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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:

The subject deficiency was initially reported to NRC-OIE Inspector M. Thomas on August 24, 1979, in accordance with 10 CFR 50.55(e). Interim reports were submitted on September 24, 1979, and November 29, 1979. We expect to submit our next report on this nonconformance by April 14, 1980.

The repair procedure from Pittsburgh-Des Moines Steel Company required to bring the refueling water storage tanks into compliance with the ASME Code has not been received by TVA. Following receipt and approval of this repair procedure by TVA, a final corrective action statement will be completed for this nonconformance report.

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, Manager
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