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Gentlemen:

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

SEQUOYAH NUCLEAR PLANT (SQN) -- SERVICE WATER SYSTEM OPERATIONAL  
PERFORMANCE INSPECTION (SWSOPI)

Reference: Letter from Thomas A. Peebles to Oliver D. Kingsley dated  
April 20, 1994, "Sequoyah Nuclear Plant Service Water System  
Operational Performance Inspection Report Nos. 50-327/94-14  
AND 50-328/94-14"

As indicated in the referenced letter, NRC plans a SWSOPI at SQN with up to seven inspectors June 27 through July 24, 1994. The SQN Unit 2 Cycle 6 refueling outage is scheduled to begin on July 4, 1994. This outage is the 10-year inservice inspection outage and is presently scheduled to last at least 90 days. This outage will be extremely man-power intensive, especially for those people who would be necessary to support the SWSOPI. NRC may not be able to receive the type of support during the outage that TVA would like to provide for an inspection of this magnitude. Therefore, TVA is requesting that the SWSOPI be delayed until sometime after the Unit 2 Cycle 6 refueling outage. This way, both SQN and NRC will receive the complete benefit of a fully-supported inspection.

If you have any questions concerning this submittal, please telephone R. H. Shell at (615) 843-7170.

Sincerely,

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