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April 15, 2008

United States Nuclear Regulatory Commission  
Attention: Chairman Dale E. Klein  
Mail Stop 0-16G4  
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Tennessee Valley Authority Bellefonte Nuclear Plant

Dear Chairman Dale E. Klein:

I am disabled Jackson County, Alabama veteran Ralph Timberlake now residing at 2117 Atkins Drive, Huntsville, Alabama 35810. Commission, I am writing to express my strong opposition to the Tennessee Valley Authority Bellefonte Nuclear Plant Units 3 and 4 combined License Application, which the commission is today considering. I respectfully request that you righteously deny the Tennessee Valley Authority's Bellefonte Nuclear Plant Unit 3 and 4 Combined License Application because safety can never be entrusted blindly to an organization who has proven itself to be non-probity. Commissioners, the Tennessee Valley Authority has never in my lifetime proven itself to be a good neighbor. I am acutely aware of the promises outlined by the Tennessee Valley Authority. The legacy of the Tennessee Valley Authority is one of harm and poverty for a vast amount of residents left in its wake.

I was born and reared in Jackson County, Alabama. My family had to leave the County of Jackson County to earn a living. After I enlisted in the United States Armed Forces and became injured serving my country, the United States of America, the Tennessee Valley Authority

officials thanked me by denying me employment at the Tennessee Valley Authority Bellefonte Nuclear Power Plant in the mid Seventies. Commissioners please note that the Tennessee Valley Authority medical staff stated that they could not find any physical impediment to bar me from employment with the agency; however, because I honestly acknowledged that I had become wounded in Vietnam they would deny me employment opportunity. The heinous denial of employment opportunities by the nefarious officials of the Tennessee Valley Authority was a violation of the Veteran Preference Act. United States of America government has continually stated its commitment to its wound<sup>ed</sup> veterans. The Tennessee Valley Authority has allowed its officials to put themselves above the president, the congress, and most of all the law. The dangerousness of high-mildness displayed by the Tennessee Valley Authority and its officials, demand that they should never again be given an opportunity to flourish in the county of Jackson Alabama.

The time that frame of the aforementioned, less than honorable actions to discriminate against me because I became wounded in the defense of my nations call is reprehensible. As I have already stated the maniacal officials of the Bellefonte Nuclear Power Plant Human Resource personnel to said action in the mid-seventies and they have thought other Human Resource personnel to adhere to the same illegal practices. I want to reiterate that the Tennessee Valley Authority Doctors' stated that they could not find any physical problems with my health.

Because I acknowledged that I had been wounded in combat they would have to rescind their offer of employment. The medical staff of the Bellefonte Human Resource personnel office, on the advice of their medical doctors, unlawfully deprived me of an opportunity to earn a livable income necessary to the vital growth and providing for needs of my family-Tennessee Valley

Authority Bellefonte personnel officials have proven over and over again to be an untrustworthy, deceitful, and harmful neighbor.

I believe that this is the same ignoble governmental agency, which failed to honor its promises' and its obligations' to the people of Jackson County, Alabama in the 1970's. The Tennessee Valley Authority Bellefonte Nuclear stewards have failed the people <sup>of</sup> North Alabama in the past and have exhibited the propensity to fail them if given the opportunity again. Some very small segments of our community have benefited from the business demands of the Tennessee Valley Authority Bellefonte; I submit that a far-grater segment of the population of people has suffered the scourge of poverty and displacement. My family and friends failed to glean the promise of a better life and a better place to live. None of the families <sup>I</sup> grew up with have benefited by the evilness of the Tennessee Valley Authority project known as Bellefonte Nuclear Plant as subjected by the erudite of the business community officials who submitted into the records the glowing accounts of prosperity for the Jackson County residents..

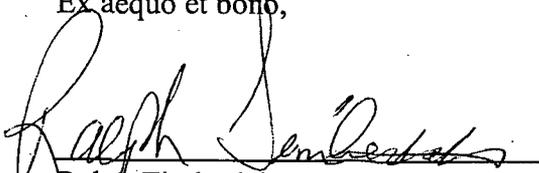
I believe that the negative costs have far out weighed the purported benefits of the hazard nuclear plant. I feel that some of the plutocrats attitude of the 1970's, Bellefonte Power Plant builders are at work today to fleece the poor and unsuspecting people living in Jackson County, Alabama out of their pristine land and loving communities for the short-term <sup>Pseudo</sup> ~~Speedo~~-benefit of a few jobs-bad trade.

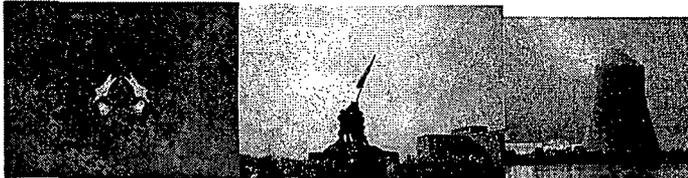
Please do not grant the Tennessee Valley Authority the licensing its requested to complete the destruction of people and the environment that they started over thirty-years ago. The purport wisdom that the Tennessee Valley Board have <sup>S</sup> historically failed <sup>has</sup> to have been exhibit <sup>ed</sup> when the Board stated the Bellefonte Nuclear Power Plant and later abandon depict a great lack of

exercising of wisdom on the part of officials of the Tennessee Valley Authority. While the Tennessee Valley Authority request to receive a license, Pursuant to the Department of Energy rules, does not demonstrate the necessitate for the Bellefonte Nuclear Power Plant project to once again to allow the Tennessee Valley Authority Board, who without shame and who without the reasonable obligation to truly be a responsible steward, continue to waste public money and seek surreptitiously to wrought its evil-will upon the poor people living in Jackson County and the surrounding areas.

I want to take this moment to reiterate my stern and un-equivocated opposition to the licensing of the Bellefonte Nuclear Power Plant in the County of Jackson, in general and in the city of Hollywood, Alabama in particular. My one voice is raised because if not me, then who. I raise my voice because I love righteousness, I love justice, and I the more love my community. I am deeply sadden that the business people of Jackson County see only profits and fail to see the needs of the people who are their neighbors. I know that there will be a boom for a very few businesses, as before, but a very big and lasting bust for the people, the environment and a great loss of confidence in our government and our governmental officials. Voir dire and semper paratus for judgement. The righteouses are semper fidelis!

Ex aequo et bono,

  
Ralph Timberlake



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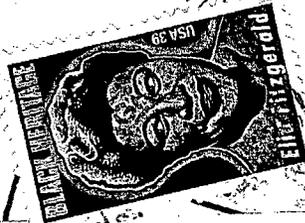
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