

TENNESSEE VALLEY AUTHORITY

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November 19, 1985

Director of Nuclear Reactor Regulation
Attention: Ms. E. Adensam, Chief
Licensing Branch No. 4
Division of Licensing
U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
Washington, D.C. 20555

Dear Ms. Adensam:

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

We had notified Region II on July 30 and September 12, 1984 and NRR on February 16, 1985 of its intent to license an additional diesel generator unit (ADGU) at the Watts Bar Nuclear Plant consistent with a schedule of fuel load for unit 2 and startup following first refueling outage for unit 1.

Because the original unit 1 implementation schedule was based on a March 1985 fuel load schedule, which has subsequently slipped, we notified you verbally in July 1985 of our intentions to license the ADGU for unit 1 by fuel load. This notification was followed with our July 23, 1985 submittal formally requesting an expedited review of our February 16, 1985 submittal so that preoperational testing necessary for ADGU operability by unit 1 fuel load could occur.

In addition to the detailed description of the ADGU's structural, mechanical, and electrical equipment, and testing program along with the drawings which were previously provided, we will provide all necessary FSAR changes and technical specifications on or before December 9, 1985.

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If you have any questions, please get in touch with K. P. Parr at
FTS 858-2682.

Very truly yours

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R. H. Shell

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Nuclear Engineer

Sworn to and subscribed before me
this 19th day of Nov. 1985

Paulette H. White

Notary Public

My Commission Expires 8-24-88

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