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U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
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Watts Bar Nuclear Plant, Units 1 and 2
Facility Operating License Nos. NPF-90 and NPF-96
NRC Docket Nos. 50-390 and 50-391

Subject: Notification of Readiness for NRC Inspection Procedure 95001 Inspection

Reference: NRC letter to TVA, "Watts Bar Nuclear Plant – Final Significance Determination of a White Finding and Notice of Violation and Assessment Follow-up Letter (NRC Inspection Report Nos. 05000390/2019090 and 05000391/2019090)," dated April 15, 2019 (ML19105B198)

In the referenced letter, the Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) informed Tennessee Valley Authority (TVA) of its plans for a future inspection of the Watts Bar Nuclear Plant (WBN) Units 1 and 2, in accordance with Inspection Procedure 95001, "Supplemental Inspection for One or Two White Inputs in a Strategic Performance Area." As noted in the referenced letter, the purpose of this supplemental inspection is to provide assurance that the root and contributing causes for the performance issues are understood; to provide assurance that the extent of condition and extent of cause of the performance issues are understood; and to provide assurance that the corrective actions are sufficient to address the root and contributing causes and preclude repetition.

As requested in the attached letter, TVA is hereby notifying the NRC of WBN's readiness for the subject inspection. WBN has completed a root cause analysis pertaining to the white finding regarding the calculation errors affecting emergency preparedness. Based on discussions with NRC staff, TVA requests the NRC commence the inspection on July 29, 2019.

There are no new regulatory commitments associated with this submittal. TVA's principal contact regarding the inspection is Tony Brown, WBN Licensing Manager, who can be reached at (423) 365-7720.

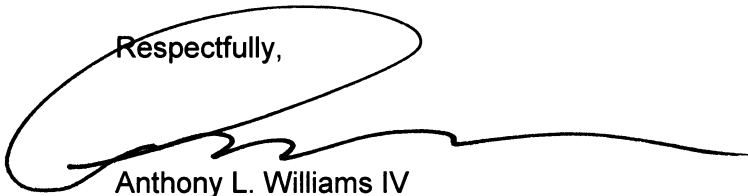
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Respectfully,

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Site Vice President
Watts Bar Nuclear Plant

cc:

NRC Regional Administrator - Region II
NRC Senior Resident Inspector – Watts Bar Nuclear Plant