

UNITED STATES NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

DOCKET NO. 50-537

U. S. DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

TENNESSEE VALLEY AUTHORITY AND PROJECT MANAGEMENT CORPORATION

NOTICE OF ISSUANCE OF LIMITED WORK AUTHORIZATION

Pursuant to the provisions of 10 CFR 50.10(e) of the Nuclear Regulatory Commission's (Commission) regulations, the Commission has issued a Limited Work Authorization to the U. S. Department of Energy, Tennessee Valley Authority, and Project Management Corporation (applicants) authorizing them to conduct certain site activities in connection with the Clinch River Breeder Reactor Plant (CRBRP), prior to a decision regarding the issuance of a construction permit. A Partial Initial Decision (Limited Work Authorization) on matters relating to the National Environmental Policy Act and site suitability was issued by the Atomic Safety and Licensing Board in the above captioned proceeding on February 28, 1983.

The activities that are authorized are within the scope of those authorized by 10 CFR 50.10(e)(1) and include the following:

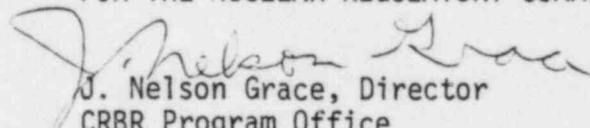
Site preparation; excavations for foundations; dewatering and covering the nuclear island base area; temporary plant facilities; parking; railroad spurs; construction utilities; site drainage system and run-off treatment ponds; permanent access road and temporary on-site roads; on-site quarry, crushing facility, borrow and stock pile areas; sewage treatment plant; fire protection system, barge unloading facility; contractor work and storage areas; and construction buildings.

Any activities undertaken pursuant to this authorization are entirely at the risk of the applicants and, except as to matters determined under Section 50.10(e)(2), the grant of the authorization has no bearing on the issuance of a construction permit with respect to the requirements of the Atomic Energy Act of 1954, as amended, and rules, regulations, or orders promulgated pursuant thereto.

A copy of (1) the Partial Initial Decision (Limited Work Authorization); (2) the applicants' Preliminary Safety Analysis Report and amendments thereto; (3) the applicants' Environmental Report and amendments thereto; (4) the staff's Final Environmental Statement dated February 1977; Supplement No. 1 to the Final Environmental Statement dated October 1982; and (5) the Commission's letter of authorization, dated May 6, 1983, are available for public inspection at the Commission's Public Document Room at 1717 H Street, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20555; the Oak Ridge Public Library, Civic Center, Oak Ridge, Tennessee 37830; and the Lawson McGhee Public Library, 500 West Church Street, Knoxville, Tennessee 37902.

Dated at Bethesda, Maryland this 19 day of May 1983.

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