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U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission  
Attention: Document Control Desk  
Washington, DC 20555-0001

Subject: Duke Energy Corporation  
Catawba Nuclear Station Units 1 & 2 Docket Nos. 50-413, 50-414  
Planned Schedule for Completion of Conditions from Atomic Safety & Licensing  
Board Final Partial Initial Decision dated March 10, 2005

Reference: Telephone conference call between NRC and Duke Power representatives on  
March 22, 2005

(U) The Atomic Safety & Licensing Board (ASLB) issued its Final Partial Initial Decision on March 10, 2005 finding that Duke had satisfied the regulatory and legal requirements related to Duke's request for exemption from certain security requirements in 10 CFR Parts 11 and 73 related to the use of four MOX fuel lead assemblies in Catawba Nuclear Station. In this decision, the ASLB approved the exemptions subject to certain conditions. These conditions are summarized in Section VII of the ASLB decision and are repeated below:

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(U) Duke representatives outlined the general plans and schedule for satisfying these conditions in the reference telephone call. Duke also committed to submit the planned dates for completing the actions associated with each condition, or subpart thereof, to the NRC in writing. This information is contained in Attachment 1.

(U) This letter and attachment contain Safeguards Information and is subject to restrictions pursuant to 10 CFR 73.21. If there are any questions regarding this letter, please contact Steve Nesbit at (704) 382-2197.



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Attachment 1  
Planned Schedule for Satisfying Conditions from  
ASLB Partial Initial Decision dated March 10, 2005

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