

TENNESSEE VALLEY AUTHORITY

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Mr. James P. O'Reilly, Director
Office of Inspection and Enforcement
U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
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Dear Mr. O'Reilly:

WATTS BAR NUCLEAR PLANT UNITS 1 AND 2 - FAULTY FILLET WELDS - QC
BREAKDOWN - NCR 2111R - THIRD INTERIM REPORT

The subject deficiency was initially reported to NRC-OIE Inspector R. W. Wright on February 20, 1980, in accordance with 10 CFR 50.55(e). Interim reports were submitted on March 19, 1980, and May 6, 1980.

Reinspection of fillet welds is continuing. Additional areas in which this condition has been found to date are cable tray supports, conduit supports, and miscellaneous steel. We expect to provide additional information by October 31, 1980.

If you have any questions concerning this matter, please get in touch with D. L. Lambert at FTS 857-2581.

Very truly yours,

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