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Gentlemen:

SUBJECT: SYSTEMATIC ASSESSMENT OF LICENSEE PERFORMANCE (SALP)
(NRC INSPECTION REPORT NOS. 50-327/91-11 AND 50-328/91-11)

The NRC SALP Board has completed its periodic evaluation of your Sequoyah facility for the period of March 6, 1990 to June 1, 1991. The results of the evaluation are documented in the enclosed Initial SALP Report. This report will be discussed with you at the Sequoyah site, at 1:00 p.m., on August 16, 1991.

The performance of your Sequoyah facility was evaluated in the functional areas of plant operations, radiological controls, maintenance/surveillance, emergency preparedness, security, engineering/technical support, and safety assessment/quality verification. The assessment indicates that performance in all areas exceeded regulatory requirements. Emergency preparedness and security performance improved to a Level 1 rating. However, declining performance was noted in operations and radiological controls functional areas both of which need additional management attention.

Any comments you have concerning our evaluation of the performance of your Sequoyah facility should be submitted to this office within 30 days following the date of our meeting. These comments will be considered in the development of the Final SALP report. Your comments and a summary of our meeting will be issued as an appendix to the Final SALP report.

Should you have any questions concerning this letter, we will be glad to discuss them with you.

Sincerely,

(Original signed by Stewart Ebnetter)

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Initial SALP Report - Sequoyah

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