

November 13, 1992

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

Tennessee Valley Authority  
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Dear Dr. Medford:

SUBJECT: NRC BULLETIN 92-01, SUPPLEMENT 1, "FAILURE OF THERMO-LAG 330  
FIRE BARRIER SYSTEM" - BROWNS FERRY NUCLEAR PLANT  
(TAC NOS. M83848, M83849 AND M83850)

By letter dated September 30, 1992, the Tennessee Valley Authority (TVA) provided a response to NRC Bulletin 92-01, Supplement 1, and NRC letter dated September 16, 1992 for the Browns Ferry Nuclear Plant (BFN). TVA's response stated that compensatory measures have been implemented consistent with the plant Technical Specifications. TVA also stated that appropriate actions to verify or restore fire barrier operability are being developed through an industry program coordinated by the Nuclear Management and Resources Council, and TVA would apply the results from this program to BFN.

The NRC staff has reviewed TVA's response and found it acceptable. Please inform us when all corrective actions have been completed. Further NRC review, if any, will be performed by inspection or audit.

Sincerely,

Original signed by D. LaBarge for  
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