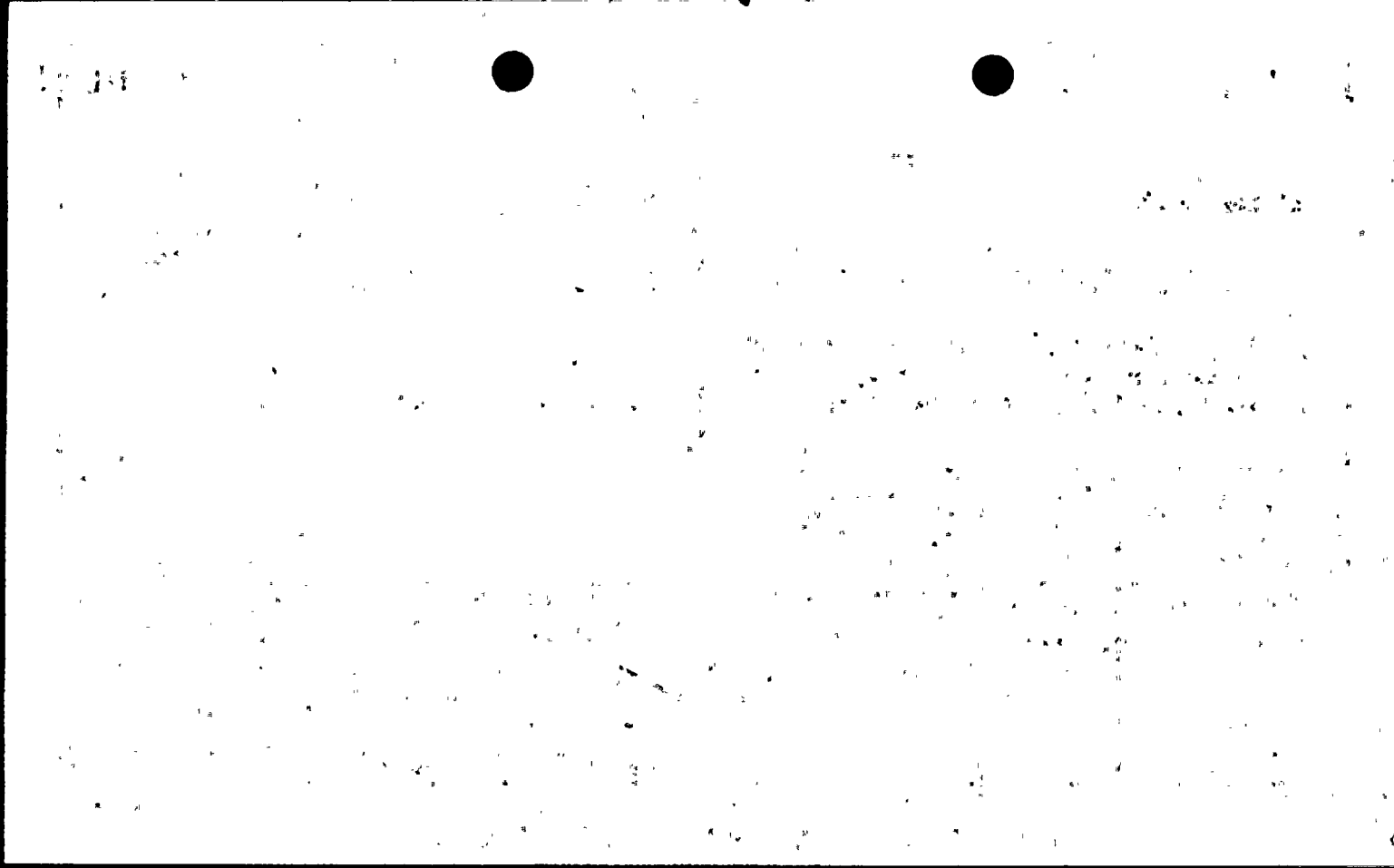


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TO: ☐ Commissioner _____ Date _____

☒ Exec. Dir./Oper. _____ ☐ Gen. Counsel _____

☐ Cong. Liaison _____ ☐ Solicitor _____

☐ Public Affairs _____ ☐ Secretary _____

☒ Attn. ELD

Incoming: Carroll Hubbard, H.R.

From: _____

To: Chairman Rowden Date 5/25/76

Subject: Enclosing letter from John Edd Walker, W. Kentucky Rural Electric who encloses letter from Charles Dean which has been received several times.

☒ Prepare reply for signature of:

☐ Chairman

☐ Commissioner _____

☒ EDO, GC, CL, SOL, PA, SECY

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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, U.S.
WASHINGTON, D. C.

May 25 19. 76
Hon. Marcus A. Rowden
Chairman
U. S. Nuclear Regulatory
Commission
Washington, D. C. 20555

The attached communication is sub-
mitted for your consideration, and to ask
that the request made therein be complied
with, if possible.

If you will advise me of your action in
this matter and have the letter returned to
me with your reply, I will appreciate it.

Thank you.

Carroll Hubbard
Very truly yours,

Congressman Carroll Hubbard
423 Cannon Bldg.
Washington, D. C. 20515

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Kentucky 1st District.

WEST KENTUCKY RURAL ELECTRIC COOPERATIVE CORPORATION

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The Honorable Carroll Hubbard
House of Representatives
Washington, D. C.

My dear Mr. Hubbard:

Enclosed is a letter written to the Honorable Marcus A. Rowden, U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission in Washington, D. C., asking that the Commission give TVA the authority to go ahead and load Units 1 and 2 at Browns Ferry. It is imperative that TVA be granted this authority.

It is very important to the residents of this area that these units be put back into operation. Anything you can do to help us get this accomplished will be sincerely appreciated.

Sincerely yours,

WEST KENTUCKY RURAL ELECTRIC
COOPERATIVE CORPORATION



John Edd Walker
Manager

JEW:djs

Enclosure

The Honorable Marcus A. Rowden
Chairman
U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
Washington, D.C. 20555

Dear Mr. Rowden:

This letter is on behalf of the electric power consumers of the Tennessee Valley Region. The Tennessee Valley Public Power Association (TVPPA) is an organization representing most of the 160 municipal and cooperatively owned distributors of electric power in the Tennessee Valley region that rely on the Tennessee Valley Authority (TVA) as the source of power for about seven million consumers in seven Valley states. The Tennessee Valley Industrial Committee (TVIC) represents about 30 large industrial customers who are served directly by TVA. The basic purpose of these two organizations is to promote the efficiency and quality of electric service to consumers in the Tennessee Valley. The total peak demand on the TVA system of all of its consumers exceeds 20,000,000 kilowatts.


We are aware that an Atomic Safety and Licensing Board has granted a hearing on certain technical specification modifications to the operating licenses for TVA's Browns Ferry Nuclear Plant Units 1 and 2. We understand that TVA has filed a motion with that Board requesting authorization for TVA to load fuel, test and operate Browns Ferry units 1 and 2 pending completion of the evidentiary hearing. The Browns Ferry plant is a vital part of the TVA generating system. The 2,100,000 kilowatts of capacity from these two units is not only essential for TVA to meet its system loads, but it provides the lowest cost

electricity of the baseload steam generating plants on the TVA system. If this capacity is not available during this summer's peak load period, substantial amounts of capacity will have to be acquired from other sources if it is available. This could add about \$70 million to the bills of the electric consumers in the TVA region during the months of June, July, and August. The decision to purchase any available large blocks of power may have to be made as early as mid-May, and will involve demand charges of about \$20 million, whether or not any power is later used. If this amount of power cannot be purchased, it appears that system reliability will be reduced to unacceptable levels.

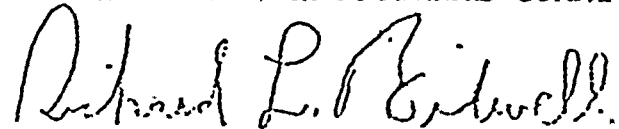
Accordingly, we urge that a decision on TVA's motion be rendered expeditiously. A favorable decision will ensure system reliability and avoid the unnecessary expenditure of \$70 million, which must be borne by the ratepayers. We ask that the Commission meet with us within the next week to give us an opportunity to express personally our concerns.

Very truly yours,

TENNESSEE VALLEY PUBLIC POWER
ASSOCIATION

By 
Charles H. Dean, Jr., President

TENNESSEE VALLEY INDUSTRIAL COMMITTEE

By 
Richard L. Bidwell, Chairman (TVIC)