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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 - NCR 2111R - EIGHTH 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) in conjunction with similar deficiencies designated as NCR's 2806R, 2091R, 2101R, 2120R, 2128R, 2137R, and 2375R. Interim reports were submitted on March 19, May 6, August 8, and October 31, 1980, and February 6, June 17, and October 13, 1981. TVA is still in the process of reinspecting and repairing fillet welds. We expect to provide additional information by February 23, 1982.

If you have any questions concerning this matter, please get in touch with R. H. Shell at FTS 858-2676.

Very truly yours,

TENNESSEE VALLEY AUTHORITY

L. M. Mills, Manager
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