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Gentlemen:

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

WATTS BAR NUCLEAR PLANT (WBN) - DETAILED CONTROL ROOM DESIGN REVIEW (DCRDR) PROGRAM - REQUEST FOR NRC AUDIT SCHEDULE

NRC's audit of the WBN DCRDR Program previously planned for the July and August 1988 timeframe was cancelled and rescheduling has not been finalized. We request the date for this audit be mutually finalized to facilitate the scheduling of TVA resources and contract services needed to support the audit.

In addition, TVA asks NRC to consider the Safety Evaluation Report (SER) Appendix D commitments to be superseded by the WBN DCRDR summary report, which was transmitted to NRC by TVA letter dated October 2, 1987. At the time the preliminary design assessment was performed which led to the SER Appendix D, it was understood to be an interim corrective action plan until the DCRDR could be performed. TVA asks that this request be included as an agenda item for the WBN DCRDR audit.

There are no new commitments in this letter. If there are any questions, please telephone J. H. Young at (615) 365-8761.

Very truly yours,

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