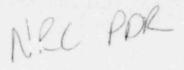


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MEMORANDUM FOR: T. Ippolito, Chief, Operating Reactors Branch #3, DOR

FROM:

G. Lainas, Chief, Plant Systems Branch, DOR

SUBJECT:

BROWNS FERRY DRYWELL PRESSURE SETPOINT CHANGE

(TACS 12102, 12103, AND 12104)

Plant Name: Browns Ferry Nuclear Plant, Units 1, 2, and 3

Docket Nos.: 50-259, 50-260, 50-296

Responsible Branch: Operating Reactors Branch #3 Project Manager: R. Clark

Review Branches: Plant Systems Branch and

Reactor Safety Branch

Review Status: Complete

In response to your Technical Assistance Request, the Plant Systems Branch and the Reactor Safety Branch have reviewed the application for license amendment submitted by the Tennessee Valley Authority. The results of our joint review are reflected in the enclosed Safety Evaluation.

We have concluded that the proposed change in the drywell high pressure setpoint from 2.0 psig to 2.5 psig is acceptable.

G. Lainas, Chief

Plant Systems Branch

Division of Operating Reactors

Enclosure: As stated

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