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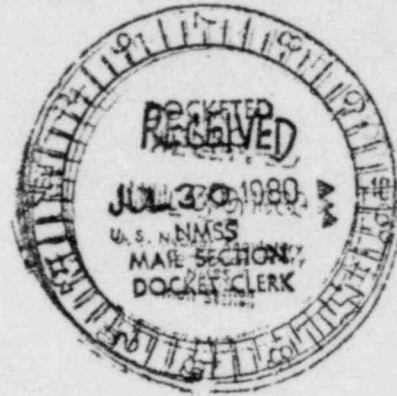
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Mr. W. T. Crow, Section Leader
Uranium Fabrication Section
Division of Fuel Cycle and Material
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U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
Washington, DC 20555



Dear Mr. Crow:

In the Matter of the) Docket Nos. 070-02910
Tennessee Valley Authority) 070-0913

The Special Nuclear Material License, SMN-1863, for Sequoyah Nuclear Plant Unit 2, and SNM-1861, for Watts Bar Nuclear Plant Unit 1, will expire September 30, 1980. An extension to SNM-1861 and SMN-1863 is necessary because of delays indicated in my March 7, 1980, letter to L. S. Rubenstein which requested a construction permit extension and my June 26, 1980, letter to A. Schwencer which gave the expected completion dates for the two units.

Therefore, we hereby request th SNM-1863, be extended to March 31, 1981, and SNM-1861, be extended to December 31, 1981.

Very truly yours,

TENNESSEE VALLEY AUTHORITY

L. M. Mills

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