

TENNESSEE VALLEY AUTHORITY

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Mr. James P. O'Reilly, Director
Office of Inspection and Enforcement
U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
Region II - Suite 3100
101 Marietta Street
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Dear Mr. O'Reilly:

WATTS BAR NUCLEAR PLANT UNIT 1 - SURFACE CRACK IN LOOP ONE STEAM
GENERATOR - NCR 1844R - THIRD INTERIM REPORT

The subject deficiency was initially reported to NRC-OIE Inspector
B. J. Cochran on October 23, 1979, in accordance with 10 CFR 50.55(e).
Interim reports were submitted on November 23, 1979, and January 22, 1980.

Westinghouse has not completed its investigation. We will submit our
next report by June 13, 1980.

If you have any questions concerning this matter, please get in touch
with D. L. Lambert at FTS 854-2581.

Very truly yours,

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L. M. Mills

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