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TVA-SQN-TS-88-18

10 CFR 50.90

U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission ATTN: Document Control Desk Washington, D.C. 20555

Gentlemen:

In the Matter of Tennessee Valley Authority Docket No. 50-328

SEQUOYAH NUCLEAR PLANT (SQN) - TECHNICAL SPECIFICATION CHANGE 88-18

In accordance with 10 CFR 50.90, we are enclosing a requested amendment to license DFR-79 to change the technical specifications of SQN unit 2. The proposed change is to request an extension until the upcoming refueling outage for performance of surveillance requirement (SR) 4.6.5.1.b.2. We currently anticipate that we will need the extension until January 22, 1989. This surveillance can only be performed during shutdown; therefore, to avoid an unnecessary shutdown of the plant, we ask that your review of this request be performed so we can receive your response by December 3, 1988.

The proposed technical specification change is identified in enclosure 1. The justification for the proposed technical specification change is provided in enclosure 2. A proposed determination of no significant hazards consideration performed pursuant to 10 CFR 50.92 is provided in enclosure 3. A copy of the calculation that ensures sufficient technical justification for this extension is provided in enclosure 4.

Enclosed is a check for the \$150 amendment application fee required by 10 CFR 170.12.

Please direct questions concerning this issue to J. W. Proffitt at (615) 870-7461.

Very truly yours,

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