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May 18, 2000

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ATTN: Mr. G. R. Peterson
Site Vice President
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SUBJECT: MEETING SUMMARY - CATAWBA NUCLEAR STATION

Dear Mr. Peterson:

This refers to the meeting conducted on May 15, 2000, at the Nuclear Regulatory Commission Region II office for you to present a self-assessment of Catawba Nuclear Station performance. A list of attendees and a copy of your presentation handout are enclosed.

It is our opinion that this meeting was beneficial, in that it provided the NRC staff the opportunity to discuss your performance, as well as your ongoing performance initiatives.

In accordance with 10 CFR 2.790 of the NRC's "Rules of Practice," a copy of this letter and its enclosures will be placed in the NRC Public Document Room.

Should you have any questions concerning this meeting, please contact me at (404) 562-4510.

Sincerely,

Charles R. Ogle
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Docket No.: 50-413, 50-414
License Nos. NPF-35, NPF-52

Enclosures: 1. List of Attendees
2. Licensee Presentation Handout

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