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Dr. Thomas E. Murley, Director Office of Nuclear Reactor Regulation U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission Washington, D.C., 20555

Dear Dr. Murley:

In the Matter of the Application of)	Docket No.	50-390
Tennessee Valley Authority)		50-391

WATTS BAR NUCLEAR PLANT (WBN) - CERTIFICATION OF WBN LICENSED OPERATOR TRAINING PROGRAMS

The purpose of this letter is to provide TVA's certification that the WBN licensed operator training programs have been developed using a systematic approach to training, are accredited by the National Nuclear Accrediting Board (December 13, 1990), and are implemented utilizing a certified simulation facility. This certification is made in accordance with the requirements of 10 CFR 55.31(a)(4), 10 CFR 55.59(c), and Generic Letter 87-07, "Information Transmittal of Final Rulemaking for Revisions to Operator Licensing - 10 CFR 55 and Conforming Amendments."

In accordance with GL 87-07, implementation of these certified training programs may be substituted for initial and requalification training programs previously approved by NRC without staff review. WBN will revise FSAR Chapter 13 to reflect these certified programs in FSAR Amendment 70.

Enclosure 1 provides the commitment for this submittal. If there are any questions, please telephone Paul Pace at (615) 365-1824.

Sincerely,

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