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Mr. James P. O'Reilly, Director
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U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
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Dear Mr. O'Reilly:

WATTS BAR NUCLEAR PLANT UNITS 1 AND 2 - POSSIBLE UNCONSERVATIVE PRESSURIZER RELIEF AND SAFETY LINE BLOWDOWN ANALYSIS - NCR CWB 78-2 - FIFTH 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, February 8, 1979, and April 23, 1979.

TVA is waiting for Westinghouse to complete a detailed review of the nozzle loads on the pressurizer and pressurizer relief tank nozzles. We expect to submit our next report by July 18, 1979.

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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