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December 6, 2012

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# SUBJECT: WATTS BAR NUCLEAR PLANT - NRC MATERIAL CONTROL AND ACCOUNTING INSPECTION REPORT 05000390/2012404

Dear Mr. Shea:

On June 27, 2012, the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) completed a material control and accounting inspection at your Watts Bar Nuclear Plant. The enclosed inspection report documents the inspection results, which were discussed on October 19, 2012, with Mr. D. Grissette and other members of your staff.

This inspection examined activities conducted under your license as they relate to security and compliance with the Commission's rules and regulations and with the conditions of your licenses. The inspectors reviewed selected procedures and records, observed activities, and interviewed personnel.

Based on the results of this inspection, no findings were identified.

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Sincerely,

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Scott M. Shaeffer, Chief Reactor Projects Branch 6 Division of Reactor Projects

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