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Tennessee Valley Authority  
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Gentlemen:

SUBJECT: MEETING SUMMARY - REPORT NOS. 50-259/85-19, 50-260/85-19, AND  
50-296/85-19

This letter refers to the Enforcement Conference held at our request at the Region II office on March 14, 1985. This meeting concerned activities authorized by NRC Operating License Nos. DPR-33, DPR-52, and DPR-68 for the Browns Ferry facilities. The meeting related to inoperable water level instruments, failure to perform post-maintenance testing of a control rod, and certain security violations.

Our concerns about violations of regulatory requirements and the effectiveness of your management controls were expressed to you at the meeting. Details of our discussions are provided in the enclosed inspection report. Your positive response to our concerns is appreciated. We will evaluate the effectiveness of your corrective actions during future inspections.

The meeting provided TVA and NRC with a better understanding of inspection findings and enforcement issues, in our opinion. In accordance with Section 2.790 of the NRC's "Rules of Practice", Part 2, Title 10, Code of Federal Regulations, a copy of this letter and the enclosures will be placed in the NRC's Public Document Room. If you wish to withhold information contained in the inspection report, please notify this office by telephone and submit a written application to withhold information consistent with the requirements of 2.790(b)(1).

Should you have any questions concerning this matter, we will be pleased to discuss them.

Sincerely,

Original Signed by  
J. Nelson Grace

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Regional Administrator

Enclosures:

1. Inspection Report Nos. 50-259/85-19,  
50-260/85-19, and 50-296/85-19
2. Meeting Agenda dated March 14, 1985

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