

TENNESSEE VALLEY AUTHORITY

CHATTANOOGA, TENNESSEE 37401
400 Chestnut Street Tower II

December 14, 1981



TVA-SNP-TS-24

Mr. Harold R. Denton, Director
Office of Nuclear Reactor Regulation
U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
Washington, DC 20555

Dear Mr. Denton:

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

In accordance with 10 CFR Part 50.59, we are enclosing 40 copies of a requested emergency amendment to the licenses DPR-77 and DPR-79 to change the technical specifications for Sequoyah Nuclear Plant units 1 and 2 (Enclosure 1). The proposed amendment requests changes in the technical specifications to clarify the limiting conditions for the shutdown board room cooling system. The justification to support the proposed change is also provided (Enclosure 2). As discussed with Carl Stahle of your staff on December 14, 1981, we need this emergency technical specification change as soon as possible to prevent an unnecessary shutdown of the plant.

In accordance with the requirements of 10 CFR Part 170.22, we have determined the proposed amendment to be Class II for unit 1 and Class I for unit 2. These classifications are based on the facts that the amendment is administrative in nature and that the changes apply to two identical units on the same site. The remittance of \$1,600 is being wired to the Nuclear Regulatory Commission, Attention: Licensing Fee Management Branch.

Very truly yours,

TENNESSEE VALLEY AUTHORITY

L. M. Mills, Manager
Nuclear Regulation and Safety

Sworn to and subscribed before me
this 14th day of December 1981

Judith A. Winger
Notary Public
My Commission Expires Jan. 11, 1982

Enclosure

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