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Written Statement - Atomic Safety and Licensing Board
July 30, 2008 Scottsboro, AL

1. The cost to TVA rate payers of the Bellefonte Nuclear Plants is excessive and would increase energy costs with much less benefit than alternative energy sources such as solar and fewer jobs than a concerted effort for energy efficiency and demand response.

2. With droughts predicted to meet or exceed last summer's severe water shortages, draining the Tennessee River further for nuclear cooling towers is unacceptable to those of us upstream.

Respectfully submitted,
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I am within 50 miles of the proposed plant and therefore have standing in this matter.

P.S. - I find the "arguments" relative to timeliness to be absolutely ridiculous considering the enormity of the challenges to building these plants.

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