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Duke Power Company  
ATTN: Mr. H. B. Tucker, Vice President  
Nuclear Production Department  
422 South Church Street  
Charlotte, NC 28242

Gentlemen:

SUBJECT: REPORT NOS. 50-413/83-50 AND 50-414/83-38

Thank you for your response of February 17, 1984, to our Notices of Violation issued on December 29, 1983, concerning activities conducted at your Catawba facility. We have evaluated your response and found that it meets the requirements of 10 CFR 2.201. We will examine the implementation of your actions to correct Violation No. 50-413/83-50-01 during future inspections.

After a careful review of the basis for your denial that the violation impacts operations regarding the amount of fuel oil left in the day tank for a low-low level alarm, we agree with your position. Therefore, due to minimal safety impact, a Severity Level V instead of a IV was assigned to the violation in accordance with the NRC Enforcement Policy. Accordingly, our records will reflect this change.

We appreciate your cooperation in this matter.

Sincerely,

James P. O'Reilly  
Regional Administrator

cc: R. L. Dick, Vice President -  
Construction  
J. W. Hampton, Station Manager

bcc: NRC Resident Inspector  
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