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Gentlemen:

In the Matter of Tennessee Valley Authority

Docket Nos. 50-327 50-328

SEQUOYAH NUCLEAR PLANT (SQN) - ESSENTIAL RAW COOLING WATER (ERCW) PUMPING STATION CONCRETE

As discussed with your R. Hermann and T. Cheng on March 2, 1988, TVA agrees to perform additional evaluation of the ERCW pumping station foundation subsequent to SQN restart as follows:

- Further assessment of the as-built condition of the concrete foundation (placed by the tremie technique) with special emphasis on determining the extent and size of "cavities" and gravel pockets. An evaluation program plan will be submitted to the NRC for review and concurrence.
- Once the as-built condition is confirmed:
  - Review the seismic qualification of the ERCW pumping station equipment for continued acceptability.
  - Evaluate ERCW pumping station deflections to confirm no adverse interaction with ERCW piping.
  - Confirm that the design requirements for the OBE concurrent with water level at Elevation 704' are satisfied.

Enclosed is a list of commitments being made by TVA as part of this submittal. If you have any questions, please telephone D. L. Williams at (615) 632-7170.

Very truly yours,

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Enclosure

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## ENCLOSURE

## LIST OF COMMITMENTS

## ERCW Pumping Station Concrete

Subsequent to SQN restart, TVA commits to the following actions:

- 1. Further assessment of the as-built condition of the concrete foundation (placed by the tremie technique) with special emphasis on determining the extent and character of "cavities" and gravel pockets. An evaluation program plan will be submitted to the NRC for review and concurrence.
- 2. Once the as-built condition is confirmed:
  - A. Review the seismic qualification of the ERCW pumping station equipment for continued acceptability.
  - B. Evaluate ERCW pumping station deflections to confirm no adverse interaction with ERCW piping.
  - C. Confirm that the design requirements for the OBE concurrent with water level at Elevation 704' are satisfied.