

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

BEFORE THE ATOMIC SAFETY AND LICENSING BOARD

In the Matter of

DUKE POWER COMPANY, et al.

(Catawba Nuclear Station
Units 1 and 2)

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Docket No. 50-413
50-414

AFFIDAVIT OF WARREN H. OWEN

My name is Warren H. Owen. I am currently employed by the Duke Power Company as Executive Vice President, Engineering and Construction. I am a member of the Board of Directors and of the Executive Committee. In these capacities I am responsible for, among other things, the fuel loading, testing and power ascension phases for the Catawba nuclear units. Schedules have been developed for these phases which take into account Duke Power Company's experience with such activities at its five operating nuclear reactors.

The current schedule for Catawba Unit 1 reflects the following:

Fuel loading	May 25, 1984 thru June 7, 1984
Zero power physics testing (pre-critical)	June 7, 1984 thru August 30, 1984
0-5% power testing (plant critical)	August 31, 1984 thru September 14, 1984
5-100% power testing	September 14, 1984 thru February 5, 1985

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I, Warren H. Owen, of lawful age, being first duly sworn, state that I have reviewed the foregoing affidavit and that the statements contained therein are true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Warren H. Owen

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Sworn to and subscribed before me
this 10 day of April, 1984.

Jo Ann D. Bowman

Notary Public

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