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Sincerely,

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Domenic B. Vassallo, Chief
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REQUEST FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION
STATUS OF NUREG-0737 REQUIREMENTS
BROWNS FERRY NUCLEAR PLANT
DOCKET NOS. 50-259, 50-260 AND 50-296

Item II.B.2 - Plant Shielding

NUREG-0737 requires that plant modifications be completed by January 1, 1982. Your letters of December 23, 1980 and April 14, 1982 do not state whether the modifications are complete. Your letter of October 28, 1981, did not list this item. State whether the modifications are complete. If they are not, provide a schedule for completion with a discussion of what has not been completed.

Items II.F.1.1, Sampling and Analysis of Plant Effluents and II.F.1.2, Sampling and Analysis or Measurement of High-Range Radioiodine and Particulate Effluents in Gaseous Effluent Streams

NUREG-0737, item II.F.1.1 discussed the requirements for a noble gas effluent monitor; item II.F.1.2 discussed the requirements for sampling gaseous iodine under postulated accident conditions. Enclosure 7B of your letters of October 28, 1981 and November 20, 1981 appears to have the title for these two items interposed. Is it your proposal that iodine sampling capability fully meeting the requirements of item II.F.1.2 be in-place and functional on all three units by October 1, 1984? In your October 28, 1981 submittal, you did not provide a schedule for installation of the noble gas monitors since it was your position that there is no monitor available that will satisfy our requirements. We have repeatedly advised your staff -- with respect to both Browns Ferry and Sequoyah -- that there are at least five commercially available noble gas monitors that the NRC staff has accepted as fully meeting the requirements of NUREG-0737, item II.F.1.1. Inasmuch as six months has elapsed since your October 28, 1981 schedule, you are requested to update enclosure 7B providing a schedule for installation of the noble gas monitors.