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

Dear Administrative Judges:

Enclosed hereto the Staff provides its "Review Plan for Evaluating the Physical Security

Protection Measures Needed for Mixed Oxide Fuel and its Use in Commercial Nuclear Power

Reactors."

Sincerely,

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Enclosures: As Stated

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