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August 13, 1979

Mr. James P. O'Reilly, Director
Office of Inspection and Enforcement
U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
Region II - Suite 3100
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Dear Mr. O'Reilly:

PHIPPS BEND NUCLEAR PLANT - REPORTABLE DEFICIENCY - TENSILE ANCHOR
CAPACITIES LOWER THAN ASSUMED IN DESIGN ALLOWABLES (NCR CEB-79-17)

Initial report of the subject deficiency was made to Mike Gouge,
NRC-OIE, Region II on May 7, 1979. The first interim report was
submitted on May 24, 1979. In compliance with paragraph
50.55(e) of 10 CFR Part 50, we are enclosing the second interim
report of the subject deficiency. We anticipate transmitting
the final report on or before December 21, 1979. If you have
any questions concerning this matter, please call Tish Jenkins
at FTS 854-2014.

Very truly yours,

TENNESSEE VALLEY AUTHORITY

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L. M. Mills, Manager
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Enclosure

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