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Attention: Mr. Stewart Ebnetter

In the Matter of  
Tennessee Valley Authority

Docket Nos. 50-390  
50-391

WATTS BAR NUCLEAR PLANT (WBN) - UNITS 1 AND 2 - REGION II INSPECTION REPORT  
50-390/86-24 AND 391/86-24

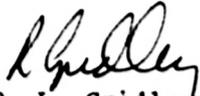
Our response to G. G. Zech's letter dated February 12, 1987, to S. A. White, which transmitted Inspection Report numbers 50-390/86-24 and 50-391/86-24, citing two violations, will be submitted by March 27, 1987. S. A. Elrod, NRC Section Chief, Division of TVA Projects, was notified by conference call of this two-week extension on March 11, 1987, by J. A. McDonald, Watts Bar Site Licensing Manager. The extension was requested and confirmed by S. A. Elrod in order that TVA further evaluate our HVAC welding acceptance program and nonconformance control program.

If there are any questions, please call R. D. Schulz at (615) 365-8527.

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

Very truly yours,

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R. L. Gridley, Director  
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