 10 CFR 73.56(a)(2). Contractor personnel assigned to WBN and BLN who have already obtained access authorization will retain that authorization for as long as requirements for such access are met.

The implementation of these program changes for WBN was discussed with G. Walton, WBN's NRC Senior Resident Inspector; W. Tobin, Region II; and E. McPeck, NRR. If you have any questions, please telephone Percy Hammons at (615) 751-2736.

Sincerely,

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