

TENNESSEE VALLEY AUTHORITY

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

WATTS BAR NUCLEAR PLANT UNITS 1 AND 2 - POWER OPERATED RELIEF VALVES DO NOT MEET REQUIREMENTS - NCR MEB 79-17 - SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION

The subject deficiency was initially reported to NRC-OIE Inspector Bruce Cochran on April 9, 1979 in accordance with 10 CFR 50.55(e). Interim reports were submitted on May 8 and June 13, 1979. Our final report was submitted on August 13, 1979.

In our final report TVA committed to complete corrective actions on this item by November 1, 1979. However, difficulty in obtaining vendor design changes has delayed this work. As discussed with Inspector R. V. Crlenjak on January 8, 1982, TVA now anticipates this work to be completed by June 30, 1982.

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

Very truly yours,

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