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Gentlemen:

In the Matter of Tennessee Valley Authority

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

BROWNS FERRY NUCLEAR PLANT (BFN) UNITS 1, 2, AND 3 - NRC INSPECTION REPORT NOS. 50-259/89-45, 50-260/89-45, AND 50-296/89-45 - REPLY TO A NOTICE OF VIOLATION

This letter is to provide TVA's response to the notice of violation transmitted in the subject report. The report was sent from B. A. Wilson to O. D. Kingsley, Jr., dated November 8, 1989, which cited TVA with two violations.

The violation responses are provided in the enclosure and reflect that TVA's corrective actions are complete. This information is being sent by registered mail. The signed receipt signifies that you have received this information and acknowledge that it contains safeguards material and should be withheld from public disclosure as defined by 10 CFR 73.21.

An extension of this response submittal due date to December 17, 1989, was agreed on during a discussion with B. Little of your staff on December 7, 1989.

If you have any questions, please telephone Patrick Carier at (205) 7729-3570.

Very truly yours,

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