TENNESSEE VALLEY AUTHORITY

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400 Chestnut Street Tower II

January 13, 1983

U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
Region II
Attn: Mr. James P. O'Reilly, Regional Administrator
101 Marietta Street, Suite 3100
Atlanta, Georgia 30303

Dear Mr. O'Reilly:

WATTS BAR NUCLEAR PLANT UNITS 1 AND 2 - SIS TRAIN B FLOW DEFICIENT - NCR WBN NEB 8004 - EIGHTH INTERIM REPORT

The subject deficiency was initially reported to NRC-OIE Inspector J. D. Wilcox on May 1, 1980 in accordance with 10 CFR 50.55(e). Interim reports were submitted on May 30, August 5, and November 6, 1980, January 15 and August 14, 1981, and April 9 and September 7, 1982. We expect to submit our next report by June 30, 1983.

As reported previously, TVA has modified the settings of the residual heat removal flow control valves 1-FCV-74-16 and 1-FCV-74-28, and they achieved acceptable injection flow rates. A final report will be submitted after Westinghouse completes the required documentation revisions.

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

Very truly yours,

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