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Trojan ISFSI/Nuclear Plant
Docket 72-17/50-344
License No. SNM-2509/NPF-1

Director, Division of Industrial and Medical Nuclear Safety
Office of Nuclear Material Safety and Safeguards
U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
Washington, D.C. 20555

License Change Application (LCA) 72-02
Changes to Trojan ISFSI License No. SNM-2509

This letter transmits LCA 72-02 in Enclosure 1 requesting amendment of Trojan ISFSI License No. SNM-2509 and the Trojan ISFSI Technical Specifications, Appendix A to License No. SNM-2509, to reflect a change in supplier to Holtec International for portions of the Trojan ISFSI. The license amendment request is supported by proposed changes to the Trojan ISFSI Safety Analysis Report (SAR) in Enclosure 2, related calculations in Enclosure 4, and related drawings in Enclosure 5. The documents in Enclosures 4 and 5 are proprietary, and affidavits requesting their withholding from public disclosure are provided in Enclosure 3 in accordance with 10 CFR 2.790. Fifteen additional copies of this license amendment request are provided in accordance with 10 CFR 72.16(c).

This license amendment request conforms to the standards of 10 CFR 72.46(b)(2) for a determination that the proposed amendment does not present a genuine issue as to whether the health and safety of the public will be significantly affected. In support of this determination, Enclosure 1 provides a description of the proposed changes, the reason for the changes, an evaluation of the proposed changes, and an environmental

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impact consideration. Also included in Enclosure 1 is a copy of the affected Trojan ISFSI License, Technical Specifications, and Technical Specifications Bases pages with the changes annotated.

This submittal also closes two commitments to the Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC). First, by letter VPN-066-99, dated July 20, 1999, Portland General Electric Company (PGE) documented a commitment to submit a license amendment request reflecting a revision to the SAR that addresses less than 100 percent coating of the PWR Basket carbon steel internals and the associated potential for hydrogen generation. With the change in supplier, the PWR Basket is replaced with a Multi-Purpose Canister (MPC), the internals of which are constructed of austenitic stainless steel, which is not coated. The MPC uses passivated Boral as a neutron absorber, which also is not coated. This license amendment request reflects use of the MPC and includes in a new Section 4.8 of the SAR an evaluation in accordance with Interim Staff Guidance (ISG) 15, "Materials Evaluation." Second, an NRC letter from Thomas P. Gwynn to Stephen M. Quennoz, dated February 29, 2000, documented a commitment by PGE to submit a license amendment request for the use of an overpack associated with a PWR Basket as a confinement boundary to permanently store spent fuel. With the change in supplier, the PWR Basket is replaced with an MPC, which does not require the use of an overpack. This license amendment request reflects deletion of the overpack.

As committed in Letter VPN-013-2001, dated April 4, 2001, movement of the spent fuel to the ISFSI remains on hold until NRC approval of the changes in this license amendment request is received. If you have any questions regarding this correspondence, please contact Mr. Lansing G. Dusek of my staff at (503) 556-7409.

I state under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

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