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PLANT NAME: **Bellefonte 1 & 2**

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**Furnishing TVA Report CEB-76-13:
Break Exclusion Position
for complying with
APCSB 3-1 and MEB 3-1**

**Bellefonte Nuclear Plant Units 1 & 2
dated
June 8, 1976**

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CHATTANOOGA, TENNESSEE 37401

July 21, 1976



Director of Nuclear Reactor Regulation
Attention: Mr. Olan Parr, Chief
Branch No. 3
U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
Washington, DC 20555

Dear Mr. Parr:

In the Matter of the Application of) Docket Nos. 50-438
Tennessee Valley Authority) 50-439

During a March 3, 1976, meeting with the NRC staff, TVA presented a plan for implementing the pipe rupture portion of Branch Technical Positions APCSB 3-1 and MEB 3-1. The specific discussions related to the exclusion of postulated breaks in main steam valve room regions and the necessary prerequisite for the allowance of these exclusions. The NRC representatives involved in the meeting were in general agreement with TVA's approach and requested a formal submittal of the TVA position for NRC review.

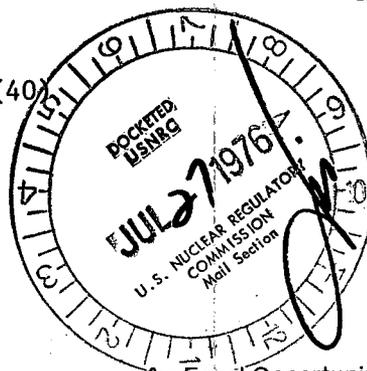
In accordance with that request, enclosed are 40 copies of TVA Report CEB-76-13, "Break Exclusion Position for Complying with APCSB 3-1 and MEB 3-1" for your review. TVA would appreciate an expeditious review and ruling on this proposal at the earliest date possible but no later than September 1, 1976. Based upon tentative verbal approval by NRC at the March 3 meeting, the break exclusion requirements are being implemented; therefore, changes or delays in NRC approval could impact plant schedules and result in some redesign.

Very truly yours,

J. E. Gilleland

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Assistant Manager of Power

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