

October 4, 1972

Note for Mr. Shapar.

What do you think of the attached as  
a substitute for the second sentence in the  
second paragraph.

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E. J. Bloch

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Mr. William S. Lee  
Senior Vice President,  
Engineering and Construction  
Duke Power Company  
Power Building, Box 2178  
Charlotte, North Carolina 28201

Dear Mr. Lee:

I refer to your letter of September 1. We appreciated having the opportunity to consider the views of Duke Power Company in connection with our decision to furnish copies of the Oconee inspection reports to counsel for the Carolina Environmental Study Group (intervenor in the McGuire construction permit proceeding). As you know, portions of the reports have now been supplied and the staff will contact you again regarding the requests of your vendors for the deletion of proprietary data from the material not yet furnished.

You expressed concern with regard to possible misunderstanding of the nature and emphasis of inspection reports. We believe the inspection reports reflect the objective accumulation of facts which support the findings of the inspectors. These reports do emphasize matters that require attention in the interest of safety as is their purpose. They also present the scope of the inspection, thus making evident those areas where no significant deficiencies were found. It would appear more appropriate to elaborate on this matter if and when any misunderstanding arises.

Copies of your September 1 letter and this response are being placed in the public document rooms and distributed to the parties in the McGuire proceeding.

Sincerely,

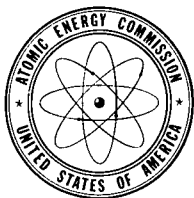
Original Signed by  
E. J. Bloch

Edward J. Bloch  
Deputy Director of Regulation

LETTER RETYPED TO CHANGE ~~XXXX~~ SECOND PARAGRAPH

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UNITED STATES  
ATOMIC ENERGY COMMISSION  
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20545

October 4, 1972

NOTE TO E. J. BLOCH

LETTER TO WILLIAM S. LEE

We propose to substitute the following for sentence #2 in paragraph #2:

"We believe the inspection reports reflect the objective accumulation of facts which support the findings of the inspectors. These reports do emphasize matters that require attention in the interest of safety as is their purpose. They also present the scope of the inspection, thus making evident those areas where no significant deficiencies were found."

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "F. E. Kruesi", is positioned above the printed name.

F. E. Kruesi

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October 3, 1972

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You expressed concern with regard to possible misunderstanding of the nature and emphasis of inspection reports. We believe that these aspects of the documents are self-evident. It would appear more appropriate to elaborate on this matter if and when any misunderstanding arises.

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Sincerely,

Edward J. Bloch  
Deputy Director of Regulation

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October 2, 1972

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Mr. William S. Lee  
Senior Vice President  
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Dear Mr. Lee:

I refer to your letter of September 1 to Edward J. Bloch. We appreciated having the opportunity to consider the views of Duke Power Company in connection with our decision to furnish copies of the Oconee inspection reports to counsel for the Carolina Environmental Study Group (intervenor in the McGuire construction permit proceeding). As you know, portions of the reports have now been supplied. I understand that the Directorate of Regulatory Operations will contact you again regarding the requests of your vendors for the deletion of proprietary data from the material not yet furnished. You expressed concern with regard to possible misunderstanding of the nature and emphasis of inspection reports. We are confident that Duke Power Company will find opportunity, if the need arises, within the hearing process or elsewhere, to place the reports "in proper perspective."

Sincerely yours,

Howard K. Shapar  
Assistant General Counsel  
Licensing and Regulation

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