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U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission  
Attn: Chandu Patel  
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Subject: Catawba Nuclear Station, Units 1 and 2  
Material Balance Reports - Extension Request  
Reporting Identification Symbols: XND and XNE

We wish to request an extension on the due date for the Material Balance Reports for the reporting period ending September 30, 2000. We have put in place a new special nuclear materials database this year. We used both the old and new databases to produce the reports for this period. It took an unexpectedly longer time to do this. This will serve as our validation and verification that our new database is producing the correct numbers. The reports are completed, but Catawba unit 1 is currently in an outage. Available resources for checking and signing these reports will not be available until after the outage is completed around November 21. We would like to request an extension to December 18 to complete these reports. If you have questions, please contact Tamara Reavis at (704)382-6775.



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