

TENNESSEE VALLEY AUTHORITY

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400 Chestnut Street Tower II

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BLRD-50-438/81-47

BLRD-50-439/81-50

Mr. James P. O'Reilly, Director
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U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
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Dear Mr. O'Reilly:

BELLEFONTE NUCLEAR PLANT UNITS 1 AND 2 - TOLERANCE FOR TUBULAR STEEL CABLE
TRAY HANGERS - BLRD-50-438/81-47, BLRD-50-439/81-50 - FIRST INTERIM
REPORT

The subject deficiency was initially reported to NRC-OIE Inspector R. V. Crlenjak on July 16, 1981 in accordance with 10 CFR 50.55(e) as NCR BLN 1478. Enclosed is our first interim report. We expect to submit our next report by November 12, 1981.

If you have any questions concerning this matter, please get in touch with D. L. Lambert at FTS 857-2581.

Very truly yours,

TENNESSEE VALLEY AUTHORITY

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ENCLOSURE

BELLEFONTE NUCLEAR PLANT UNITS 1 AND 2
TOLERANCE FOR TUBULAR STEEL CABLE TRAY HANGERS
BLRD-50-438/81-47, BLRD-50-439/81-50
10 CFR 50.55(e)
FIRST INTERIM REPORT

Description of Condition

Because of misunderstanding between the Bellefonte design project and Bellefonte field forces, the field forces fabricated and installed cable tray hangers outside the tolerances allowed by the seismic analysis.

Interim Progress

TVA field forces have been instructed to identify those supports that were modified outside the tolerances along with the deviation description, unless the deviation was covered by an approved Field Change Request. This information will be reanalyzed by TVA on a case-by-case basis. Any modification required to ensure seismic qualification will be made.