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Gentlemen:

The Commission has filed the enclosed "Notice of Proposed Issuance of Amendments to Facility Operating Licenses" with the Office of the Federal Register for publication. This notice relates to your requests of March 12 and April 15, 1975 to the Surry Power Station Technical Specifications to modify operating limits based on an evaluation of ECCS performance calculated in accordance with an acceptable evaluation model that meets 10 CFR Part 50.46; in addition, to the replacement of 84 of 157 fuel assemblies in the core of Surry Unit 2 constituting refueling of the core for second cycle operation.

Sincerely,

Original signed by:
Robert A. Purple

Robert A. Purple, Chief
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Enclosure:
Federal Register Notice

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UNITED STATES NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

DOCKET NOS. 50-280 AND 50-281

VIRGINIA ELECTRIC AND POWER COMPANY

NOTICE OF PROPOSED ISSUANCE OF AMENDMENTS
TO FACILITY OPERATING LICENSES

The Nuclear Regulatory Commission (the Commission) is considering the issuance of amendments to Facility Operating Licenses Nos. DPR-32 and DPR-37 issued to Virginia Electric and Power Company (the licensee) for operation of the Surry Power Station Units 1 and 2 pressurized water reactors located in Surry County, Virginia.

The amendments would revise provisions in the Technical Specifications in accordance with the licensee's application for license amendments dated April 15, 1975. The amendments would modify operating limits in the Technical Specifications based upon an evaluation model that conforms to the requirements of the Commission's regulations in 10 CFR Part 50, §50.46. The amendments would modify various limits established in accordance with the Commission's Interim Acceptance Criteria and would, with respect to Surry Power Station Units 1 and 2, terminate the further restrictions imposed by the Commission's December 27, 1974 Order for Modification of License and would impose instead limitations established in accordance with the Commission's Acceptance Criteria for Emergency Core Cooling Systems for Light Water Nuclear Power Reactors, 10 CFR Part 50, §50.46.

In addition, the amendments would revise provisions in the Technical Specifications in accordance with the licensee's application for license amendments dated March 12, 1975, related to the replacement of 84 of 157 fuel assemblies in the core of Surry Power Station Unit 2 constituting refueling of the core for second cycle operation.

Prior to issuance of the proposed license amendments, the Commission will have made the findings required by the Atomic Energy Act of 1954, as amended (the Act), and the Commission's rules and regulations.

By _____ the licensee may file a request for a hearing and any person whose interest may be affected by this proceeding may file a request for a hearing in the form of a petition for leave to intervene with respect to the issuance of the amendments to the subject facility operating licenses. Petitions for leave to intervene must be filed under oath or affirmation in accordance with the provisions of Section 2.714 of 10 CFR Part 2 of the Commission's regulations. A petition for leave to intervene must set forth the interest of the petitioner in the proceeding, how that interest may be affected by the results of the proceeding, and the petitioner's contentions with respect to the proposed licensing action. Such petitions must be filed in accordance with the provisions of this FEDERAL REGISTER notice and Section 2.714 and must be filed with the Secretary of the Commission, U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, Washington, D.C. 20555, Attention: Docketing and Service Section, by the above date. A copy of the petition and/or request for a hearing should be sent to the Executive Legal Director, U.S. Nuclear Regulatory

Commission, Washington, D.C. 20555, and to Michael W. Maupin, Esquire, Hunton, Williams, Gay and Gibson, Post Office Box 1535, Richmond, Virginia 23213, the attorney for the licensee.

A petition for leave to intervene must be accompanied by a supporting affidavit which identifies the specific aspect or aspects of the proceeding as to which intervention is desired and specifies with particularity the facts on which the petitioner relies as to both his interest and his contentions with regard to each aspect on which intervention is requested. Petitions stating contentions relating only to matters outside the Commission's jurisdiction will be denied.

All petitions will be acted upon by the Commission or licensing board, designated by the Commission, or by the Chairman of the Atomic Safety and Licensing Board Panel. Timely petitions will be considered to determine whether a hearing should be noticed or another appropriate order issued regarding the disposition of the petitions.

In the event that a hearing is held and a person is permitted to intervene, he becomes a party to the proceeding and has a right to participate fully in the conduct of the hearing. For example, he may present evidence and examine and cross-examine witnesses.

For further details with respect to this action, see (1) the application for amendments dated April 15 and March 12, 1975, (2) supplemental information dated March 26, 1975, (3) the Commission's Order for Modification of License and the documents referred to in the order dated December 27, 1974 [published in the FEDERAL REGISTER on January 9, 1975

(40 FR 1779)], and (4) notice and document referenced therein on related matters published in the FEDERAL REGISTER on November 20, 1974 (39 FR 40810), relating to the refueling of Surry Unit 1 for second cycle operation, which are available for public inspection at the Commission's Public Document Room, 1717 H Street, NW., Washington, D.C. and at the Swem Library, College of William and Mary, Williamsburg, Virginia 23185. The license amendments and the Safety Evaluation, when issued, may be inspected at the above locations, and a copy may be obtained upon request addressed to the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, Washington, D.C. 20555, Attention: Director, Division of Reactor Licensing.

Dated at Bethesda, Maryland, this **APR 24 1975**

FOR THE NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

Original signed by:
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Robert A. Purple, Chief
Operating Reactors Branch #1
Division of Reactor Licensing

PRELIMINARY DETERMINATION

NOTICING OF PROPOSED LICENSING AMENDMENT

Licensee: Virginia Electric & Power Company - Surry 1 and 2

Request for: The amendments to revise the Tech Specs in relation to the
replacement of 84 of 157 fuel assemblies in the reactor core,
constituting refueling of the core for second cycle operation
of Unit 2.

Request Date: March 12, 1975

- Proposed Action: (x) Pre-notice Recommended
- () Post-notice Recommended
- () Determination delayed pending completion of Safety Evaluation

Basis for Decision: This reload will be included as part of the pre-notice to
be issued for the ECCS FAC reevaluation due from the licensee
on April 15 as required by our December 27, 1974 Appendix K
Order.

CONCURRENCES:

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