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SUBJECT: INDIAN POINT NUCLEAR GENERATING STATION, UNITS 1 AND 2 -
ISSUANCE OF AMENDMENTS RE: ADMINISTRATIVE CHANGE TO
ENVIRONMENTAL TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS (TAC NOS. MA8323 AND
MA8447)

Dear Mr. Blind:

The U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (Commission) has issued the enclosed Amendment No.47 to Facility Operating License No. DPR-5 and Amendment No. 210 to Facility Operating License No. DPR-26 for the Indian Point Nuclear Generating Station, Unit Nos. 1 and 2 (IP1 and IP2). The amendments consist of changes to the Environmental Technical Specifications (ETSs) in response to your application transmitted by letter dated February 14, 2000.

The amendment change to IP1 and IP2 ETS would eliminate from Section 5.4.1, the discussion regarding Section 4.2. Specifically, in ETS Section 5.4.1, Routine Reports, the proposed change seeks to delete the reference to and discussion about Section 4.2, which was deleted from the IP2 Operating License as part of Amendment No. 90.

A copy of the related Safety Evaluation is enclosed. A Notice of Issuance will be included in the Commission's next biweekly *Federal Register* notice.

Sincerely,

/RA/

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Docket Nos. 50-003 and 50-247

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CONSOLIDATED EDISON COMPANY OF NEW YORK, INC.

DOCKET NO. 50-003

INDIAN POINT NUCLEAR GENERATING STATION, UNIT 1

AMENDMENT TO FACILITY OPERATING LICENSE

Amendment No. 47
License No. DPR-5

1. The U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (the Commission) has found that
 - A. The application for amendment by Consolidated Edison Company of New York, Inc. (the licensee), dated February 14, 2000, complies with the standards and requirements of the Atomic Energy Act of 1954, as amended (the Act), and the Commission's rules and regulations set forth in 10 CFR Chapter I;
 - B. The facility will operate in conformity with the application, the provisions of the Act, and the rules and regulations of the Commission;
 - C. There is reasonable assurance (i) that the activities authorized by this amendment can be conducted without endangering the health and safety of the public, and (ii) that such activities will be conducted in compliance with the Commission's regulations;
 - D. The issuance of this amendment will not be inimical to the common defense and security or to the health and safety of the public; and
 - E. The issuance of this amendment is in accordance with 10 CFR Part 51 of the Commission's regulations, and all applicable requirements have been satisfied.
2. Accordingly, the license is amended by changes to the Environmental Technical Specifications as indicated in the attachment to this license amendment, and Paragraph 2.C(2) of Facility Operating License No. DPR-5 is hereby amended to read as follows:

(2) Environmental Technical Specifications

The Environmental Technical Specifications, as revised through Amendment No. 47, are hereby incorporated in the license. The licensee shall operate the facility in accordance with the Environmental Technical Specifications.

3. The license amendment is effective as of its date of issuance and shall be implemented within 30 days from the date of issuance.

FOR THE NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION



Michael Masnik, Decommissioning Section Chief,
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Office of Nuclear Reactor Regulation

Attachment:
Changes to the Environmental
Technical Specifications

Date of Issuance: June 8, 2000

ATTACHMENT TO LICENSE AMENDMENT NO. 47

TO FACILITY OPERATING LICENSE NO. DPR-5

DOCKET NO. 50-003

Replace the following page of the Environmental Technical Specifications with the attached revised page. The revised page is identified by amendment number and contains marginal lines indicating the areas of change.

Remove

Page 5-2

Insert

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5.4 Plant Reporting Requirements

5.4.1 Routine Reports

An Annual Environmental Protection Plan Report describing implementation of this EPP for the previous year shall be submitted to the NRC prior to May 1 of each year. The initial report shall be submitted prior to May 1 of the year following issuance of the operating license. The period of the first report shall begin with the date of issuance of the operating license.

The Annual Environmental Protection Plan Report shall include:

- (a) A list of EPP noncompliances and the corrective actions taken to remedy them.
- (b) A list of all changes in station design or operation, tests, and experiments made in accordance with subsection 3.1 which involved a potentially significant unreviewed environmental issue.
- (c) A list of nonroutine reports submitted in accordance with subsection 5.4.2.
- (d) A list of all reports submitted in accordance with the SPDES permit.

In the event that some results are not available by the report due date, the report shall be submitted noting and explaining the missing results. The missing data shall be submitted as soon possible in a supplementary report.



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CONSOLIDATED EDISON COMPANY OF NEW YORK, INC.

DOCKET NO. 50-247

INDIAN POINT NUCLEAR GENERATING STATION, UNIT 2

AMENDMENT TO FACILITY OPERATING LICENSE

Amendment No. 210
License No. DPR-26

1. The U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (the Commission) has found that
 - A. The application for amendment by Consolidated Edison Company of New York, Inc. (the licensee), dated February 14, 2000, complies with the standards and requirements of the Atomic Energy Act of 1954, as amended (the Act), and the Commission's rules and regulations set forth in 10 CFR Chapter I;
 - B. The facility will operate in conformity with the application, the provisions of the Act, and the rules and regulations of the Commission;
 - C. There is reasonable assurance (i) that the activities authorized by this amendment can be conducted without endangering the health and safety of the public, and (ii) that such activities will be conducted in compliance with the Commission's regulations;
 - D. The issuance of this amendment will not be inimical to the common defense and security or to the health and safety of the public; and
 - E. The issuance of this amendment is in accordance with 10 CFR Part 51 of the Commission's regulations, and all applicable requirements have been satisfied.
2. Accordingly, the license is amended by changes to the Environmental Technical Specifications as indicated in the attachment to this license amendment, and Paragraph 2.C(2) of Facility Operating License No. DPR-26 is hereby amended to read as follows:

(2) Environmental Technical Specifications

The Environmental Technical Specifications contained, as revised through Amendment No. 210 , are hereby incorporated in the license. The licensee shall operate the facility in accordance with the Environmental Technical Specifications.

3. The license amendment is effective as of its date of issuance and shall be implemented within 30 days from the date of issuance.

FOR THE NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION



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Attachment:
Changes to the Environmental
Technical Specifications

Date of Issuance: June 8, 2000

ATTACHMENT TO LICENSE AMENDMENT NO. 210

TO FACILITY OPERATING LICENSE NO. DPR-26

DOCKET NO. 50-247

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SAFETY EVALUATION BY THE OFFICE OF NUCLEAR REACTOR REGULATION
RELATED TO AMENDMENT NO. 47 TO FACILITY OPERATING LICENSE NO. DPR-5
AND AMENDMENT NO. 210 TO FACILITY OPERATING LICENSE NO. DPR-26
CONSOLIDATED EDISON COMPANY OF NEW YORK, INC.
INDIAN POINT NUCLEAR GENERATING STATION, UNITS 1 AND 2
DOCKET NOS. 50-003 AND 50-247

1.0 INTRODUCTION

By letter dated February 14, 2000, the Consolidated Edison Company of New York, Inc. (the licensee) requested an amendment to the Environmental Technical Specifications (ETS) for the Indian Point Nuclear Generating Station, Units 1 and 2. The proposed amendment would delete in Section 5.4.1, the reference to and the discussions about Section 4.2, which no longer exists.

2.0 EVALUATION

The proposed change involves deleting, in Section 5.4.1, Routine Reports, the reference to and the discussion of Section 4.2, which no longer exists. Section 4.2 described the environmental protection activities for the operation of Indian Point Nuclear Generating Station. The reference section of 4.2 had been removed from the ETS in Amendment 90 to Operating License No. DPR-26. This particular reference and discussion of the deleted Section 4.2 in Section 5.4.1 was inadvertently overlooked by the licensee.

The proposed change is considered administrative in nature since there is no change in the function, operation or physical configuration of the plant. The administrative change does not represent a reduction in safety and is intended to maintain consistency and clarity of the ETS. Therefore, the proposed change to the ETS does not involve a significant hazards consideration and the staff finds the proposed change is acceptable.

3.0 STATE CONSULTATION

In accordance with the Commission's regulations, the New York State official was notified of the proposed issuance of the amendment. The State official had no comments.

4.0 ENVIRONMENTAL CONSIDERATION

This amendment request deals with reporting requirements and is administrative in nature. Accordingly, the amendment meets the eligibility criteria for categorical exclusion set forth in 10 CFR 51.22(c)(3)(iii). Pursuant to 10 CFR 51.22(b), no environmental impact statement or environmental assessment need be prepared in connection with the issuance of the amendment.

5.0 CONCLUSION

The staff has concluded, based on the considerations discussed above, that: (1) there is reasonable assurance that the health and safety of the public will not be endangered by operation in the proposed manner, (2) such activities will be conducted in compliance with the Commission's regulations, and (3) the issuance of the amendments will not be inimical to the common defense and security or to the health and safety of the public.

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Date: June 8, 2000