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March 3, 1986

Director of Nuclear Reactor Regulation  
Attention: Mr. B. J. Youngblood, Project Director  
PWR Project Directorate No. 4  
Division of Pressurized Water Reactor (PWR)  
Licensing A  
U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission  
Washington, D.C. 20555

Dear Mr. Youngblood:

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

Please refer to H. G. Parris's letter to H. R. Denton dated August 27, 1985 which concerned our environmental qualification (EQ) of electrical equipment programs and J. A. Domer's letter to E. Adensam which provided information regarding the status and schedule of the Watts Bar Nuclear Plant (WBN) EQ program.

We are presently completing the review, evaluation, and upgrade efforts to Sequoyah Nuclear Plant's (SQN) EQ program. Accordingly, we are in the process of shifting resources in our engineering offices from the completion of SQN EQ program upgrade to initiating and applying the same review and upgrade process for WBN.

In order to assist you in planning the resources necessary to support the WBN EQ program, a status report providing our progress and schedule will be submitted to you by May 1, 1986. Our current schedule indicates that the WBN unit 1 EQ program review and upgrade will be completed by June 1, 1986. The electrical equipment environmental qualification report (EEEQR) update submittal for unit 1 is also currently scheduled to be completed and issued on or about June 1, 1986.

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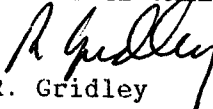
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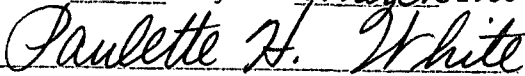
If there are any questions, please get in touch with K. P. Parr at  
FTS 858-2681.

Very truly yours,

TENNESSEE VALLEY AUTHORITY

  
R. Gridley  
Manager of Licensing

Sworn to and subscribed before me  
this 3<sup>rd</sup> day of March 1986

  
Notary Public  
My Commission Expires 8-24-88

cc: U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission  
Region II  
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