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Mr. Richard Kinch
U.S. Environmental Protection Agency
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Dear Mr. Kinch:

On July 16, 2009, the Tennessee Valley Authority (TVA) provided preliminary hazard ratings for our wet coal combustion impoundments. We also indicated that we had hired an engineering firm, Stantec, to inspect, test and make recommendations. Stantec has completed a more detailed assessment of our impoundments designated as "high hazard". As a result, four of the five impoundments classified as "high hazard" have been reduced to "significant hazard". Accordingly, we have amended our previous information and enclosed the recent reevaluation information.

If you have questions, please do not hesitate to contact me at (865) 632-8511.

Sincerely,


Anda A. Ray

Enclosures