

DUKE POWER COMPANY  
ELECTRIC CENTER, BOX 33189, CHARLOTTE, N. C. 28242

L. C. DAIL  
VICE PRESIDENT  
DESIGN ENGINEERING

10/10/11 09:49

August 6, 1980

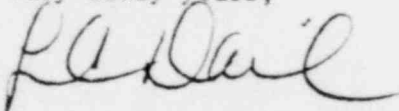
Mr. James P. O'Reilly, Director  
U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission  
101 Marietta Street, NW Suite 3100  
Atlanta, Georgia 30303

Re: Cherokee Nuclear Station  
Docket Nos: 50-491, 50-492, 50-493  
Perkins Nuclear Station  
Docket Nos: 50-488, 50-489, 50-490  
RII:JPO  
IE Bulletin 79-03A  
Duke File: P81-1412.11-1

Dear Mr. O'Reilly:

In response to your letter of April 4, 1980, which transmitted Nuclear Regulatory Commission IE Bulletin 79-03A, we wish to advise that a review of the designs of Cherokee and Perkins Nuclear Stations has been conducted. This review revealed that no SA-312 or A-312, Type 300 Series fusion welded pipe in use, or planned for use, is subject to design stresses greater than 85 percent of the ASME Code allowable stresses.

Very truly yours,



L. C. Dail, Vice-President  
Design Engineering

EKM/pam

cc: Nuclear Regulatory Commission  
Office of Inspection and Enforcement  
Division of Reactor Construction Inspection  
Washington, DC 20555

8009020 211

OFFICIAL COPY