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In the Matter of  
DUKE ENERGY CORPORATION  
(McGuire Nuclear Station, Units 1 and 2, and  
Catawba Nuclear Station, Units 1 and 2)  
Docket Nos. 50-369, 370, 413 and 414

Dear Administrative Judges:

Pursuant to the Commission's Order Referring Petitions for Intervention and Requests for Hearing to the Atomic Safety and Licensing Board Panel, CLI-01-20, (October 4, 2001), the NRC staff (Staff) is, by this letter, updating the case file in the above captioned matter. Enclosed you will find the following documents and an updated index of documents:

5/16/2002, Proposed Staff Guidance of Electric Fuse Holders, ML021370320

6/7/2002, Summary of Telecommunication with Duke Energy to discuss RAI response, ML021620496

6/7/2002, Summary of Telecommunication with Duke Energy to discuss RAI response, ML021620457

6/19/2002, Summary of Telecommunication with Duke Energy to discuss RAI response, ML021700648

6/19/2002, Summary of Telecommunication with Duke Energy to discuss RAI response, ML021700621

6/24/2002, Summary of Telecommunication with Duke Energy to discuss RAI responses, ML021750433

6/25/2002, Amendment 1 to LRA, ML021910006

6/25/2002, Errata to Amendment 1 to LRA, ML021920158

6/26/2002, Letter from Duke Energy to NRC, Re: Response to RAIs, ML021840103

6/26/2002, Letter to M. Tuckman from NRC, Re: Potential SER with Open Items, ML021770454

7/9/2002, Letter to NRC from Duke Energy, Re: Response to RAI, ML021960467

7/11/2002, Staff Comments to Industry Response to PSG on Aging Management of Fire Protection Systems for License Renewal, ML021920518

7/12/2002, Meeting notice, ML021930535

7/15/2002, Meeting notice, ML021960353

8/5/2002, Summary of Meeting with NEI License Renewal Working Group, ML022180287

8/8/2002. Summary of Meeting with NEI Re: Proposed Staff Guidance on Aging Management of Fire Protection Systems and Fatigue Environmental Effects, ML022200695

9/4/2002, Meeting notice, ML022470370

9/6/2002, Meeting notice, ML022520227

9/12/2002, Revised meeting notice, ML022560227

9/13/2002, Letter to M. Tuckman from NRC, Re: Request of Revised TLAAs Associated with Reactor Vessel Neutron Embrittlement for McGuire, ML022590100

10/2/2002, Letter from M. Tuckman to NRC, Re: Comments on SER with Open Items, ML022830191

10/19/2002, Letter to M. Tuckman from NRC, Re: Revised Excerpt from SER with Open Items, ML022940260

10/23/2002, Notice of Meeting, ML022970363

10/28/2002, Letter from M. Tuckman to NRC, Re: Comments of SER with Open Items, ML023090324.

11/5/2002, Letter from M. Tuckman to NRC, Re: Comments on SER with Open Items

By copy of this letter, I am filing a copy of this update in the docket and with OCAA, and, serving copies, by regular mail, upon David Repka, Esquire, attorney for the applicant, Duke Power Corp., Mary Olson, Nuclear Information and Resource Service, and Diane Curran, Esquire, attorney for Blue Ridge Environmental Defense Fund. Copies of this letter and the updated index of the case file, are being served on the remainder of the service list.

Sincerely,

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MCGUIRE/CATAWBA LICENSE RENEWAL  
CASE FILE  
DOCKET NOS. 50-369, 50-370, 50-413, 50-414**

DOCUMENT NUMBER	DESCRIPTION	I S S U E DATE	ADAMS ACCESSION #
<b>SAFETY REVIEW</b>			
CD	License Renewal Application (LRA) and Appendices	06/13/2001	ML011660301
01	Transmittal Letters:  LRA Highlighted Flow Diagrams LRA on CD	06/13/2001 06/13/2001 06/28/2001	ML011660138 ML011661068 ML011840032
02	Conference Call Summary - Mechanical ESF AMR	07/24/2001	ML012070063
03	Conference Call Summary - Structures	09/10/2001	ML012530283
04	Conference Call Summary - Aux Sys Scoping	10/10/2001	ML012830102
05	Conference Call Summary - Aux Sys Scoping	10/15/2001	ML012880370
06	Conference Call Summary - Aux Sys Scoping	11/02/2001	ML013060438
07	Conference Call Summary - ESF Scoping	11/14/2001	ML013190029
08	Conference Call Summary - Mechanical Aging Management Programs	11/23/2001	ML013310117
09	Conference Call Summary - Inservice Inspection	11/29/2001	ML013300361
10	Conference Call Summary - Structures	11/30/2001	ML013379544
11	Conference Call Summary - Reactor Coolant System and Engineered Safety Features Scoping	12/05/2002	ML013400357
12	Conference Call Summary - Structures	12/11/2001	ML013460154
13	Conference Call Summary - Mechanical AMPs	12/11/2001	ML013460269
14	Conference Call Summary - Mechanical AMP	12/12/2001	ML013460417
15	Conference Call Summary - Mechanical AMPs	12/13/2001	ML013470364
16	Conference Call Summary - Chemistry Control Program	12/14/2001	ML013520129

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17	Conference Call Summary - Electrical	12/27/2001	ML013650428
18	Conference Call Summary - Structures	01/10/2002	ML020110099
19	Conference Call Summary - Ventilation Systems	01/15/2002	ML020170132
20	Conference Call Summary - Aux Sys Scoping	01/15/2002	ML020160418
21	Request for Additional Information (RAI) - Scoping Methodology Audit	01/17/2002	ML020220034
22	RAI - Electrical	01/17/2002	ML020180061
23	RAI -Scoping Results	01/23/2002	ML020290102
24	RAI - Mechanical - ESF Scoping	01/23/2002	ML020240249
25	RAI - Mechanical - Auxilliary Systems AMR	01/24/2002	ML020240265
26	RAI - Mechanical - AMP	01/28/2002	ML020310200
27	RAI - Mechanical - Aux Sys Scoping	01/28/2002	ML020320212
28	RAI - Mechanical - ESF AMR	01/28/2002	ML020320010
29	RAI - Reactor Coolant System	01/28/2002	ML020310255
30	RAI -Structures	01/28/2002	ML0203201652' 1
31	RAI - Reactor Coolant System II	01/30/2002	ML020350542
32	Notice of Meeting to Discuss Schedules	05/08/2001	ML011290008
33	Notice of Meeting to Discuss Schedules	06/05/2001	ML011560744
34	Summary of Meeting to Discuss Schedules	06/06/2001	ML011590263
35	Teleconference Summary - Inspection Schedules	06/07/2001	ML011590499
36	Summary of Meeting to Discuss Schedules	07/10/2001	ML011930405

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37	Meeting Summary - LRA Orientation	07/26/2001	ML012080051
38	Editorial Changes to LRA		ML011980527
39	NEI/Management Meeting Notice	08/31/2001	ML012430275
40	Meeting Notice - Scoping Methodology Audit Exit	10/03/2001	ML012770008
41	NEI/Management Meeting Summary	10/21/2001	ML012840369
42	Meeting Summary - Scoping Methodology Audit Exit	11/15/2001	ML013190507
43	Notice of Meeting to discuss LR Emerging Issues	11/30/2001	ML013370001
44	e-mail re: minor questions on Aux Sys AMR	12/10/2001 12/13/2001	ML020040015
45	e-mail re: minor questions on Aux Sys Scoping	12/13/2001	ML020170427
46	NEI/Management Meeting Notice	12/14/2001	ML013510294
47	Notice of Meeting to discuss Station Black Out Scoping	12/18/2001	ML013600335
48	Summary of Meeting on LR Emerging Issues	01/17/2002	ML020300004
<b>ENVIRONMENTAL REVIEW</b>			
49	Letter re: maintenance of documents - McGuire	06/12/2001	ML011640049
50	Memorandum: Acceptance Review Results - McGuire	07/10/2001	ML011920220
51	Determination of Acceptability and Sufficiency - McGuire	07/15/2001	ML012270107
52	Notice of Intent - McGuire	08/16/2001	ML012280471

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53	Notice of Public Meeting, Environmental Scoping - McGuire	09/07/2001	ML012500389
54	Meeting Summary - Environmental scoping; transcript -McGuire	10/12/2001	ML012850194
55	RAI - SAMAs -McGuire	11/19/2001	ML013250535
56	RAI - Environmental Report - McGuire	11/19/2001	ML013300544
57	Telecommunication RE: RAIs - McGuire	12/06/2001	ML013420001
58	Response to RAIs	01/17/2002	ML020440709
59	Response to RAIs	01/31/2002	ML020450466
60	Letter re: maintenance of documents - Catawba	06/11/2001	ML011620533
61	Memorandum: Acceptance Review Results - Catawba	07/10/2001	ML011920167
62	Determination of Acceptability and Sufficiency - Catawba	08/15/2001	ML012270107
63	Notice of Intent - Catawba	09/14/2001	ML012570124
64	Notice of Public Meeting, Environmental Scoping - Catawba	10/03/2001	ML012760475
65	Summary of Site Audit - Catawba	11/13/2001	ML013170360
66	Meeting Summary - Environmental scoping; transcript - Catawba	11/29/2001	ML013330257
67	RAI - SAMAs - Catawba	12/10/2001	ML013460491
68	RAI - Environmental Report - Catawba	12/12/2001	ML013470594
69	Response to RAIs	02/01/2002	ML020450479
70	Response to RAIs	02/08/2002	ML020450547

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	UPDATES to CASE FILE		
71	Note regarding telecommunication with Duke Energy Co. (Duke) regarding Requests for Addition Information	03/06/2002	ML020660073
72	Response to Request for Additional Information,	03/08/2002	ML020780025
73	Note regarding information provided to NRC by Duke regarding SAMAs	03/14/2002	ML020740318 ML020740179
73a	Attachment 2, Catawba Modified Case	03/14/2002	ML020770301
73b	Attachment 3, McGuire Modified Case	03/14/2002	ML020770345
74	Timetable for Responses	undated	ML020530403
75	Response to RAI - Auxiliary systems	03/15/2002	ML020810451
76	Response to RAI - Reactor Coolant System	04/15/2002	ML021120015
77	Request for Comments on Draft Plant-Specific Supplement 8 to the [GEIS] Regarding McGuire Nuclear Station.	05/6/2002	ML021280559
78	Letter from NRC to U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, RE: Draft Supplement 8 to the [GEIS] Regarding McGuire Nuclear Power Station.	05/06/2002	ML021280667
79	Letter to M. S. Tuckman, Duke, RE: Notice of Availability of the Draft Plant-Specific Supplement to the [GEIS] Regarding McGuire Nuclear Station.	05/07/2002	ML021280687
80	Generic Environmental Impact Statement for License Renewal of Nuclear Plants, Supplement 8, Regarding McGuire Nuclear Station, Units 1 and 2.	05/2002	ML021300281
81	Meeting Summary for December 12, 2001 public meeting regarding license renewal emerging issues.	01/17/2002	ML020300026 ML020290446 ML020300004
82	e-mails	7/2001 through 8/2001	ML021490046
83	e-mails	9/2001 through 10/2001	ML021490069 ML022200671



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84	e-mails	11/2002	ML021490095 ML021490064 ML021490089 ML022200662 ML022200659 ML022200650 ML022200648 ML022200643
85	e-mails	12/2001	ML021490006 ML022210073 ML022210048 ML022210046 ML022210042 ML022210037
86	e-mails	1/2002	ML021490011 ML022210034 ML022210062
87	e-mails	2/2002	ML021490117 ML021440321 ML021440327 ML022210029 ML022210026
88	Letter to M. S. Tuckman, Duke, RE: Notice of Availability of the Draft Plant-Specific Supplement to the [GEIS] Regarding Catawba Nuclear Station.	05/13/2002	ML021340817
89	Letter from NRC to U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, RE: Draft Supplement 8 to the [GEIS] Regarding Catawba Nuclear Power Station.	05/13/2002	ML021350068
90	Letter from NRC to M. Tuckman, RE: Request for Comments on Draft Plant-Specific Supplement 9 to the [GEIS] Regarding Catawba Nuclear Station.	05/14/2002	ML021350023
91	Generic Environmental Impact Statement for License Renewal of Nuclear Plants, Supplement 9, Regarding Catawba Nuclear Station, Units 1 and 2.	05/2002	ML021400063
92	Summary of Telecommunication between NRC staff and Duke regarding reactor coolant system	02/11/2002	ML020420453
93	Summary of meeting regarding license renewal between NRC and License Renewal Working	02/21/2002	ML020560022.

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94	Response to RAIs.	03/01/2002	ML020640428.
95	Response to RAIs.	03/11/2002	ML020770266.
96	Notice of meeting regarding license renewal.	03/13/2002	ML020720270.
97	Letter RE: Issuance of Environmental Scoping Summary Report for McGuire.	03/27/2002	ML020870574
98	Summary of License Renewal Meeting between NRC and License Renewal Working Group.	04/22/2002	ML021130114.
99	NRC Inspection Report for McGuire and Catawba RE: License Renewal.	05/6/2002	ML021280003.
100	Lake Water Data for Lake Norman and Lake Wylie.	Undated	ML021090060.
101	e-mails	4/2002	ML021440276 ML021440270 ML022200679
102	e-mails	5/2002	ML021440217 ML021440263 ML021440229 ML021440236 ML021440245 ML021440255 ML021440259 ML022200618 ML022200627 ML022200607 ML022200632 ML022200601 ML022200676 ML022200618 ML022200627 ML022200607 ML022200632 ML022200601
103	Notice of Public Meeting to Discuss the Draft Environmental Impact Statement (EIS) . . . . ,	06/06/2002	ML021610474.
104	Telecommunication with Duke Energy Corporation to Discuss the Response to a Request for Additional Information Pertaining to Section 3.5 of the License Renewal Application.	06/07/2002	ML021620496.
105	Telecommunication with Duke Energy Corporation to Discuss the Response to a Request for Additional Information Pertaining to	06/07/2002	ML021620457

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	Section 2.1 of the License Renewal Application.		
106	Telecommunication with Duke Energy Corporation to Discuss the Response to a Request for Additional Information Pertaining to Section B.3.26 of the License Renewal Application.	06/19/2002	ML021700648
107	Revision to Schedule for the Conduct of Review of the McGuire, Units 1 and 2, and Catawba, Units 1 and 2, License Renewal Application.	06/19/2002	ML021710625
108	Telecommunication with Duke Energy Corporation to Discuss the Response to a Request for Additional Information Pertaining to Section 4.3 of the License Renewal Application.	06/19/2002	ML021700621
109	Telecommunication with Duke Energy Corporation to Discuss the Response to a Request for Additional Information Pertaining to Sections 3.6 and B.3.19 of the License Renewal Application.	06/24/2002	ML021750433
110	Summary of Meeting Held in Support of Review for the McGuire Units 1 and 2 License Renewal Application	06/25/2002	ML021820069 ML021780452 ML021820069 ML021780452
111	e-mails	6/2002	ML022200661 ML022200597 ML022200608 ML022200611 ML022200593 ML022200655 ML022200653 ML022200652 ML022200647 ML022200642 ML022200636 ML022200665 ML022200658 ML022200656 ML022200637 ML022200634 ML022200626 ML022200615 ML022200610 ML022200667

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112	e-mails	3/2002	ML022210020 ML022200682 ML022200684
113	FAX from Duke to NRC	6/4/2002	ML022200595
114	Letter to Duke Re: Draft Safety Evaluation with Open Items	8/14/2002	ML022270049
115	Draft Safety Evaluation with Open Items	8/14/2002	ML022260949
116	Issuance of Environmental Scoping Summary Report	3/27/2002	ML020870376
117	Notice of Public Meeting on DSEIS - McGuire	5/28/2002	ML021500686
118	Notice of Public Meeting on DSEIS - Catawba	6/4/2002	ML021570597
119	DOI Comments of draft EIS - McGuire	7/26/2002	
120	Duke Comments on draft SEIS - McGuire	8/2/2002	ML022210233
121	EPA Comments of draft SEIS - McGuire	8/2/2002	ML022270355
122	Duke Comments on draft SEIS - Catawba	8/8/2002	ML022330373
123	Duke Comments on draft SEIS - Catawba	8/9/2002	ML022270455
124	DOI Comments on draft SEIS - Catawba	8/13/2002	ML022380016
125	Duke Comments on draft SEIS - McGuire	8/19/2002	ML022470024
126	Revised Review Schedule	8/29/2002	ML022410304
127	McGuire and Catawba Inspection Report	9/9/2002	ML022540009
128	Proposed Staff Guidance of Electric Fuse Holders	5/16/2002	ML021370320
129	Summary of Telecommunication with Duke Energy to discuss RAI response	6/7/2002	ML021620496
130	Summary of Telecommunication with Duke Energy to discuss RAI response	6/7/2002	ML021620457
131	Summary of Telecommunication with Duke Energy to discuss RAI response	6/19/2002	ML021700648
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145	Meeting notice	9/6/2002	ML022520227
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152	Letter from M. Tuckman to NRC, Re: Comments on SER with Open Items	10/28/2002	ML023090324.