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Director of Nuclear Reactor Regulation
Attention: Mr. A. Schwencer, Chief
Licensing Branch No. 2
Division of Licensing
U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
Washington, DC 20555

Dear Mr. Schwencer:

In the Matter of the Application of) Docket Nos. 50-327
Tennessee Valley Authority) 50-328

This letter is an addition to my letter to you of July 8, 1980, concerning foundation engineering of the new ERCW pumping station. This letter clarified the TVA position on the use of the new ERCW pumping station between unit 1 and unit 2 operations.

Until the foundation engineering review by the NRC Geosciences Branch is completed, the existing (currently utilized) ERCW pumping station will be operational for providing ERCW for unit 1 operation and will act as a backup to the new ERCW pumping station after the new pumping station is put into service. Therefore, resolution of this issue has no bearing on the safe operation of the plant during the interim period.

Very truly yours,

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