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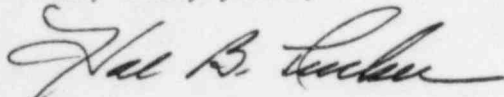
Re: RII:JPO
Catawba Nuclear Station
Docket Nos. 50-413 and 50-414

Dear Mr. O'Reilly:

Please find attached a final response to IE Bulletin 83-06 describing the results of our review of those Tube-Line Corporation items identified in our initial response of November 18, 1983.

I declare under penalty of perjury that the statements set forth herein are true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

Very truly yours,



Hal B. Tucker

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Attachment

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Final Response to IE Bulletin 83-06 Items Supplied by Tube-
Line Corporation to Catawba Nuclear Station

- Item a. The four (4) pipe caps in question are used inside the Fuel Oil Day Tank as part of a level indicator. These pipe caps serve no pressure-retaining function and therefore do not require replacement.
- Item b. The two (2) elbows in question were furnished with the auxiliary feed-water pump turbine tube oil coolers. Material test reports have been traced to the heat number from the material manufacturer. The chemical and physical analysis conform to the requirements for SA 312TP 304L, which is the material specified by our turbine manufacturer. Also, the elbows have successfully hydrotested at 660 psig, which far exceeds our hydro-test requirement of 225 psig. Lastly, the material manufacturer has certified that these fittings were heat treated in accordance with ASTM-A312 requirements, so that heat sensitization is not a concern. For these reasons, the elbows are considered acceptable as furnished and do not require replacement.