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The Commission has requested the Office of the Federal Register to publish the enclosed Notice of Proposed Issuance of Amendment to Facility Operating License for the Turkey Point Nuclear Generating Unit No. 3. The proposed amendment relates to the installation of 18 fuel assembly storage racks in the spent fuel storage pool as requested in your application dated July 30, 1976.

Sincerely,

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George Lear, Chief
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Enclosure:
Federal Register Notice

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UNITED STATES NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

DOCKET NO. 50-250

FLORIDA POWER AND LIGHT COMPANY

NOTICE OF PROPOSED ISSUANCE OF AMENDMENT

TO FACILITY OPERATING LICENSE

The U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (the Commission) is considering issuance of an amendment to Facility Operating License No. DPR-31 issued to Florida Power and Light Company (the licensee) for operation of the Turkey Point Nuclear Generating Unit No. 3, located near Dade County, Florida.

In accordance with the licensee's application for license amendment dated July 30, 1976, the proposed amendment would allow the installation of temporary fuel storage racks within the Turkey Point Nuclear Generating Unit No. 3 spent fuel storage pool. The installation of these racks would increase the spent fuel storage pool capacity from 217 to 235 fuel assemblies. The temporary racks are expected to be needed for a period of less than one year.

Prior to issuance of the proposed license amendment, 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 September 20, 1976, 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 amendment to the subject facility operating license. 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 Mr. Jack R. Newman, Esquire, Lowenstein, Newman, Reis & Axelrad, 1025 Connecticut Avenue, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20036, 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 the application for amendment dated July 30, 1976, which is available for public inspection at the Commission's Public Document Room, 1717 H Street, N.W., Washington, D.C. and at the Environmental & Urban Affairs Library, Florida International University, Miami, Florida 33199. The license amendment 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 Operating Reactors..

Dated at Bethesda, Maryland, this 16 day of August 1976.

FOR THE NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION



George Lear, Chief
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Division of Operating Reactors