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U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission  
Attn: Document Control Desk  
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Subject: Duke Power Company, LLC d/b/a Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC  
Oconee Nuclear Site, Units 1, 2, and 3  
Docket Numbers 50-269, 50-270, and 50-287  
NFPA 805 "Pilot Plant" Transition Project

Attached to this letter is the proposed "draft" template for a License Amendment Request (LAR) to Adopt NFPA 805 Performance-Based Standard for Fire Protection for Light Water Reactor Generating Plants (2001 Edition) for Oconee Nuclear Site ONS).

This document is provided as part of ONS participation as an industry "pilot plant" and is provided in advance of the November 2008 NRC pilot plant meetings in which the topic of LARs to implement NFPA 805 will be discussed. The attached document is provided to communicate the proposed structure and content of the planned LAR that is currently scheduled for submittal by May 31, 2008. The contents of this document are subject to change as the NFPA 805 pilot initiative progresses.

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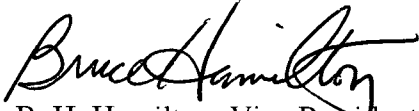
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Inquiries on this submittal should be directed to either, Reene' Gambrell of the Oconee Regulatory Compliance Group at (864) 885-33364 or David Goforth, NFPA 805 Transition Technical Lead at (704) 382-2659.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Bruce Hamilton". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large, prominent "B" and "H".

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Attachment:

1. Draft of Proposed "template" for a License Amendment Request to Adopt NFPA 805 Performance-Based Standard for Fire Protection for Light Water Reactor Generating Plants (2001 Edition)

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