

TENNESSEE VALLEY AUTHORITY

CHATTANOOGA, TENNESSEE 37401
500C Chestnut Street Tower II

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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
Atlanta, Georgia 30303

Dear Mr. O'Reilly:

WATTS BAR NUCLEAR PLANT UNITS 1 AND 2 - POSSIBLE UNCONSERVATIVE
PRESSURIZER RELIEF AND SAFETY LINE BLOWDOWN ANALYSIS - NCR CWB 73-2 -
FOURTH INTERIM REPORT

The subject deficiency was initially reported to NRC-OIE Inspector
J. K. Rausch on May 5, 1978. Interim reports were submitted on
June 1, 1978, July 31, 1978, and February 8, 1979. We expect to
submit our next report by May 31, 1979.

TVA is waiting on the completion of a detailed Westinghouse review
of the nozzle loads on the pressurizer and pressurizer relief tank
nozzles.

If you have any questions concerning this matter, please get in touch
with M. R. Wisenburg at FTS 854-2581.

Very truly yours,

J. E. Gilleland
Assistant Manager of Power

cc: Mr. John G. Davis, Acting Director ✓
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