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Dear Mr. Conkin and Mr. Weisz

Watts Bar Interagency Working Group Review - RLR#274786, TVA Tract No. XWBR-243 TRM 541.0L

As per your request, the Watts Bar Interagency Working Group has had the opportunity to review sediment contamination data relative to lake bottom sediments and near shore sediments at the location of the proposed project at TRM 541.0L, TVA Tract No. XWBR-243.

Sediment data collected near the location of the proposed project indicates low concentrations of radionuclide contamination below the action level of concern (approximately 11 pCi/g of Cesium 137) for exposure to sediments in Watts Bar Reservoir which was established by the DOE CERCLA Remedial Investigation risk analysis. The reported and reviewed values are below the risk based action level of concern.

Based on this review and subsequent determination of the Working Group, the Tennessee Valley Authority will now proceed with the normal processing of your permit application.

Mr. Conkin and Mr. Weiz

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Questions or comments concerning the contents of this letter should be directed to Randy Young at the above address or by phone at (865) 220-6584.

Sincerely

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Randy C. Young". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large initial "R" and a long horizontal stroke.

Randy C. Young, Chairman
Watts Bar Interagency Working Group

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