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October 31, 2011

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Mr. Victor M. McCree  
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Attention: Mr. M. T. Widmann

Sequoyah Nuclear Plant, Units 1 and 2  
Facility Operating License Nos. DPR-77 and DPR-79  
NRC Docket Nos. 50-327 and 50-328

**Subject: Reactor Operator and Senior Reactor Operator Examination Outline**

**Reference:** Letter from NRC to TVA, "Sequoyah Nuclear Plant - Notification of Licensed Operator Initial Examination 05000327/2012301 and 05000328/2012301," dated September 12, 2011

As requested by the referenced letter, the enclosure to this letter provides the license examination operating test outline for the Sequoyah Nuclear Plant (SQN) Reactor and Senior Reactor Operator operating test scheduled to be administered the weeks of January 16, 2012 and January 23, 2012. The operating test outline has been approved by an authorized SQN representative.

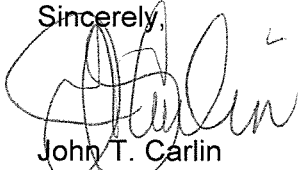
There are no commitments contained in this submittal. In accordance with 10 CFR 55.49 and NUREG-1021, "Operator Licensing Examination Standards for Power Reactors," appropriate measures have been taken to ensure examination integrity and security. Accordingly, it is requested that this letter and the enclosed documents be withheld from public disclosure until the examinations are completed.

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TVA's principal contact regarding the license examinations is Mr. Michael Buckner, SQN Operations Training. If you have any questions, please contact Mr. Buckner at (423) 843-4178 or Geoff M. Cook at (423) 843-7170.

Sincerely,

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John T. Carlin  
Site Vice President  
Sequoyah Nuclear Plant

Enclosure:      Reactor Operator and Senior Reactor Operator Examination Outline



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November 22, 2011

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Sequoyah Nuclear Plant, Units 1 and 2  
Facility Operating License Nos. DPR-77 and DPR-79  
NRC Docket Nos. 50-327 and 50-328

**Subject: Reactor Operator and Senior Reactor Operator Initial Examinations**

**Reference:** Letter from NRC to TVA, "Sequoyah Nuclear Plant - Notification of Licensed Operator Initial Examination 05000327/2012301 and 05000328/2012301," dated September 12, 2011

As requested by the referenced letter, the enclosure to this letter provides the information for the Sequoyah Nuclear Plant (SQN) Reactor Operator and Senior Reactor Operator initial examinations scheduled to be administered the weeks of January 16, 2012 and January 23, 2012. The written part of the examination is scheduled to be administered the week of February 1, 2012.

There are no commitments contained in this submittal. In accordance with 10 CFR 55.49 and NUREG-1021, "Operator Licensing Examination Standards for Power Reactors," appropriate measures have been taken to ensure examination integrity and security. Accordingly, it is requested that the letter and enclosed documents be withheld from public disclosure until the examinations are completed.

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TVA's principal contact regarding the license examinations is Mr. Michael Buckner, SQN Operations Training. Should you require additional information regarding this matter, please contact Mr. Buckner at (423) 843-4208 or Geoff M. Cook at (423) 843-7170.

Sincerely,

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John T. Carlin  
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Enclosure: Operating Examinations for Reactor Operator and Senior Reactor Operator  
Candidates



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February 7, 2012

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NRC Docket Nos. 50-327 and 50-328

**Subject: Reactor Operator and Senior Reactor Operator Initial Examinations -  
Post Examination Documentation**

**Reference:** NRC letter to TVA, "Operator Licensing Written Examination Approval  
05000327/2012301 and 05000328/2012301," dated January 26, 2012

As authorized by the referenced letter, the Tennessee Valley Authority (TVA) administered a written examination to a group of licensed operator applicants on February 1, 2012. In accordance with Examination Standard (ES) 501, "Initial Post-Examination Activities," of NUREG-1021, "Operator Licensing Examination Standards for Power Reactors," the enclosures to this letter provide information related to the examination as listed:

Enclosure 1 - the graded written examinations (i.e., each applicant's original answer and examination cover sheets) plus a clean copy of each applicant's answer sheet (ES-403, "Grading Initial Site-Specific Written Examinations").

Enclosure 2 - the master examination(s) and answer key(s), annotated to indicate any changes made while administering and grading the examination(s) (ES-402, "Administering Initial Written Examinations," and ES-403).

Enclosure 3 - any questions asked by and answers given to the applicants during the written examination (ES-402).

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Enclosure 4 - any substantive comments made by the applicants following the written examination, with an explanation concerning why the comment was accepted or rejected (ES-402).

Enclosure 5 - the written examination seating chart (ES-402).

Enclosure 6 - a completed Form ES-403-1, "Written Examination Grading Quality Checklist" (ES-403 and Section D.1).

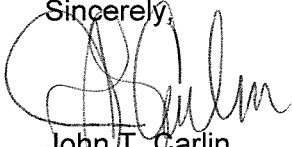
Enclosure 7 - the results of any written examination performance analysis that was performed, with recommended substantive changes (ES-403).

Enclosure 8 - original Form(s) ES-201-3, "Examination Security Agreement," the Examination Security Agreement Form ES-201-3 will be provided after obtaining the post-examination signatures.

Enclosure 9 - request for a correction to the Reactor Operator Written Answer Key with supporting documentation.

Because of the administratively confidential nature of the enclosed material, it is requested that the information contained in the enclosures be withheld from public disclosure in accordance with 10 CFR 2.390(a)(6). There are no commitments contained in this submittal. TVA's principal contact regarding Operations Training matters is Mike Buckner. Should you require additional information regarding this matter, please contact Mr. Buckner at (423) 843-4208 or contact Geoff Cook at (423) 843-7170.

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