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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) - INSERVICE INSPECTION (ISI) PROGRAM - TAC
NUMBER M-76881

This letter provides the schedule for submitting the WBN ISI Program to NRC
for approval.

10 CFR 50.55a(g)(4) states that components (including supports) classified
as ASME Code Class 1, 2, and 3 shall meet, to the extent practical, the
requirements set forth in the ASME Code, Section XI, "Rules for Inservice
Inspection of Nuclear Power Components." The regulations require that
inservice examination of components comply with the requirements in the
latest edition and addenda of Section XI of the ASME Code incorporated by
reference in 10 CFR 50.55a(b) on the date twelve months prior to issuance of
the operating license.

TVA plans to submit the WBN ISI Program to the NRC for review and approval
by the Commission within six months after receiving the operating license.
This will allow WBN to incorporate the code requirements in effect twelve
months prior to issuance of the operating license.

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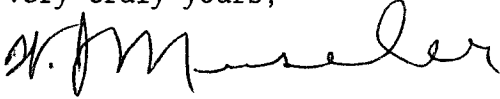
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Very truly yours,



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