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NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

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June 30, 2009

Mr. Preston D. Swafford  
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Executive Vice President  
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SUBJECT: BROWNS FERRY NUCLEAR PLANT, UNITS 1, 2, AND 3 – CORRECTION TO  
AMENDMENT NOS. 274, 301, AND 260 REGARDING CONTROL ROD NOTCH  
TEST FREQUENCY (TAC NOS. ME0024, ME0025, AND ME0026) (TS-462)

Dear Mr. Swafford:

On May 29, 2009, the Nuclear Regulatory Commission issued Amendment Nos. 274, 301, and 260, to Renewed Facility Operating Licenses Nos. DPR 33, DPR 52, and DPR-68 for the Browns Ferry Nuclear Plant, Units 1, 2, and 3, respectively. These amendments were in response to your application dated October 30, 2008, as supplemented by a letter dated November 20, 2008. The amendments adopted the applicable portions of Technical Specification Task Force Traveler TSTF-475, Revision 1, *Control Rod Notch Testing Frequency and SRM [source range monitor] Insert Control Rod Action*, which was approved for use in a safety evaluation, dated November 5, 2007.

After issuance, it came to our attention that the implementation dates for the amendments were incorrect. Page 2 of the amendments stated, "This license amendment is effective as of its date of issuance and shall be implemented within 30 days from the date of issuance." These pages have been corrected to read ". . . shall be implemented within 60 days . . ." The corrections are indicated by line bars in the margins.

Corrected pages for the three units are enclosed. We regret any inconvenience this may have caused. If you have any questions regarding this matter, please call me at (301) 415-2315.

Sincerely,

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Docket Nos. 50-259, 50-260, and 50-296

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TENNESSEE VALLEY AUTHORITY

DOCKET NO. 50-259

BROWNS FERRY NUCLEAR PLANT UNIT 1

AMENDMENT TO RENEWED FACILITY OPERATING LICENSE

Amendment No. 274  
Renewed License No. DPR-33

1. The Nuclear Regulatory Commission (the Commission) has found that:
  - A. The application for amendment by Tennessee Valley Authority (the licensee) dated October 30, 2008, as supplemented by letter dated November 20, 2008, complies with the standards and requirements of the Atomic Energy Act of 1954, as amended (the Act), and the Commission's rules and regulations set forth in 10 CFR Chapter I;
  - B. The facility will operate in conformity with the application, the provisions of the Act, and the rules and regulations of the Commission;
  - C. There is reasonable assurance (i) that the activities authorized by this amendment can be conducted without endangering the health and safety of the public, and (ii) that such activities will be conducted in compliance with the Commission's regulations;
  - D. The issuance of this amendment will not be inimical to the common defense and security or to the health and safety of the public; and
  - E. The issuance of this amendment is in accordance with 10 CFR Part 51 of the Commission's regulations and all applicable requirements have been satisfied.

2. Accordingly, the license is amended by changes to the Technical Specifications as indicated in the attachment to this license amendment and paragraph 2.C.(2) of Renewed Facility Operating License No. DPR-33 is hereby amended to read as follows:

- (2) Technical Specifications

- The Technical Specifications contained in Appendices A and B, as revised through Amendment No. 274, are hereby incorporated in the license. The licensee shall operate the facility in accordance with the Technical Specifications.

3. This license amendment is effective as of its date of issuance and shall be implemented within 60 days from the date of issuance.

FOR THE NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION



Thomas H. Boyce, Chief  
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Attachment:  
Changes to the Operating License  
and Technical Specifications

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TENNESSEE VALLEY AUTHORITY

DOCKET NO. 50-260

BROWNS FERRY NUCLEAR PLANT UNIT 2

AMENDMENT TO RENEWED FACILITY OPERATING LICENSE

Amendment No. 301  
Renewed License No. DPR-52

1. The Nuclear Regulatory Commission (the Commission) has found that:
  - A. The application for amendment by Tennessee Valley Authority (the licensee) dated October 30, 2008, as supplemented by letter dated November 20, 2008, complies with the standards and requirements of the Atomic Energy Act of 1954, as amended (the Act), and the Commission's rules and regulations set forth in 10 CFR Chapter I;
  - B. The facility will operate in conformity with the application, the provisions of the Act, and regulations of the Commission;
  - C. There is reasonable assurance (i) that the activities authorized by this amendment can be conducted without endangering the health and safety of the public, and (ii) that such activities will be conducted in compliance with the Commission's regulations;
  - D. The issuance of this amendment will not be inimical to the common defense and security or to the health and safety of the public; and
  - E. The issuance of this amendment is in accordance with 10 CFR Part 51 of the Commission's regulations and all applicable requirements have been satisfied.

2. Accordingly, the license is amended by changes to the Technical Specifications as indicated in the attachment to this license amendment and paragraph 2.C.(2) of Renewed Facility Operating License No. DPR-52 is hereby amended to read as follows:

- (2) Technical Specifications

- The Technical Specifications contained in Appendices A and B, as revised through Amendment No. 301, are hereby incorporated in the license. The licensee shall operate the facility in accordance with the Technical Specifications.

3. This license amendment is effective as of its date of issuance and shall be implemented within 60 days from the date of issuance.

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BROWNS FERRY NUCLEAR PLANT UNIT 3

AMENDMENT TO RENEWED FACILITY OPERATING LICENSE

Amendment No. 260  
Renewed License No. DPR-68

1. The Nuclear Regulatory Commission (the Commission) has found that:
  - A. The application for amendment by Tennessee Valley Authority (the licensee) dated October 30, 2008, as supplemented by letter dated November 20, 2008, complies with the standards and requirements of the Atomic Energy Act of 1954, as amended (the Act), and the Commission's rules and regulations set forth in 10 CFR Chapter I;
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  - E. The issuance of this amendment is in accordance with 10 CFR Part 51 of the Commission's regulations and all applicable requirements have been satisfied.

2. Accordingly, the license is amended by changes to the Technical Specifications as indicated in the attachment to this license amendment and paragraph 2.C.(2) of Renewed Facility Operating License No. DPR-68 is hereby amended to read as follows:

(2) Technical Specifications

The Technical Specifications contained in Appendices A and B, as revised through Amendment No. 260, are hereby incorporated in the license. The licensee shall operate the facility in accordance with the Technical Specifications.

3. This license amendment is effective as of its date of issuance and shall be implemented within 60 days from the date of issuance.

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