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McGuire Nuclear Station, Units 1 and 2  
Docket Nos. 50-369, 50-370  
Catawba Nuclear Station, Units 1 and 2  
Docket Nos. 50-413, 50-414  
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If there are any questions concerning this matter, please contact L. B. Jones at (704) 382-4753.

Very truly yours,

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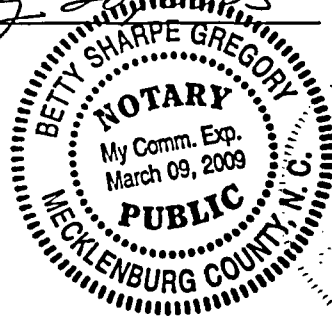
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