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August 25, 2016

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Ms. Loudermilk:

TENNESSEE VALLEY AUTHORITY (TVA) - SEQUOYAH NUCLEAR PLANT (SQN) -
NPDES PERMIT NO. TN0026450 - DISCHARGE MONITORING REPORT QUALITY
ASSURANCE (DMR-QA) STUDY 36 PROVIDER-GRADED TEST RESULTS

Please find enclosed the provider-graded test results of the 2016 DMR-QA Study 36 Laboratory Performance Evaluation obtained by TVA Sequoyah Nuclear Plant (SQN) and supporting laboratories as required by NPDES Permit TN0026450. Please note that Pace Analytical laboratory (NC00014) initially received an unacceptable rating for oil and grease analysis. As required, a Corrective Action Plan was prepared by the laboratory and the analysis was repeated, resulting in an acceptable rating. Both checklists are enclosed, along with the Corrective Action Plan.

If you have any questions or need additional information, please contact Millicent Garland at (423) 843-6714 of Sequoyah's Environmental staff.

Sincerely,


Christopher J. Schwarz
Site Vice President
Sequoyah Nuclear Plant

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Division of Water Pollution Control
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NPDES Permittee Data Report Form

Attention: Follow the instructions on the previous page to complete this form and submit data for evaluation.

Due August 26, 2016

State	NPDES Permit Number	Permit Extension
TN	0026450	

Permittee Name
 TVA - Sequoyah Nuclear Plant

Current Permittee Mailing Address
 P.O. Box 2000, Mailstop - OPS 4A-SQN

City: Soddy-Daisy State: TN Zip Code: 37384

Phone Number: +1 (423) 843-7001 Fax Number: E-mail: cjschwarz@tva.gov

Optional: If WP Study was used, list PT Provider name(s):

Optional: WP Study Number(s)

For DMR-QA Study 36, conducted in 2016, the Permittee ensured that their laboratory(s) performing the required analyses:

Received PT Samples	Submitted Complete and Accurate Data by July 1, 2016	Received a Graded Report by July 29, 2016
Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>

Certification by Permit Holder or Authorized Representative
 (as per 40 CFR Section 122.22)

I certify under penalty of law that this document and all attachments were prepared under my direction or supervision in accordance with a system designed to assure that qualified personnel properly gather and evaluate the information submitted. Based on my inquiry of the person or persons who manage the system, or those persons directly responsible for gathering the information, the information submitted is, to the best of my knowledge and belief, true, accurate, and complete. Each reported value was produced from a single analytical run using the analytical system that routinely performs these analyses to produce compliance monitoring data required under our National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) permit. Neither I nor any of my subordinates compared our results with results from independent analyses conducted by us or any other laboratory before we reported our results to the U.S.EPA. I am aware that there are significant penalties for submitting false information, including the possibility of fine and imprisonment for knowing violations.

Name of Certifying Official: Christopher J. Schwarz Title: Site Vice President

Signature: Date: 8/25/2016

Address, phone number and e-mail of certifying official are required if different from above.

Address: _____ Phone Number: _____

City: _____ State: TN Zip Code: _____ E-mail: _____



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Permittee Name TVA-SQN	State 	NPDES Permit No. TN0026450	Permit Extension
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Identification of all CHEM, MICRO and WET laboratories who performed analyses for this permit

Name of Laboratory	Address of Laboratory	U.S. EPA Lab Code	Lab Analysis Check box(es) that apply			Lab Type*	State-certified Lab**
			Chem	Micro	WET		
Pace Analytical	2225 Riverside Drive Asheville, NC 28804	NC00030	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	C	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
TVA- Sequoyah Nuclear Plant	P.O. Box 2000 Mailstop: OPS - 5N Soddy-Daisy, TN 37384-2000	TN00999	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	F	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Environmental Testing Solutions	351 Depot Street Asheville, NC 28801	NC01230	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	C	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Pace Analytical	9800 Kinsey Avenue Suite 100 Huntersville, NC 28078	NC00014	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	C	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
			<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>
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* Lab Types: C = Commercial F = Federal G = Local Government I = Industrial O = Other S = State

** See Footnote on page 2 (Frequently Asked Questions) for the current list of states with lab accreditation programs

If you need additional space, please make a copy of this page for additional laboratories.

Chemistry/Microbiology Analyte Checklist

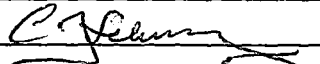
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Analyte Test	Test Required	Method Number Used (optional)	Laboratory's Graded Result		Analyte determined by state-certified lab*
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Microbiology					
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Mercury (Low Level)	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
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Specific conductance (25°C)	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
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Total Cyanide	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
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Total Residual Chlorine (Low Level)	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Settleable Solids	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Turbidity	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

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WET Analyte Checklist DMR-QA Study 36

Analyte Number	Organism / Conditions	Endpoint	Test Required	Laboratory's Graded Result		Analyte determined by state-certified lab*
				Acceptable	Not Acceptable (Corrective Action Required)	
Test Code 13 (refer to EPA Method 2000)						
754	Fathead minnow (<i>Pimephales promelas</i>) - MHSF 25°C	LC50	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Test Code 14 (refer to EPA Method 2000)						
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Test Code 15 (refer to EPA Method 1000)						
756	Fathead minnow (<i>Pimephales promelas</i>) - MHSF	NOEC SURVIVAL	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
808	Fathead minnow (<i>Pimephales promelas</i>) - MHSF	IC25** (ON) GROWTH	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
810	Fathead minnow (<i>Pimephales promelas</i>) - MHSF	NOEC (ON) GROWTH	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Test Code 16 (refer to EPA Method 1000)						
759	Fathead minnow (<i>Pimephales promelas</i>) - 20% DMW	NOEC SURVIVAL	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
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Test Code 20 (refer to EPA Method 2002)						
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Test Code 21 (refer to EPA Method 1002)						
766	<i>Ceriodaphnia dubia</i> - MHSF	NOEC SURVIVAL	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
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Test Code 22 (refer to EPA Method 1002)						
769	<i>Ceriodaphnia dubia</i> - 20% DMW	NOEC SURVIVAL	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
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771	<i>Ceriodaphnia dubia</i> - 20% DMW	NOEC REPRODUCTION	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
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Test Code 38 (refer to EPA Method 2021)						
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Test Code 42 (refer to EPA Method 2007)						
798	Mysid (<i>Americamysis bahia</i> , <i>Mysidopsis bahia</i>) 25°C	LC50	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Test Code 43 (refer to EPA Method 1007)						
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816	Mysid (<i>Americamysis bahia</i> , <i>Mysidopsis bahia</i>)	IC25** (ON) GROWTH	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
818	Mysid (<i>Americamysis bahia</i> , <i>Mysidopsis bahia</i>)	NOEC (ON) GROWTH	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Test Code 44 (refer to EPA Method 2006)						
803	Inland silverside (<i>Menidia beryllina</i>) 25°C	LC50	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Test Code 45 (refer to EPA Method 1006)						
824	Inland silverside (<i>Menidia beryllina</i>)	NOEC SURVIVAL	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
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Test Code 46 (refer to EPA Method 2004)						
804	Sheepshead minnow (<i>Cyprinodon variegatus</i>) 25°C	LC50	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Test Code 47 (refer to EPA Method 1004)						
805	Sheepshead minnow (<i>Cyprinodon variegatus</i>)	NOEC SURVIVAL	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
820	Sheepshead minnow (<i>Cyprinodon variegatus</i>)	IC25** (ON) GROWTH	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
822	Sheepshead minnow (<i>Cyprinodon variegatus</i>)	NOEC (ON) GROWTH	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

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**Preferred endpoint for DMR-QA performance test reporting.

Chemistry/Microbiology Analyte Checklist

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			Acceptable	Not Acceptable (Corrective Action Required)	
Microbiology					
<i>E. coli</i> , MF or MPN	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Fecal Coliform, MF or MPN	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Total Coliform, MF or MPN	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Trace Metals					
Aluminum	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
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Total Residual Chlorine (Low Level)	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Settleable Solids	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
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Chemistry/Microbiology Analyte Checklist

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Analyte Test	Test Required	Method Number Used (optional)	Laboratory's Graded Result		Analyte determined by state-certified lab*
			Acceptable	Not Acceptable (Corrective Action Required)	
Microbiology					
<i>E. coli</i> , MF or MPN	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Fecal Coliform, MF or MPN	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Total Coliform, MF or MPN	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Trace Metals					
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May 27, 2016

RE: Correct Action Response – WP0116 1664

Client Project ID	Pace Project ID	Client Sample ID	Pace Sample ID
WP0116	92282843	8163-103	92282843001

Issue: Oil and Grease results by EPA 1664B were low outside of acceptance limits for WP0116.

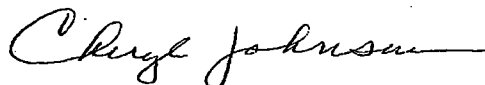
Investigation Results: The analyst allowed the sample extract pan for the WP0116 PE study to remain in the Speedvap evaporator for an extended period of time. Some amount of the more volatile components of oil and grease were most likely lost during this time causing low results to be reported. It was determined that the analyst did not follow proper drying and constant weight procedures. The analyst's inexperience was evident in the decisions he made for reporting.

Root Cause: Inexperienced analyst did not follow the SOP, treat the PE like a paying sample and failed to ask supervision for guidance when needed.

Corrective Action Plan: Good laboratory practices and adherence to the SOP were reviewed with the analyst. The analyst was determined to be proficient in that analysis by the evaluation of several QC samples while under supervision. The analyst was coached to bring situations such as overcooked samples to the attention of supervision for guidance. The analyst was coached to have confidence in the Standard Operating Procedures and follow them consistently. The analyst was very receptive to all constructive criticism and re-training and it has been a good learning experience that has made him a better analyst. A passing PE study was submitted on May 16, 2016.

Monitoring and Follow-up: This incident has been recorded in the laboratory's corrective action database for documentation and tracking. The information is used to develop continuous improvement plans and departmental training to avoid similar errors.

Sincerely,



Cheryl Johnson
Quality Manager