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In the Matter of  
Tennessee Valley Authority  
(Bellefonte Nuclear Plant, Units 1 and 2)  
Docket Nos. 50-438 and 50-439

Dear Sir:

Enclosed are five copies of a draft environmental statement relating to the proposed Bellefonte nuclear plant to be located on the Tennessee River in Jackson County, Alabama, six miles northeast of Scottsboro. These documents are sent to you at the request of William E. Garner, Esq., Scottsboro, Alabama, who is an intervenor in the proceedings relating to the licensing of the plant.

The draft environmental statement was prepared by the regulatory staff of the Atomic Energy Commission in accordance with the statement of general policy and procedure on implementation of the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969, as set out in Appendix D of the Commission's regulations in 10 CFR Part 50. Comments are due by April 1, 1974, which is 45 days after publication in the Federal Register of the Notice of Availability of Statement.

If I can be of further assistance in this matter, please let me know.

Sincerely,

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