

September 5, 2019

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA  
NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

BEFORE THE COMMISSION

In the Matter of )  
 )  
TENNESSEE VALLEY AUTHORITY ) Docket No. 52-047-ESP  
 )  
(Clinch River Nuclear Site Early )  
Site Permit Application) )

NRC STAFF MOTION REQUESTING LEAVE TO SUBMIT A RESPONSE TO FEMA'S  
POST-HEARING LETTER AND ADMIT EXHIBIT NRC-020 INTO THE HEARING RECORD

Pursuant to 10 C.F.R. § 2.323, the staff of the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC), hereby requests leave to submit a response to the post-hearing letter from the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) that was received by the NRC following the August 14, 2019 hearing in this matter.<sup>1</sup> During the hearing, the Chairman stated that if FEMA filed a supplemental letter after the hearing, the other parties would have an opportunity to respond to it.<sup>2</sup> The staff's response to FEMA's letter is in Exhibit NRC-020, which is being filed along with this motion. Further, the staff requests that Exhibit NRC-020 be entered into the record for the mandatory hearing on the Tennessee Valley Authority's (TVA's) early site permit application for the Clinch River Nuclear Site. The NRC staff consulted with TVA pursuant to 10 C.F.R.

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<sup>1</sup> Letter from M. Casey, FEMA, to the Office of the Secretary, "Tennessee Valley Authority, Clinch River Nuclear Site Early Site Permit Application Hearing, Docket No. 52-047-ESP, August 14, 2019" (dated Aug. 24, 2019, received Aug. 26, 2019).

<sup>2</sup> Tr. at 7.

§ 2.323(b), and TVA has no objection to the NRC staff's motion.

**/Signed (electronically) by/**

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