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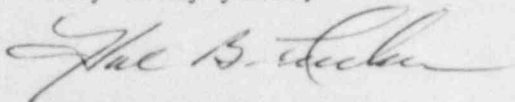
Re: McGuire Nuclear Station  
Catawba Nuclear Station  
Docket Nos. 50-369, 50-370; 50-413, 50-414  
IE Bulletin 83-07

Dear Mr. O'Reilly:

Please find attached Duke Power Company's response to IE Bulletin 83-07 for McGuire and Catawba Nuclear Stations. This bulletin concerns apparent fraudulent products sold by Ray Miller, Inc.

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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Response to IE Bulletin 83-07

1. After a review by Duke Power Quality Assurance-Vendors Division, it was determined that neither McGuire or Catawba received materials from those companies identified in the bulletin or the bulletin supplements. However, it was determined that McGuire received apparently fraudulent Ray Miller, Inc. materials from Pall Trinity Company of Cortland, New York. The material supplied to McGuire was Type 304 stainless 3" schedule 40 elbows which are used in Fuel Pool Cooling System filter holders.
2. The McGuire Fuel Pool Cooling System filter holders are designed to withstand 150 psig at 125°F. The 3" elbows supplied and installed by Pall Trinity Company are located inside the filter holders where a hydrostatic test to 300 psig was successfully performed. If a failure of the 3" elbow is postulated, the elbow would remain inside the filter holder and the integrity of the system would not be affected. Therefore it is planned to continue operation of McGuire with the Fuel Pool Cooling System in its present configuration.
3. There is no Ray Miller, Inc. material in stock at McGuire or Catawba Nuclear Stations, therefore Item 3 does not require any action.