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In order that we may continue our review of your application for the Bellefonte Nuclear Plant, Units 1 and 2, additional information is required as discussed in the enclosure to this letter.

In order to maintain our licensing review schedule, we will need a completely adequate response by March 8, 1974. Please inform us within 7 days after receipt of this letter of your confirmation of the schedule date or the date you will be able to meet.

Please contact us if you have any questions regarding the information requested.

Sincerely,

Wm. H. Regan, Jr., Chief Environmental Projects Branch 4 Directorate of Licensing

Enclosure:

Request for Additional Information for Bellefonte Nuclear Plant Units 1 and 2

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- 1. Provide more information and data supporting the elimination of alternate sites D, F and H as compared to the Bellefonte site.
- 2. Figure 4.2-2 in the TVA draft environmental statement indicates that the largest surplus generating capacity occurs in Area 4 and the largest generating deficit capacity occurs in Area 2. Explain why potential sites were not investigated in Area 2.
- 3. Provide the explanation for TVA restricting itself to the Tennessee River Valley for potential plant sites for the Bellefonte plant.
- 4. Provide the explanation for TVA not considering potential sites away from a major body of water for the Bellefonte plant.