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KNOXVILLE, TENNESSEE 37902

400 West Summit Hill Drive

January 3, 1986

The Honorable Nunzio J. Palladino
Chairman
U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
Washington, D.C. 02555

Dear Mr. Chairman:

The TVA Board of Directors announced today that effective January 13, 1986, Stephen A. White, retired Admiral, will assume the post of Manager, Power and Engineering (Nuclear), replacing H. G. Parris. Mr. White will be a contract employee to TVA from Stone and Webster for two years.

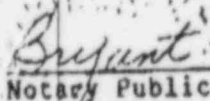
Therefore, we are requesting postponement of the upcoming NRC Commission meeting now scheduled for January 9, 1986. We request this postponement for at least 30 days beyond Mr. White's reporting date to TVA (January 13, 1986). This time period will give Mr. White enough time to become familiar with and be able to report on the TVA nuclear program.

Sincerely,



C. H. Dean, Jr.
Chairman

Subscribed and sworn to before
me this 3rd day of Jan 1986.


Bryant M. Lowery
Notary Public

My Commission Expires 4/8/86

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