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Mr. James P. O'Reilly, Regional Administrator
U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
Region II
101 Marietta Street, NW, Suite 2900
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Re: Catawba Nuclear Station
Units 1 and 2
Docket Nos. 50-413 and 50-414

Dear Mr. O'Reilly:

In my March 30, 1984 letter transmitting Significant Deficiency Report No. SD 413-414/82-27, it was stated that corrective action would be completed by May 1, 1984. New replacement battery cells for Unit 1 are now on-site, but delays in ESF testing have prevented their installation. The expected completion date is therefore extended to May 23, 1984. We are still awaiting replacement cells for Unit 2, and expect to complete their installation by August 15, 1984.

Very truly yours,

H.B. Tucker
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cc: Director
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