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Mr. J. P. O'Reilly, Director
U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
101 Marietta Street, Suite 3100
Atlanta, Georgia 30303

Re: Cherokee Nuclear Station
IE:II:JJL
Inspection Reports: 50-491/79-20, 50-492/79-20, and 50-493/79-20
Duke File: CK-1412.11-1

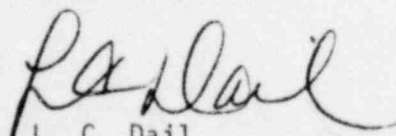
Dear Mr. O'Reilly:

In Mr. Lenahan's inspection reports referenced above, he identified a deficiency entitled "Sampling and Testing of Concrete Aggregate" and requested a report be filed within twenty (20) days of receipt of these reports. Duke Power Company submitted its interim response on January 22, 1980.

Duke's final response is as follows:

- 1) The subject samples have been taken and a Nonconforming Item Report (NCI) written to document and resolve the problem.
- 2) A formal, computerized "Tickler" system has been implemented to prevent reoccurrence.
- 3) The sample test results were obtained and the NCI was resolved. The test results were reviewed and approved by site QA personnel on February 5, 1980.

Very truly yours,



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