



UNITED STATES
NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, D. C. 20555

April 19, 1989

Docket Nos.: 50-369, 50-370

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

Dear Mr. Tucker:

SUBJECT: CONFIRMATION OF ACTION LETTER FOR MCGUIRE UNIT 1 RESTART

During a meeting of April 13, 1989, you discussed with the NRC the McGuire Unit 1 steam generator tube rupture of March 7-8, 1989, including Duke's subsequent corrective actions and plans leading to restart.

This letter confirms our agreement that certain actions will occur prior to final decision regarding restart. These actions include:

- (1) Further meetings and reporting regarding cause of tube failure and integration of these results into effective corrective actions.
- (2) Further meetings regarding tube plugs.
- (3) Completion of procedural changes for entry conditions into Emergency Operating Procedures as proposed during the meeting.
- (4) Completion of certain items from the NRC's Augmented Inspection Team Report of April 10, 1989 to be determined from your discussions with the Team Leader.

We also discussed schedules during the meeting, particularly for item (1) which was perceived to be the most limiting. To support your current restart date of May 4, 1989, the report for item (1) is needed by April 26, 1989. We

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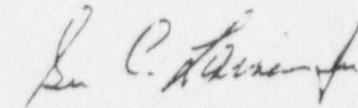
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acknowledge that current schedules are tentative, subject primarily to the results of laboratory examinations of the affected tubes and related engineering analyses.

If your understanding of our discussion is different from the above, please inform this office promptly.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "Steven A. Varga". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a large initial "S" and a stylized "V".

Steven A. Varga, Director
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