

UNITED STATES NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION WASHINGTON, D. C. 20555

October 8, 1980

Mr. Thomas Dotzler Chairman "The Nuclear Regulatory Commission" The Farm Summertown, Tennessee 38483

Dear Mr. Dotzler:

This letter is written in response to your petition, dated May 28, 1980, requesting that I take certain action with respect to the operation of the Sequoyah Nuclear Plant, Unit 1. Your petition has been considered under 10 CFR §2.206 of the Commission's regulations. For the reasons set forth in the enclosed "Director's Decision Under 10 CFR §2.206" your request is hereby denied.

A copy of this Decision will be placed in the Commission's Public Document Room at 1717 H Street, N. W., Washington, D. C. 20555, and at the Local Public Document Room for the Sequoyah Nuclear Plant, Unit 1, at the Chattanooga Hamilton County Bicentennal Library, 1001 Broad Street, Chattanooga, Tennessee 37402. A copy will also be filed with the Secretary for the Commission's review in accordance with 10 CFR §2.206(c).

Sincerely,

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Harold R. Denton, Director Office of Nuclear Reactor Regulation

Enclosure: As stated

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