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Secretary of the Commission United States Nuclear Regulatory Commission Washington, D. C. 20555 March 6, 1977

Dear Sir:

On January 26, 1977 I wrote to you indicating an interest by my clients, Safe Forms of Energy for Tennessee (SAFE-T), in filing a petition to intervene in the proceeding to review the application of the Tennessee Valley Authority for operating licences for the Watts Bar Nuclear Plant. At that time I requested an extension of time in which to file a petition to intervene.

After reviewing finances and the amount of time which an intervention would require, we have decided that we will be unable to proceed with plans to intervene.

SAFE-T still remains opposed to the licencing of the applicant to operate the Watts Bar facility and will wish to request time to be heard in the form of a limited appearance. Please advise us at least two weeks in advance of a date at which a statement can be made.

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Thank you very much.

Sincerely.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that I have this day served the foregoing document(s) upon each person designated on the official service list compiled by the Office of the Secretary of the Commission in this proceeding in accordance with the requirements of Section 2.712 of 10 CFR Part 2 -Rules of Practice, of the Nuclear Regulatory Commission's Rules and Regulations.

Dated at Washington, D.C. this <u>10</u> day of <u>MaRCH</u> 197<u>7</u>.

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