

TENNESSEE VALLEY AUTHORITY

CHATTANOOGA, TENNESSEE 37401

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E. James P. O'Reilly, Director  
U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission  
Office of Inspection and Enforcement  
Region II  
101 Marietta Street, Suite 3100  
Atlanta, Georgia 30303

Dear Mr. O'Reilly:

TENNESSEE VALLEY AUTHORITY - SEQUOYAH NUCLEAR PLANT UNIT 1 - DOCKET  
NO. 50-327 - FACILITY OPERATING LICENSE DPR-77 - REPORTABLE OCCURRENCE  
REPORT SQRO-50-327/80175

The enclosed report provides details concerning the containment air  
return fan B-B damper failing to open with the required torque. This  
event resulted in entering limited condition for operation and is  
reported under Sequoyah unit 1 Technical Specification 6.9.1.13.b.

Very truly yours,

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H. J. Green  
Director of Nuclear Power

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