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Tennessee Valley Authority
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Gentlemen:

Subject: Meeting Summary

This refers to the enforcement meeting conducted at the Browns Ferry facility on September 8, 1982. This meeting related to inspection findings concerning a shipment of low level radioactive waste drums and TVA plans for improving general employee training.

The subjects discussed in this meeting are described in the enclosed meeting summary.

It is our opinion that this meeting was beneficial and has provided for a better understanding of the issues addressed. In accordance with section 2.790 of NRC's "Rules of Practice," Part 2, Title 10, Code of Federal Regulation, a copy of this letter and enclosure will be placed in the NRC's, Public Document Room.

Should you have any questions concerning this matter, we will be pleased to discuss them.

Sincerely

James P. O'Reilly

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Regional Administrator

Enclosures

- 1. Meeting Summary
- 2. Attendance List

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ENCLOSURE 1

Meeting Summary

Licensee: Tennessee Valley Authority

Facility: Browns Ferry

License Nos: DPR-33, DPR-52 and DPR-68

Docket Nos: 50-259, 50-260, and 50-296

SUBJECT: CORRECTIVE ACTION RELATING TO A LOW LEVEL RADIOACTIVE WASTE SHIPMENT
AND GENERAL EMPLOYEE TRAINING

On September 8, 1982, representatives of TVA met with NRC Region II personnel to discuss TVA's corrective action relating to a shipment of low level waste in which one drum developed a leak during shipment. TVA then recalled the shipment and subsequently determined that paint stripper had been improperly packaged in the drum, (IE Inspection Report 50-259, 260, 296/82-26).

Also discussed was NRC's review of the training program which disclosed that apparently 10% of the plant staff and outage crew had not been given "General Employee Training" in accordance with a previous TVA commitment. (IE Inspection Report 50-259, 260, 296/82-27).

ENCLOSURE 2

ATTENDANCE LIST

Attendance at the Tennessee Valley Authority - NRC meeting on September 8, 1982,
at the Browns Ferry site

Tennessee Valley Authority

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