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Subject: McGuire Nuclear Station  
Docket Numbers 50-369 and -370  
Catawba Nuclear Station  
Docket Numbers 50-413 and -414  
Topical Report DPC-NE-3001

By letter dated January 29, 1990, Duke submitted the subject Topical Report, "Safety Analysis Physics Parameters and Multidimensional Reactor Transients Methodology" for review.

During a July 23, 1990 meeting between representatives from Duke, NRC Staff, and Brookhaven National Laboratory, a question was raised by the staff regarding the scope of review required. Attached is the response to that question. Please note that a portion of the response is proprietary, and should be withheld from public disclosure. Included with the January 29, 1990 letter is an affidavit which supports the proprietary designation.

If there are any questions, please call Scott Gewehr at (704) 373-7581.

Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in cursive that reads "H. B. Tucker msr".

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