

TENNESSEE VALLEY AUTHORITY

CHATTANOOGA, TENNESSEE 37401

400 Chestnut Street Tower II

August 30, 1982

BLRD-50-438/82-13, -439/82-13

U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
Region II
ATTN: James P. O'Reilly, Regional Administrator
101 Marietta Street, Suite 3100
Atlanta, Georgia 30303

Dear Mr. O'Reilly:

BELLEFONTE NUCLEAR PLANT - REPORTABLE DEFICIENCY - CHECK VALVE LEAK
IN AIR START SYSTEM OF STANDBY DIESEL GENERATORS -BLRD-50-438/82-13,
-439/82-13

The subject deficiency was initially reported to NRC-OIE, Region II,
Inspector R. V. Crlenjak on February 9, 1982 as NCR BLNMEB8201.

In accordance with paragraph 50.55(e) of 10 CFR Part 50, this letter
constitutes our third interim report on the subject deficiency.
TVA is still awaiting receipt of evaluation from Transamerica
DeLaval, Inc. TVA understands that DeLaval is currently working on
testing information from the William Powell Company, Cincinnati,
Ohio. We consider 10 CFR Part 21 applicable to this
nonconformance. We anticipate transmitting our next report on or
before March 31, 1983. If you have any questions, please call Jim
Domer at FTS 858-2725 for BWRs or Ralph Shell at FTS 858-2676 for
PWRs.

Very truly yours,

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