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Gentlemen:

With reference to the license applications for Oconee Units 1, 2 and 3, McGuire Nuclear Station Units 1 and 2, and Catawba Nuclear Station Units 1 and 2, the Attorney General has furnished the Commission additional antitrust advice pursuant to section 105c of the Atomic Energy Act of 1954, as amended. A copy of the Attorney General's letter of April 26, 1974 is enclosed for your information. The Department of Justice advises that given Duke Power Company's undertaking to accept certain commitments as license conditions, the Department now believes antitrust hearings will not be necessary with regard to the Oconee, McGuire and Catawba license applications. It therefore withdraws its previous letters of advice concerning those three applications and recommends that appropriate steps be taken to terminate the scheduled antitrust proceedings thereon.

We are also transmitting to the Office of the Federal Register a copy of the Attorney General's advice for publication.

Sincerely,

/s/ Abraham Braitman

Abraham Braitman, Chief
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