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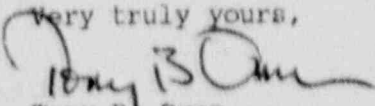
Gentlemen:

During the Catawba Unit 1 EOC4 refueling outage, an unexpected pressurization transient of the reactor coolant and residual heat removal systems occurred during fill and vent. This event will be the subject of an enforcement conference on Wednesday, April 25, 1990.

At this time, we request an extension to April 26, 1990 for submittal of this report. This extension period would provide us with the time necessary for additional investigation into this event to determine root causes, necessary corrective actions to be taken and thoroughly review prior to submission of this report.

Thank you in advance for your consideration in this matter.

Very truly yours,

  
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