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SECRETARY

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Don Safer
Tennessee Environmental Council
One Vantage Way, Suite E-250
Nashville, TN 37228

Dear Mr. Safer:

The U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) is pleased that you will participate in a public Commission meeting on the Watts Bar 2 license application review on October 30, 2014, at 9:00 a.m. The meeting will be held in the Commission's Conference Room on the first floor of the NRC's headquarters building at One White Flint North, Rockville, Maryland. The Commission is interested in hearing your views, representing the Tennessee Environmental Council, regarding Watts Bar 2 operating license review. I am enclosing a copy of the meeting agenda for your information (enclosure 1). My staff will keep you informed of any updates to the agenda.

To assist the Commission in preparing for the meeting, please e-mail any written material, including slides, to Ms. Rochelle Baval and Ms. Sandy Joosten (rochelle.baval@nrc.gov and sandy.joosten@nrc.gov) in the Office of the Secretary, by October 23, 2014, so that it can be distributed to the Commission for review in advance of the meeting. Enclosed are guidelines for slides, if you choose to use them (enclosure 2). PowerPoint is the preferred format, but other electronic presentation formats may be used. This Commission meeting will be webcast live at the Web address: www.nrc.gov, and materials provided for the meeting will be posted on the NRC public website prior to the meeting: <http://www.nrc.gov/reading-rm/doc-collections/commission/tr/>. If you have any questions, please contact Ms. Baval at 301-415-1651.

Your presentation at the Commission meeting should be based on the assumption that Commissioners are familiar with the content of your written material. Please plan your oral presentation for 10 minutes, discussing the important points on which you wish to focus the Commission's attention. Please avoid the use of acronyms. If you do use acronyms, please explain them during your presentation.

The NRC Headquarters building is located opposite the White Flint Metro Station on Rockville Pike and Marinelli Drive, Rockville, Maryland. The White Flint Metro Station is on the Red Line of the Washington area subway system. Reserved visitor parking for Commission guests is available. If you wish to use reserved parking, please notify Ms. Baval in advance. If reserved parking has been arranged, please check-in with the security staff at the entrance to the NRC campus on Marinelli Drive when you arrive. A Security Guard will call for an escort. Please

note that visitors will be screened through metal detectors, will have their packages x-rayed, and will be required to present a picture identification card prior to signing in at the registration desk.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Annette Vietti-Cook", with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

Annette Vietti-Cook
Secretary of the Commission

Enclosures:

1. Agenda
2. Briefing Visuals Guidance

Final: 8/20/14

SCHEDULING NOTE

Title: **BRIEFING ON WATTS BAR UNIT 2 LICENSE APPLICATION REVIEW (Public)**

Purpose: To provide the Commission a status of the Watts Bar 2 operating license review and path forward.

Scheduled: **October 30, 2014**
9:00 am

Duration: Approx. 3 hours

Location: Commissioners' Conference Room, 1st floor OWFN

Participants: **Presentation**

External Panel **35 mins.***

Joseph P. Grimes, Executive Vice President and Chief Nuclear Officer, TVA
Michael D. Skaggs, Senior Vice President, Watts Bar Nuclear Operations and Construction
Kevin T. Walsh, Site Vice President Watts Bar Nuclear Plant
Joseph W. Shea, Vice President, Nuclear licensing, TVA
Ricardo G. Pérez, Senior Vice President, Nuclear Operations Support, TVA
Gordon P. Arent, Director Licensing, Watts Bar Nuclear Plant

Topics: Background and Historical Overview, Design and Construction Completion, Transition to Operations, and Site Operational Readiness

Don Safer, Chairman of the Board, Tennessee Environmental Council 10 mins.*
Topic: Public Interest Group Perspective on Watts Bar 2

Commission Q&A **50 mins.**

Break **5 mins.**

NRC Staff Panel

35 mins.*

Mark Satorius, Executive Director for Operations

William (Bill) M. Dean, Director, Office of Nuclear Reactor Regulation (NRR)

Michele Evans, Director, Division of Operating Reactor Licensing, NRR

Topics:

- Overview of application and staff's efforts

Justin Poole, Project Manager, Division of Operating Reactor Licensing, NRR

Topics:

- Detailed discussion of status of license review and open items

Victor McCree, Regional Administrator, Region II

Tomy Nazario, Senior Construction Resident Inspector, Region II

Topics:

- Detailed discussion of status of construction inspection and open items

Commission Q & A

50 mins.

Discussion – Wrap-up

5 mins.

*For presentation only and does not include time for Commission Q & A's

Documents:

Staff background material due to SECY: October 16, 2014.

Slides due to SECY: October 23, 2014.

- Use company/organization logo, and light background.
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- Explain/spell out acronyms or include a separate slide with a list of acronyms.
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- Bottom margin should be 2 inches to accommodate captioning for webcasting.

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Date of Briefing

Name and Title of Presenter

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