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December 6, 1996

U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission  
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Gentlemen:

In the Matter of )  
Tennessee Valley Authority )

Docket Nos. 50-327  
50-328

SEQUOYAH NUCLEAR PLANT (SQN) - UPDATED FINAL SAFETY ANALYSIS REPORT  
(UFSAR), AMENDMENT 12 AND 10 CFR 50.59 REPORT

As required by 10 CFR 50.71(e), Enclosure 1 contains Amendment 12 of the SQN UFSAR. Amendment 12 is an eighteen month update from Amendment 11, which was submitted by TVA letter dated May 12, 1995. Amendment 12 reflects modifications to the facility, procedure changes, and administrative changes to the site that were made between November 16, 1994, and June 10, 1996. This Amendment 12 also includes resolution of several of the discrepancies identified to date as a part of the UFSAR review process.

As required by 10 CFR 50.59(b)(2), a copy of the SQN 10 CFR 50.59 report is also provided. This report contains summaries of the safety evaluations performed for the period of November 16, 1994, to June 10, 1996.

TVA is continuing to review the UFSAR, evaluate the remaining discrepancies, and prepare the required changes to the UFSAR. For these required changes to the FSAR, TVA will issue Amendment 13 to SQN's UFSAR by June 6, 1997, to ensure that NRC and the public have the updated material from the ongoing reviews available in a timely fashion. Amendment 13 will continue to reflect modifications to the facility, procedure changes, and administrative changes to the site that were made up to June 10, 1996, cut-off provided in Amendment 12. Enclosure 3 contains TVA's commitment.

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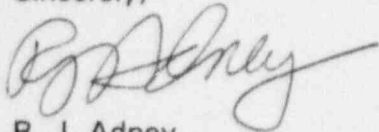
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I certify that I am a duly authorized officer of TVA and that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, the information contained herein accurately presents changes made since the previous submittal up to six months before this submittal date, which is necessary to reflect information and analyses submitted to the Commission or prepared pursuant to Commission requirement.

Please direct questions concerning this issue to D. V. Goodin at (423) 843-7734.

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Enclosures

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