

UNITED STATES **NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION** WASHINGTON, D. C. 20555

April 16, 1984

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Dear Mr. Dixon:

Issuance of Amendment No. 22 to Facility Operating Subject:

License NPF-12 Virgil C. Summer Nuclear Station,

Unit No. 1

The Nuclear Regulatory Commission has issued Amendment No. 22 to Facility Operating License NPF-12 for the Virgil C. Summer Nuclear Station, Unit No. 1 located in Fairfield County, South Carolina. This amendment is in response to your letter dated July 22, 1983.

The amendment changes the Technical Specifications regarding containment structural integrity to correct the values listed for the hoop tendons and substitute some tendons for those already listed for surveillance.

A copy of the related safety evaluation supporting Amendment No. 22 to Facility Operating License NPF-12 is enclosed.

Sincerely,

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Enclosures:

1. Amendment No. 22

Safety Evaluation

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AMENDMENT NO. 22 TO FACILITY OPERATING LICENSE NO. NPF-12 - Virgil C. Summer Unit 1

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SOUTH CAROLINA ELECTRIC & GAS COMPANY

SOUTH CAROLINA PUBLIC SERVICE AUTHORITY

DOCKET NO. 50-395

VIRGIL C. SUMMER NUCLEAR STATION, UNIT NO. 1

AMENDMENT TO FACILITY OPERATING LICENSE

Amendment No. 22 License No. NPF-12

- 1. The Nuclear Regulatory Commission (the Commission) has found that:
 - A. The application for amendment to the Virgil C. Summer Nuclear Station, Unit No. 1 (the facility) Facility Operating License No. NPF-12 filed by the South Carolina Electric & Gas Company acting for itself and South Carolina Public Service Authority (the licensees), dated July 22, 1983, complies with the standards and requirements of the Atomic Energy Act of 1954, as amended (the Act) and the Commission's regulations as set forth in 10 CFR Chapter I;
 - B. The facility will operate in conformity with the application, as amended, the provisions of the Act, and the 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 set forth in 10 CFR Chapter I;
 - D. The issuance of this license amendment will not be inimical to the common defense and security or to the health and safety of the public;
 - E. The issuance of this license amendment is in accordance with 10 CFR Part 51 of the Commission's regulations and all applicable requirements have been satisfied.
- Accordingly, the license is hereby amended by page changes to the Technical Specifications as indicated in the attachments to this license amendment and paragraph 2.C(2) of Facility Operating License No. NPF-12 is hereby amended to read as follows:
 - (2) <u>Technical Specifications</u>

The Technical Specifications contained in Appendix A, as revised through Amendment No. 22, are hereby incorporated into this license. South Carolina Electric & Gas Company shall operate the facility in accordance with the Technical Specifications and the Environmental Protection Plan.

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

FOR THE NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

Elinor G. Adensam, Chief Licensing Branch No. 4

Division of Licensing

Enclosure:

Technical Specification Changes

Date of Issuance: April 16, 1984

ATTACHMENT TO LICENSE AMENDMENT NO. 22

FACILITY OPERATING LICENSE NO. NPF-12

DOCKET NO. 50-395

Replace the following pages of the Appendix "A" Technical Specifications with the enclosed pages. The revised pages are identified by Amendment number and contain vertical lines indicating the area of change.

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Table 4.6-1a. Base value of tendon force

SURVEILLANCE TENDONS INSPECTION PERIOD									
Tendon	Base value (kips)	Tendon	Base value (kips)	Tendon	Base value (kips)				
D-104	1275	D-125	1230	D-108	1287				
D-129	1245	D-213	1228	D-121	1225				
D-219	1265	D-228	1275	D-213	1223				
D-328	1287	D-324	1273	D-316	1284				
V-23	1328	V-23	1319	V-23	1313				
V-46	1309	V-30	1287	V-37	1299				
V-67	1332	V-53	1316	V-60	1294				
V-92	1299	V-76	1315	V-83	1314				
V-115	1322	V-99	1309	V-106	1296				
3AC	1318	3AC	1309	3AC	1303				
8BA	1266	13BA	1278	8CB	1249				
13CB	1283	18CB	1259	18BA	1249				
28CB	1260	28BA	1259	28AC	1259				
38AC	1250	33CB	1278	33BA	1272				
38BA	1250	41AC	1268	38CB	1226				

Table 4.6-1b. Base value of tendon force

ADJACENT TENDONS									
INSPECTION PERIOD									
	1		2		3				
Tendon	Base value (kips)	Tendon	Base value (kips)	Tendon	Base value (kips)				
D-103	1245	D-124	1284	D-107	1241				
D-105	1250	0-126	1262	D-109	1222				
D-128	1296	D-212	1300	D-120	1284				
D-130	1267	D-214	1252	D-122	1264				
D-218 D-220	1296 1299	D-227	1270 1235	D-212 D-214	1294 1248				
D-327	1299 1244	D-229 D-323	1235	D-315	1248 1266				
D-327	1237	D-325 D-325	1227	D-315 D-317	1233				
V-22	1306	V-22	1300	V-22	1295				
V-24	1320	V-24	1317	V-22 V-24	1313				
V-24 V-45	1308	V-24 V-29	1301	V-24 V-36	1284				
V-45 V-47	1308	V-23 V-31	1301	V-38	1293				
V-66	1309	V 51 V-52	1316	V-59	1308				
V-68	1309	V-54	1298	V-61	1309				
V-91	1309	V-75	1304	V-82	1297				
V-93	1327	V-77	1313	V-84	1311				
V-114	1313	V-98	1280	V-105	1297				
V-1	1320	V-100	1300	V-107	1307				
2AC	1272	2AC	1265	2AC	1260				
4AC	1255	4AC	1248	4AC	1242				
7BA	1318	12BA	1262	7CB	1298				
9BA	1286	14BA	1259	9CB	1275				
12CB	1279	17CB	1268	17BA	1256				
14CB	1266	19CB	1282	19BA	1284				
27CB	1273	27BA	1285	27AC	1291				
29CB	1276	29BA	1268	29AC	1250				
37AC	1278	32CB	1256	32BA	1253				
39AC	1290	34CB	1229	34BA	1249				
37BA	1289	40AC	1272	37CB	1272				
39BA	1266	42AC	1251	39CB	1286				

Table 4.6-2. Normalizing factors (N.F.)

INSPECTION PERIOD									
	1		2		3				
Tendon	N.F. (kips)	Tendon	N.F. (kips)	Tendon	N.F. (kips)				
D-104 D-129 D-219 D-328 V-23 V-46 V-67 V-92 V-115 3AC 8BA 13CB 28CB 38AC 38BA	-24 33 10 -21 -15 11 -21 25 -10 -56 18 -23 26 40 40	D-125 D-213 D-228 D-324 V-23 V-30 V-53 V-76 V-99 3AC 13BA 18CB 28BA 33CB 41AC	36 46 -28 -12 -15 31 -24 -11 5 -56 -26 29 17 -17 0	D-108 D-121 D-213 D-316 V-23 V-37 V-60 V-83 V-106 3AC 8CB 18BA 28AC 33BA 38CB	-42 40 46 -31 -15 -5 11 -15 7 -56 26 34 10 -16 54				

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UNITED STATES NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION WASHINGTON, D. C. 20555

SAFETY EVALUATION BY THE OFFICE OF NUCLEAR REACTOR REGULATION

RELATED TO AMENDMENT NO. 22 TO FACILITY OPERATING LICENSE NPF-12

SOUTH CAROLINA ELECTRIC & GAS COMPANY

SOUTH CAROLINA PUBLIC SERVICE AUTHORITY

I. INTRODUCTION

By letter dated July 22, 1983, South Carolina Electric and Gas Company (SCE&G) proposed changes to Virgil C. Summer Technical Specification Tables 4.6-la, 4.6-lb, and 4.6-2 regarding containment structural integrity. The changes would correct the values listed for the hoop tendons and substitute some tendons for those already listed for surveillance. Additional information related to this request was provided by SCE&G by letter dated December 19, 1983, however, the request itself remained unchanged.

II. EVALUATION

There was an error made in calculations for the predicted hoop tendon base values. The error involved incorrect recording of the ultimate specific creep constant. This caused the base value for each hoop tendon to be from 0 to 7 kips (<1%) too high. Of the tendon surveillance substitutions requested, tendons D-219 (listed twice) and 36AC would be changed in order to make the surveillance more random, because they were checked during the first surveillance conducted prior to startup. Tendon D-312 would be changed because of a physical interference problem which makes inspection impossible.

The staff has reviewed the requested changes and finds that the changes will not affect the existing design requirements for containment structural integrity committed to by SCE&G in their Final Safety Analysis Report. Therefore, the staff concludes that the requested changes to Technical Specification Tables 4.6-1a, 4.6-1b, and 4.6-2 are acceptable.

III. ENVIRONMENTAL CONSIDERATION

We have determined that the amendment does not authorize a change in effluent types or total amounts nor an increase in power level and will not result in any significant environmental impact. Having made this determination, we have further concluded that the amendment involves an action which is insignificant from the standpoint of environmental impact and, pursuant to $10 \ \text{CFR} \ \S 51.5(d)(4)$, that an environmental impact statement or negative declaration and environmental impact appraisal need not be prepared in connection with the issuance of this amendment.

IV. CONCLUSION

The Commission made a proposed determination that the amendment involves no significant hazards consideration which was published in the Federal Register (49 FR 50638) on November 2, 1983, and consulted with the state of South Carolina. No public comments were received, and the state of South Carolina did not have any comments.

We have 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 or to the health and safety of the public.

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Dated: April 16, 1984