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**ATTN: Mr. R. H. Sims
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A copy of the notice is enclosed. Copies of the proposed amendment, the report by the Advisory Committee on Reactor Safeguards and the safety evaluation by the Division of Reactor Licensing will be sent to you as soon as they become available.

Sincerely,

Original Signed by
Peter A. Morris

**Peter A. Morris, Director
Division of Reactor Licensing**

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A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Peter A. Morris".

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JERSEY CENTRAL POWER AND LIGHT COMPANY

NOTICE OF AEC CONSIDERATION OF ISSUANCE OF
AMENDMENT TO PROVISIONAL OPERATING LICENSE

The Atomic Energy Commission (the Commission) will consider the issuance of an amendment to Provisional Operating License No. DPR-16 which would authorize the Jersey Central Power and Light Company (Jersey Central) to operate the Oyster Creek Nuclear Power Plant Unit No. 1 (the facility) at steady-state power levels up to a maximum of 1930 megawatts (thermal), in accordance with the provisions of the license and the Technical Specifications incorporated therein. The facility is a single cycle, forced circulation, boiling water reactor, and is located in Lacey Township, Ocean County, New Jersey. The license presently authorizes Jersey Central to operate the facility at steady-state power levels up to a maximum of 1690 megawatts (thermal).

No such amendment to the license will be issued until receipt of a report on the application by the Advisory Committee on Reactor Safeguards, the issuance of a favorable safety evaluation by the AEC Division of Reactor Licensing, and findings by the Commission that the application for the amendment complies with the requirements of the Atomic Energy Act of 1954, as amended (the Act), and the Commission's regulations in 10 CFR Chapter I.

Prior to the issuance of an amendment to the facility license, the facility will be inspected by the Commission to determine whether the modification to the facility has been made in accordance with the application, as amended. The amendment to the license will not be issued until the Commission has made the findings, reflecting its review of the application for license amendment, which will be set forth in the proposed license amendment, and has concluded that the issuance of the license amendment will not be inimical to the common defense and security or to the health and safety of the public.

Within thirty (30) days from the date of publication of this notice in the FEDERAL REGISTER the applicant may file a request for a hearing and any person whose interest may be affected by this proceeding may file a petition for leave to intervene. Requests for a hearing and petitions to intervene shall be filed in accordance with the Commission's "Rules of Practice" in 10 CFR Part 2. If a request for a hearing or petition for leave to intervene is filed within the time prescribed in this notice, the Commission will issue a notice of hearing or an appropriate order. In accordance with 10 CFR 2.714, a petition for leave to intervene which is not timely filed will be dismissed unless the petitioner shows good cause for failure to file it on time.

For further details with respect to the matter under consideration, see (1) Jersey Central's application for license amendment dated December 31, 1970, and supplement thereto dated January 26, 1971, and as they become available, (2) the report of the Advisory Committee on Reactor Safeguards on the application for license amendment, (3) the proposed license amendment, (4) the proposed changes to the Technical Specifications incorporated in the proposed license

amendment, and (5) the safety evaluation prepared by the Division of Reactor Licensing, which will be available for public inspection at the Commission's Public Document Room, 1717 H Street, N. W., Washington, D. C. Copies of items (2), (3) and (5) may be obtained when available upon request sent to the Atomic Energy Commission, Washington, D. C. 20545, Attention: Director, Division of Reactor Licensing.

Dated at Bethesda, Maryland, this 3rd day of June 1971.

FOR THE ATOMIC ENERGY COMMISSION



Peter A. Morris, Director
Division of Reactor Licensing