

November 17, 1986

Docket No. 50-220

Niagara Mohawk Power Corporation
Attn: Mr. C. V. Mangan
Senior Vice President
c/o Miss Catherine R. Seibert
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Syracuse, New York 13202

Dear Mr. Mangan:

SUBJECT: MANAGEMENT ORGANIZATION CHANGES (TAC 61531)

Re: Nine Mile Point Nuclear Station, Unit No. 1

The Commission has issued the enclosed Amendment No. 89 to Facility Operating License No. DPR-63 for the Nine Mile Point Nuclear Station, Unit No. 1. This amendment is in response to your application dated May 12, 1986. The amendment modifies Technical Specification (TS) Sections 6.5.3.8, 6.5.3.9, 6.5.3.10 and Figure 6.2-1 to reflect changes in the management organization at Niagara Mohawk Power Corporation. The Vice President - Quality Assurance for Niagara Mohawk will assume the authority and functions associated with both Nine Mile Point Units 1 and 2, formerly performed by the Director of Quality Assurance. Additionally, the Manager of Nuclear Engineering and Licensing will assume the authority and functions associated with both Nine Mile Point Units 1 and 2, formerly performed by the Vice President - Nuclear Engineering and Licensing.

A copy of our related Safety Evaluation is also enclosed. The Notice of Issuance will be included in the Commission's biweekly Federal Register notices.

Sincerely,

Original signed by

John A. Zwolinski, Director
BWR Project Directorate #1
Division of BWR Licensing

Enclosures:

1. Amendment No. 89 to License No. DPR-63
 2. Safety Evaluation
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NIAGARA MOHAWK POWER CORPORATION

DOCKET NO. 50-220

NINE MILE POINT NUCLEAR STATION, UNIT NO. 1

AMENDMENT TO FACILITY OPERATING LICENSE

Amendment No. 89
License No. DPR-63

1. The Nuclear Regulatory Commission (the Commission) has found that:
 - A. The application for amendment by Niagara Mohawk Power Corporation (the licensee) dated May 12, 1986, 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 Technical Specifications as indicated in the attachment to this license amendment, and paragraph 2.C.(2) of Facility Operating License No. DPR-63 is hereby amended to read as follows:

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(2) Technical Specifications

The Technical Specifications contained in Appendix A, as revised through Amendment No. 89, are hereby incorporated in the license. The licensee shall operate the facility in accordance with the Technical Specifications.

3. This license amendment is effective as of the date of its issuance.

FOR THE NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

for Rajender Anand
John A. Zwolinski, Director
BWR Project Directorate #1
Division of BWR Licensing

Attachment:
Changes to the Technical
Specifications

Date of Issuance: November 17, 1986.

ATTACHMENT TO LICENSE AMENDMENT NO. 89

FACILITY OPERATING LICENSE NO. DPR-63

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Revise the Appendix A Technical Specifications by removing the pages identified below and inserting the attached pages. The revised pages are identified by the captioned amendment number and contain marginal lines indicating the area of change.

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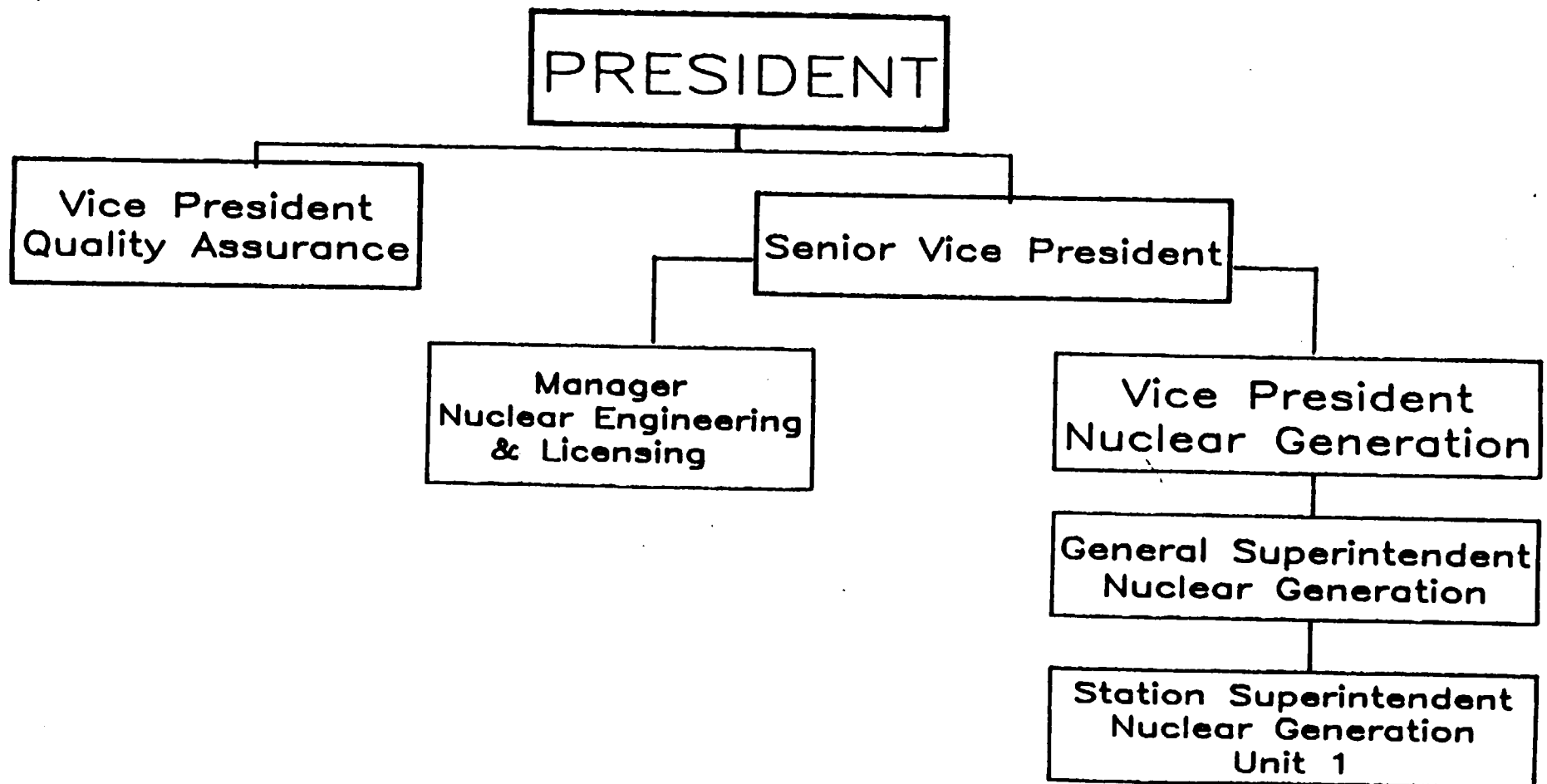
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FIGURE 6.2-1
NINE MILE POINT NUCLEAR STATION
MANAGEMENT ORGANIZATION CHART



Audits

- 6.5.3.8 Audits of facility activities shall be performed under the cognizance of the SRAB. These audits shall encompass:
- a. The conformance of facility operation to all provisions contained within the Technical Specifications and applicable license conditions at least once per year.
 - b. The performance, training and qualifications of the entire facility staff at least once per year.
 - c. The results of actions taken to correct deficiencies occurring in facility equipment, structures, systems or method of operation that affect nuclear safety at least once per six months.
 - d. The performance of all activities required by the Quality Assurance Program to meet the criteria of Appendix "B", 10CFR50, at least once per two years.
 - e. The Facility Emergency Plan and implementing procedures at least once every 12 months.
 - f. The Facility Security Plan and implementing procedures at least once every 12 months.
 - g. The Facility Fire Protection Program and implementing procedures at least once per two years.
 - h. Any other area of facility operation considered appropriate by the SRAB, the Vice President - Nuclear Generation or the Manager - Nuclear Engineering & Licensing.
 - i. The radiological environmental monitoring program and the results thereof at least once per 12 months.
 - j. The Offsite Dose Calculation Manual and implementing procedures at least once per 24 months.
 - k. The Process Control Program and implementing procedures for processing and packaging of radioactive wastes at least once per 24 months.

Authority

- 6.5.3.9 The SRAB shall report to and advise the Vice President - Nuclear Generation and Manager - Nuclear Engineering & Licensing on those areas of responsibility specified in Section 6.5.3.7 and 6.5.3.8.

Records

- 6.5.3.10 Records of SRAB activities shall be prepared, approved and distributed as indicated below:

- a. Minutes of each SRAB meeting shall be prepared, approved and forwarded to the Vice President - Nuclear Generation and Manager - Nuclear Engineering & Licensing within 30 days following each meeting.
- b. Reports of reviews encompassed by Section 6.5.3.7 e,f,g and h above, shall be prepared, approved and forwarded to the Vice President - Nuclear Generation and Manager - Nuclear Engineering & Licensing within 14 days following completion of the review.
- c. Audit reports encompassed by Section 6.5.3.8 above, shall be forwarded to the Vice President - Nuclear Generation and Manager - Nuclear Engineering & Licensing within 90 days following completion of the review.



UNITED STATES
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SAFETY EVALUATION BY THE OFFICE OF NUCLEAR REACTOR REGULATION
SUPPORTING AMENDMENT NO. 89 TO FACILITY OPERATING LICENSE NO. DPR-63
NIAGARA MOHAWK POWER CORPORATION
NINE MILE POINT NUCLEAR STATION, UNIT NO. 1
DOCKET NO. 50-220

1.0 INTRODUCTION

By application dated May 12, 1986, Niagara Mohawk Power Corporation (NMPC) (the licensee), requested an amendment to Appendix A of Facility Operating License No. DPR-63 for the Nine Mile Point Nuclear Station, Unit No. 1. The proposed amendment would modify Technical Specification (TS) Sections 6.5.3.8, 6.5.3.9, 6.5.3.10 and Figure 6.2-1 to reflect changes in the management organization at NMPC. The Vice President - Quality Assurance for NMPC will assume the authority and functions associated with both Nine Mile Point Units 1 and 2, formerly performed by the Director of Quality Assurance. Additionally, the Manager of Nuclear Engineering and Licensing will assume the authority and functions associated with both Nine Mile Point Units 1 and 2, formerly performed by the Vice President - Nuclear Engineering and Licensing.

2.0 EVALUATION

The proposed changes to the TS requested by the licensee reflect changes in the management organization at NMPC. The need for the proposed changes stem from the consolidation of Nine Mile Point Units 1 and 2 in the Quality Assurance and Engineering and Licensing Divisions.

The proposed amendment reflects changes in organizational titles only. The Vice President - Quality Assurance will assume the authority and functions previously given to the Director of Quality Assurance. The Vice President will be responsible for Quality Assurance functions, and, as in the previously approved organization, report directly to the President. The Manager of Nuclear Engineering and Licensing will, like the previously approved position, report directly to the Senior Vice President.

The amount of staffing required for Quality Assurance and Nuclear Engineering and Licensing activities for both Units 1 and 2 will remain the same. There will be no reduction in resources currently being used in both programs. In addition, the functions and responsibilities assigned within the organization will remain the same, and is therefore acceptable.

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3.0 ENVIRONMENTAL CONSIDERATION

This amendment relates to changes in recordkeeping, reporting, or administrative procedures or requirements. Accordingly, this amendment meets the eligibility criteria for categorical exclusion set forth in 10 CFR 51.22(c)(10). Pursuant to 10 CFR 51.22(b) no environmental impact statement or environmental assessment need be prepared in connection with the issuance of this amendment.

4.0 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, and (2) such activities will be conducted in compliance with the Commission's regulations and the issuance of this amendment will not be inimical to the common defense and security nor to the health and safety of the public.

Principal Contributor: J. Kelly

Dated: November 17, 1986.