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Gentlemen:

In the Matter of Tennessee Valley Authority

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BROWNS FERRY NUCLEAR PLANT (BFN) - TVA BFN TECHNICAL SPECIFICATION NO. 245-T

- Reference 1. Letter from TVA to NRC dated March 23, 1988, "Browns Ferry Nuclear Plant (BFN) Fuel Inspection and Reconstitution"
 - 2. Letter from TVA to NRC dated May 20, 1988, "Browns Ferry Nuclear Plant (BFN) Fuel Inspection and Reconstitution"

In accordance with the provisions of 10 CFR 50.4 and 50.90, we are submitting a request for an amendment to licenses DPR-33, DPR-52, and DPR-68 to change the BFN Technical Specifications for units 1, 2, and 3 (enclosure 1).

Reference 1 provided NRC with a description of the BFN fuel inspection and reconstitution program which was updated by reference 2.

TVA requests temporary changes to the operability requirements for the Standby Gas Treatment System and Control Room Emergency Ventilation System. Relaxation of these requirements will allow system modifications and maintenance needed for restart to proceed in parallel with the fuel inspection and reconstitution program. This relaxation can be accomplished without reducing the margin of safety. These temporary changes will be in effect until just before the start of fuel load.

The description, reason for change, and justification in support of the proposed temporary changes are enclosed (enclosure 2). A proposed determination of no significant hazards consideration is provided (enclosure 3).

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We request your expedient review and approval of the enclosed temporary changes. We request that these specifications be made effective upon receipt of these changes.

Enclosed is a check for \$150 amendment fee required by 10 CFR Part 170.12.

Very truly yours,

TENNESSEE VALLEY AUTHORITY

R. Gridley, Director Nuclear Licensing and Regulatory Affairs

Subscribed and sworn to before me on this day of Sune 1988.

Notary Public

My Commission Expires 24-88

Enclosures

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