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Before Administrative Judges:
Marshall E. Miller, Chairman
Gustave A. Linenberger, Jr.
Dr. Cadet H. Hand, Jr.

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In the Matter of

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY
PROJECT MANAGEMENT CORPORATION
TENNESSEE VALLEY AUTHORITY

(Clinch River Breeder Reactor Plant)

Docket No. 50-537

August 31, 1982

SCHEDULING ORDER

An evidentiary hearing on Site Suitability Report (SSR) issues involved in a limited work authorization (LWA) phase of this proceeding was held August 23-27, 1982. This hearing covered testimony and evidence concerning Contentions 1a, 2a-h, and 3b-d (accident analysis and radiological source term analysis) in connection with the proposed site for a facility of the general size and type as the CRBR. The

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following schedule was adopted^{1/} to govern the next phase^{2/}
of the proceeding:

August 30, 1982	Commence discovery on all environmental (NEPA) matters not covered by prior discovery, including FES, current updates to FES information, draft Supplement to FES (June, 1982), SSR, and information furnished in answers to interrogatories and production of documents.
October 18, 1982	End above discovery. Requests for discovery must be filed a sufficient time in advance to permit responses to be filed by this date.
November 1, 1982	Written direct testimony to be prefiled and served by expedited or one-day mail delivery. All testimony, written or oral, shall be subject to the provisions of ALAB-600, 12 NRC 3 at 12. ^{3/}

1/ Tr. 3205-3214.

2/ Although the Board originally requested the filing of nonformal summaries of proposed findings (Tr. 3202), it has decided to eliminate such request at this time. Accordingly, no provision for summaries of proposed findings is included in the Schedule.

3/ "All direct testimony shall be filed in question and answer form. The use of this format should remind counsel and their witnesses to avoid broad and general answers to vague and general questions. Rather, specific, narrowly drawn questions and precise answers should be the watchword. Expert witnesses who will present opinion evidence are to be reminded by counsel that they are not advocates. Rather, such witnesses should retain their professional objectivity during cross-examination and during questioning by us. A witness' views which differ from those of his colleagues should be acknowledged with appropriate explanations for those differences."

November 1, 1982 Staff to file final Supplement to FES.

Discovery on new environmental matters triggered by the final Supplement to FES and within the scope of admitted contentions, shall commence immediately on expedited schedule to be established by the parties.

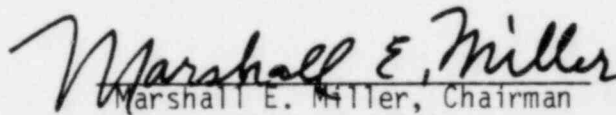
November 12, 1982 Written direct testimony on new environmental matters triggered by final Supplement to be filed.

November 15-19, 1982 Commencement of evidentiary hearing on LWA-1 environmental (NEPA) matters, including FES and draft and final Supplements thereto.

December 13, 1982 Conclusion of evidentiary hearing on LWA-1 issues.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

FOR THE ATOMIC SAFETY AND
LICENSING BOARD


Marshall E. Miller, Chairman
ADMINISTRATIVE JUDGE

August 31, 1982