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Docket Nos. 50-321
and 50-366

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Dear Mr. Whitmer:

The Commission has issued the enclosed Amendment Nos. 64 and 5 to Facility Operating License Nos. DPR-57 and NPF-5 for the Edwin I. Hatch Nuclear Plant, Unit Nos. 1 and 2 in response to your submittal of November 18, 1977, as revised May 9, 1978 and January 12, 1979.

The amendments modify License Nos. DPR-57 and NPF-5 to incorporate the Edwin I. Hatch Nuclear Plant Units 1 and 2 Physical Security Plan which was effective February 23, 1979.

We have completed our review and evaluation of your physical security plan and have concluded that the physical security plan for your facility, when fully implemented, will provide the protection needed to meet the general performance requirements of 10 CFR 73.55(a) and the objectives of the specific requirements of 10 CFR 73.55, paragraphs (b) through (h), without impairing your ability to safely operate your facility. We therefore further conclude that the plan is acceptable.

The enclosed Security Plan Evaluation Report (SPER) represents our evaluation and acceptance of your physical security plan. The SPER is being withheld from public disclosure pursuant to 10 CFR 2.790(d).

Changes which would not decrease the effectiveness of your approved security plan may be made without approval by the Commission pursuant to the authority of 10 CFR 50.54(p). A report containing a description of each change shall be furnished to the Director, Office of Nuclear Reactor Regulation, U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, Washington, D. C. 20555, with a copy to the appropriate NRC Regional Office within

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two months after the change is made. Records of changes made without Commission approval shall be maintained for a period of two years from the date of the change.

These amendments apply to the physical security plan and therefore do 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 these amendments involve an action which is insignificant from the standpoint of environmental impact and pursuant to 10 CFR §51.5(d)(4) an environmental impact statement or negative declaration and environmental impact appraisal need not be prepared in connection with the issuance of these amendments.

Since these amendments apply to the physical security plan, they do not involve significant new safety information of a type not considered by a previous Commission safety review of the facility. They do not involve a significant increase in the probability or consequences of an accident, do not involve a significant decrease in a safety margin, and therefore do not involve a significant hazards consideration. We have also concluded that there is reasonable assurance that the health and safety of the public will not be endangered by this action and that the issuance of these amendments will not be inimical to the common defense and security or to the health and safety of the public.

A copy of the Notice of Issuance is also enclosed.

Sincerely,

Original signed by

Thomas A. Ippolito, Chief
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Division of Operating Reactors

Enclosures:

1. Amendment Nos. 4 and 5 to DPR-57 and NPF-5
2. Security Plan Evaluation Report (PROP.)
3. Notice

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GEORGIA POWER COMPANY
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MUNICIPAL ELECTRIC AUTHORITY OF GEORGIA, AND
CITY OF DALTON, GEORGIA

DOCKET NO. 50-321

EDWIN I. HATCH NUCLEAR PLANT
UNIT NO. 1

AMENDMENT TO FACILITY OPERATING LICENSE

Amendment No. 64
License No. DPR-57

1. The Nuclear Regulatory Commission (the Commission) has found that:
 - A. The filing by Georgia Power Company, et al., (the licensee) dated November 18, 1977, as revised by Revision No. 1 dated May 9, 1978 and Revision No. 2 dated January 12, 1979, complies with the standards and requirements of the Atomic Energy Act of 1954, as amended (the Act), and the Commission's rules and regulations set forth in 10 CFR Chapter I;
 - B. The facility will operate in conformity with the licensee's filings, the provisions of the act, and the rules and 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;
 - D. The issuance of this amendment will not be inimical to the common defense and security or to the health and safety of the public; and
 - E. The issuance of this amendment is in accordance with 10 CFR Part 51 of the Commission's regulations and all applicable requirements have been satisfied.

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2. Accordingly, Facility Operating License No. DPR-57 is hereby amended by adding Section 2.C.(4) to read as follows:

2.C.(4) Security Plan

The licensee shall maintain in effect and fully implement all provisions of the Commission-approved physical security plan, including amendments and changes made pursuant to the authority of 10 CFR 50.54(p). The approved security plan consists of documents withheld from public disclosure pursuant to 10 CFR 2.790(d) referred to as Edwin I. Hatch Nuclear Plant Unit Nos. 1 and 2, Physical Security Plan, dated November 18, 1977, with Revision No. 1 dated May 9, 1978 and Revision No. 2 dated January 12, 1979.

3. This license amendment becomes effective on February 23, 1979.

FOR THE NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION



Thomas A. Ippolito, Chief
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Date of Issuance: February 26, 1979



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DOCKET NO. 50-366

EDWIN I. HATCH NUCLEAR PLANT, UNIT NO. 2

AMENDMENT TO FACILITY OPERATING LICENSE

Amendment No. 5
License No. NPF-5

1. The Nuclear Regulatory Commission (the Commission) has found that:
 - A. The filing by Georgia Power Company, et al., (the licensee) dated November 18, 1977, as revised by Revision No. 1 dated May 9, 1978 and Revision No. 2 dated January 12, 1979, complies with the standards and requirements of the Atomic Energy Act of 1954, as amended (the Act), and the Commission's rules and regulations set forth in 10 CFR Chapter I;
 - B. The facility will operate in conformity with the licensee's filings, the provisions of the act, and the rules and 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;
 - D. The issuance of this amendment will not be inimical to the common defense and security or to the health and safety of the public; and
 - E. The issuance of this amendment is in accordance with 10 CFR Part 51 of the Commission's regulations and all applicable requirements have been satisfied.
2. Accordingly, Facility Operating License No. NPF-5 is hereby amended by changing paragraph 2.D to read as follows:

- 2.D. The licensee shall maintain in effect and fully implement all provisions of the Commission-approved physical security plan, including amendments and changes made pursuant to the authority of 10 CFR 50.54(p). The approved security plan consists of documents withheld from public disclosure pursuant to 10 CFR 2.790(d) referred to as Edwin I. Hatch Nuclear Plant Units Nos. 1 and 2 Physical Security Plan dated November 18, 1977, with Revision No. 1 dated May 9, 1978 and Revision No. 2 dated January 12, 1979.
3. This license amendment becomes effective on February 23, 1978.

FOR THE NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION


Thomas A. Ippolito, Chief
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UNITED STATES NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSIONDOCKET NOS. 50-321 AND 50-366GEORGIA POWER COMPANY, ET AL.NOTICE OF ISSUANCE OF AMENDMENTS TO FACILITY
OPERATING LICENSES

The U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (the Commission) has issued Amendment Nos. 64 and 5 to Facility Operating License Nos. DPR-57 and NPF-5, issued to Georgia Power Company, Oglethorpe Electric Membership Corporation, Municipal Electric Authority of Georgia and City of Dalton, Georgia (the licensee), which revised the licenses for operation of the Edwin I. Hatch Nuclear Plant, Units Nos. 1 and 2 (the facility), located in Appling County, Georgia. The amendments become effective on February 23, 1979.

The amendments add a condition in License No. DPR-57 and modify License No. NPF-5 to include the Commission-approved physical security plan as part of the license.

The licensee's filings comply with the standards and requirements of the Atomic Energy Act of 1954, as amended (the Act), and the Commission's rules and regulations. The Commission has made appropriate findings as required by the Act and the Commission's rules and regulations in 10 CFR Chapter I, which are set forth in the license amendments. Prior public notice of these amendments was not required since the amendments do not involve a significant hazards consideration.

The Commission has determined that the issuance of these amendments will not result in any significant environmental impact and that pursuant to 10 CFR 51.5(d)(4) an environmental impact statement or negative declaration and environmental impact appraisal need not be prepared in connection with issuance of these amendments.

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The licensee's filing dated November 18, 1977, revised May 9, 1978, and January 12, 1979, and the Commission's Security Plan Evaluation Report are being withheld from public disclosure pursuant to 10 CFR 2.790(d). The withheld information is subject to disclosure in accordance with the provisions of 10 CFR 89.12.

For further details with respect to this action, see (1) Amendment Nos. 64 and 5 to License No. DPR-57 and NPF-5 and (2) the Commission's related letter to the licensee dated February 26, 1979. These items are available for public inspection at the Commission's Public Document Room, 1717 H Street, N. W., Washington, D. C. and at the Appling County Public Library, Parker Street, Baxley, Georgia. A copy of items (1) and (2) 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 26 day of February 1979.

FOR THE NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION


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