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In Reply Refer To: RII:CMH 50-269/79-35 50-270/79-32 50-287/79-35

> Duke Power Company ATTN: W. O. Parker, Jr. Vice President, Steam Production Post Office Box 2178 Charlotte, NC 28242

Gentlemen:

Thank you for your letter of February 20, 1980, informing us of steps you have taken to correct the items of noncompliance concerning activities under NRC Operating License Nos. DPR-38, DPR-47 and DPR-55 brought to your attention in our letter of January 28, 1980. We will examine your corrective actions and plans during subsequent inspections. With regards to your comments concerning the scope of inspections and associated reports, it has been our policy and will continue to be our policy to request responses to items we consider to be of safety significance whether or not there is a regulatory requirement, license condition, commitment, etc. We feel that verification of valve line-ups is of safety significance.

We appreciate your cooperation with us.

Sincerely,

Murphy

James P. O'Reilly Director

cc: J. E. Smith, Station Manager Post Office Box 1175 Seneca, SC 29678