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Gentlemen:

In the Matter of Tennesses Valley Authority Docket Nos. 50-259 50-260 50-296

BROWNS FERRY NUCLEAR PLANT (BFN) UNITS 1, 2 AND 3 - NRC INSPECTION REPORT NOS. 50-259/91-04, 50-260/91-04, AND 50-296/91-04 - REPLY TO A NOTICE OF VIOLATION

This letter provides TVA's response to the notice of violation transmitted in the subject report. The report was sent from B. A. Wilson to D. D. Kingsley, Jr., dated March 6, 1991, and cited TVA with two violations. The first violation consists of three examples of access control problems. The second violation was for failure to control Safeguards Information and consists of one example with three events. Additionally, it should be noted that TVA has identified a fourth event.

The violation responses are provided as Enclosure 1 and reflect that TVA is admitting the violations. Enclosure 2 provides a TVA commitment made in the letter.

The enclosed information is being sent by registered mail. The signed receipt signifies that you have received this information and acknowledge that it contains safeguards material and should be withheld from public disclosure as defined by 10 CFR 73.21.

If you have any questions, please telephone Patrick Carier at (205) 729-3570.

Very truly yours,

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