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SUSOUEHANNA STEAM ELECTRIC STATION PROPOSED LICENSE TRANSFER: CLARIFICATION REGARDING TECHNICAL QUALIFICATIONS PLA-5205

Docket Nos. 50-387 and 50-388

Reference:

PLA-5135, R. G. Byram to USNRC, "Proposed Amendment No. 229 to License NPF-14 and Proposed Amendment No. 192 to License NPF-22: Proposed License Transfer and Conforming License Amendments PP&L, Inc.

Realignment," dated December 15, 1999.

The purpose of this letter is to provide clarification regarding a question raised by the NRC staff during their review of the Technical Qualifications portion of the referenced License Transfer application. No changes are proposed to the conforming amendments.

In response to the staff's question, please be advised that upon execution of the license transfer, PPL Susquehanna, LLC will retain all final decision making authority regarding NRC licensed activities, including any services performed by affiliates or third party vendors pursuant to appropriate services agreements.

If you have any further questions on this matter, please contact Mr. T. L. Harpster, Manager-Nuclear Licensing, at (610) 774-7552.

Sincerely,

Robert G. Byram

Attachments: Affidavits

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BEFORE THE UNITED STATES NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

In the Matter of

PPL ELECTRIC UTILITIES CORPORATION (formerly PP&L, INC.)

Docket No. 50-388

PROPOSED LICENSE TRANSFER: CLARIFICATION REGARDING TECHNICAL QUALIFICATIONS SUSQUEHANNA STEAM ELECTRIC STATION UNIT NO. 2

Licensee, PPL Electric Utilities Corporation (formerly PP&L, Inc.), hereby files clarifying information in support of proposed Susquehanna SES Unit 2 operating license transfer application dated December 15, 1999.

PPL ELECTRIC UTILITIES CORPORATION
BY:

R. G. Byram \

Sr. Vice-President and Chief Nuclear Officer

Sworn to and subscribed before me

this 30 day of May 2000

Notarial Seal
Susan Grabowski-Turi, Notary Public
Allentown, Lehigh County
My Commission Expires Sept. 8, 2003

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BEFORE THE UNITED STATES NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

In the Matter of

PPL ELECTRIC UTILITIES CORPORATION (formerly PP&L, INC.) :

Docket No. 50-387

PROPOSED LICENSE TRANSFER: CLARIFICATION REGARDING TECHNICAL QUALIFICATIONS SUSQUEHANNA STEAM ELECTRIC STATION UNIT NO. 1

Licensee, PPL Electric Utilities Corporation (formerly PP&L, Inc.), hereby files clarifying information in support of proposed Susquehanna SES Unit 1 operating license transfer application dated December 15, 1999.

PPL ELECTRIC UTILITIES CORPORATION BY:

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