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Regarding Collection of Report on Responses in Light of Increase of Temperature at RPV Bottom Part in Unit 2 at Fukushima Dai-ichi Nuclear Power Station, Tokyo Electric Power Co., Inc.


If there are grievances regarding this action, pursuant to the provisions of Article 6 of the Administrative Appeal Act (Act No. 160 of 1962), an administrative appeal may be made, in writing, to the Minister of Economy, Trade and Industry within 60 days from the date one day after the day on which your company became aware of the fact that this disposition was made. However, no administrative appeals may be made when a period of one year has elapsed from the date one day after the date of this disposition, even if it is within 60 days from the date one day after the day on which your company became aware of the fact that this disposition was made.

Following the decision regarding the aforementioned objection, an action for revocation of this disposition may be filed against the State (represented
by the Minister of Justice) as defendant, within six months from the date one day after the day on which your company became aware of the fact that a decision was made in response to the aforementioned administrative appeal, pursuant to the provisions of Administrative Case Litigation Act (Act No. 139 of 1962). However, no action for the revocation of the disposition may be filed when a period of one year has elapsed from the date one day after the day on which the decision on the administrative appeal was made, even if it is six months from the date one day after the day on which your company became aware of the fact that the decision on the administrative appeal was made.

Furthermore, an action for the revocation of the original administrative disposition may be filed without obtaining a decision on an administrative appeal, if the case falls under any of the following 1) to 3): 1) where no decision is made even after a period of three months has elapsed from the date one day after the day on which an administrative appeal was made; 2) where there is an urgent necessity in order to avoid any considerable damage that would be caused by the original administrative disposition, the execution of the original disposition, or the continuation of any subsequent procedure; 3) where there are other justifiable grounds not to obtain a decision on an administrative appeal.

**Required Items**

The items related to the thermometers monitoring the RPV bottom temperature in Fukushima Dai-ichi Nuclear Power Station, TEPCO, as it follows:

1. Estimated factors related to a series of fluctuations of the indicated values including the continuation of the trend of increasing the indicated value of one thermometer for the RPV bottom temperature in Unit 2 in the NPS starting from February 2, 2012, and others;
2. Alternative means of monitoring the temperature in the nuclear reactors other than the presently-used thermometers;
3. Methods of analyzing the conditions of the inside of the nuclear
reactors such as the pressure and temperature distribution, etc.; and

4. The concept of indexes and its applications in confirming the cold shut-down condition of the nuclear reactors in the NPS.