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Mr. Donnie Grimsley Director, Division of FOI & Publications Services U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission

Dear Mr. Grimsley:

Under the Freedom of Information Act, I am requesting a copy of an NRC staff 'position paper' dated January 8, 1993 from Gus Lainas, assistant director for Region II reactors in the Office of Nuclear Reactor Regulation to Ellis W. Merschoff, deputy director of the division of reactor safety in NRC Region II.

The position paper pertains, generally, to the Tennessee Valley Authority's quality assurance program for the Watts Bar nuclear plant.

This request is made on behalf of Mucleonics Week/Inside M.R.C., McGraw-Hill newsletters with readers in government, industry, and the general pub-lic. The I formation I am seeking will be used in the preparation of news articles, which will benefit the public. Therefore, I ask that all search and copying fees be waived. If they are not, McGraw-Hill is prepared to pay normal fees.

Please contact me at (202) 383-2166 if you have any questions. Thank you.

Sincerely.

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