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U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
Region II
Attn: Mr. James P. O'Reilly, Regional Administrator
101 Marietta Street, NW, Suite 2900
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Dear Mr. O'Reilly:

WATTS BAR NUCLEAR PLANT UNITS 1 AND 2 - NRC-OIE REGION II INSPECTION REPORT 50-390/82-29, 50-391/82-26 - SUPPLEMENTAL RESPONSE TO DEVIATIONS - 50-390/82-29-03 AND 50-391/82-26-03

The subject inspection report dated August 27, 1982 cited TVA with two deviations. Our responses to the subject were submitted on October 8, and December 3, 1982.

As discussed with NRC-OIE Inspector Don Quick on July 8, 1983, the date of July 1, 1983, for completion of corrective actions indicated in our revised response dated December 3, 1982 on this matter was not met. Issuance of the guidance defining fire protection Quality Assurance (QA) boundaries was delayed because the amount of time required to generate the guidelines was underestimated and this underestimation was increased by conflicts with other urgent work. Delay in the guidelines has subsequently delayed the completion of the drawing revision effort and the QA verification to be done at the site. The Engineering Procedure (EP) defining the QA boundaries will be issued by August 1, 1983. Revised drawings will be issued by September 1, 1983, and the QA verification will be completed by October 1, 1983.

If you have any questions, please get in touch with R. H. Shell at FTS 858-2688.

To the best of my knowledge, I declare the statements contained herein to be complete and true.

Very truly yours,

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