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Docket No. 50-261

Mr. J. A. Jones, Vice Chairman
Carolina Power and Light Company
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Dear Mr. Jones:

The Commission has issued the enclosed Amendment No. 72 to Facility Operating License No. DPR-23 for the H. B. Robinson Steam Electric Plant, Unit No. 2. The amendment extends until September 13, 1982 the implementation date of revisions to the Technical Specifications required by Amendment No. 70 to Facility Operating License No. DPR-23 dated June 28, 1982. These Technical Specifications pertain to corporate and plant organizational structures. This amendment is in response to your application transmitted by letter dated August 6, 1982.

Copies of the Safety Evaluation and the Notice of Issuance are also enclosed.

Sincerely,

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Enclosures:

1. Amendment No. 72 to DPR-23
2. Safety Evaluation
3. Notice of Issuance

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CAROLINA POWER AND LIGHT COMPANY

DOCKET NO. 50-261

H. B. ROBINSON STEAM ELECTRIC PLANT, UNIT NO. 2

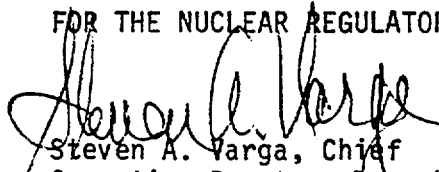
AMENDMENT TO FACILITY OPERATING LICENSE

Amendment No. 72
License No. DPR-23

1. The Nuclear Regulatory Commission (the Commission) has found that:
 - A. The application for amendment by Carolina Power and Light Company (the licensee) dated August 6, 1982, 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 application, 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, the license is amended by extending the implementation date for changes to the Technical Specifications that were required by Amendment No. 70 to Facility Operating License No. DPR-23 dated June 28, 1982, from August 12, 1982 until September 13, 1982.
3. This license amendment is effective as of the date of its issuance.

FOR THE NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION


Steven A. Varga, Chief
Operating Reactors Branch #1
Division of Licensing

Attachment:
Changes to the Technical
Specifications

Date of Issuance: August 24, 1982



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

SAFETY EVALUATION BY THE OFFICE OF NUCLEAR REACTOR REGULATION
RELATED TO AMENDMENT NO. 72 TO FACILITY OPERATING LICENSE NO. DPR-23
CAROLINA POWER AND LIGHT COMPANY
H. B. ROBINSON STEAM ELECTRIC PLANT, UNIT NO. 2
DOCKET NO. 50-261

By letter dated June 28, 1982 we issued Amendment No. 70 to Facility Operating License No. DPR-23 for the H. B. Robinson Steam Electric Plant, Unit No. 2. The effective date of Amendment No. 70 was 45 days from the date of issuance, i.e., August 12, 1982.

In a letter dated August 6, 1982, Carolina Power and Light Company (the licensee) requested an extension of the implementation date of Amendment No. 70 from August 12, 1982 to September 13, 1982. The licensee's justification for this request was that the plant staff would be unable to effectively complete and review all of the administrative changes and training necessary to implement Amendment No. 70 within the allotted 45 days. This problem was due, in part, to the fact that the current refueling outage has extended approximately one month longer than scheduled and plant staff have been occupied with the completion of actions required for start up.

We have reviewed the licensee's request and find that it is administrative in nature and justified. Therefore we approve an extension of the implementation date of the Technical Specifications required by Amendment No. 70 until September 13, 1982.

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 CFR §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.

Conclusion

We have concluded, based on the considerations discussed above, that: (1) because the amendment does not involve a significant increase in the probability or consequences of an accident previously evaluated, does not create the possibility of an accident of a type different from any evaluated previously, and does not involve a significant reduction in a margin of safety, the amendment does not involve a significant hazards consideration, (2) there is reasonable assurance that the health and safety of the public will not be endangered by operation in the proposed manner, and (3) 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.

Date: August 24, 1982

Principal Contributor:
W. Ross

UNITED STATES NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSIONDOCKET NO. 50-261CAROLINA POWER AND LIGHT COMPANYNOTICE OF ISSUANCE OF AMENDMENT TO FACILITY
OPERATING LICENSE

The U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (the Commission) has issued Amendment No. 72 to Facility Operating License No. DPR-23 issued to Carolina Power and Light Company (the licensee), which revised the license for operation of the H. B. Robinson Steam Electric Plant, Unit No. 2 (the facility) located in Darlington County, South Carolina. The amendment is effective as of the date of issuance.

The amendment extends (from August 12, 1982 until September 13, 1982) the implementation date of Technical Specifications that were required by Amendment No. 70 which modify corporate and plant organizational structures.

The application for the amendment complies 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 amendment. Prior public notice of this amendment was not required since this amendment does not involve a significant hazards consideration.

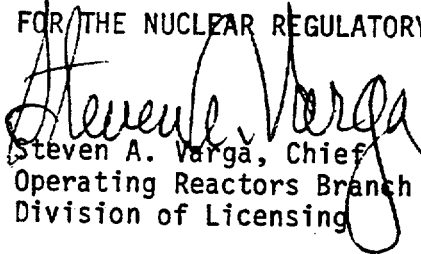
The Commission has determined that the issuance of this amendment will not result in any significant environmental impact and that pursuant to 10 CFR §51.5(d)(4) an environmental impact statement or negative declaration and environmental impact appraisal need not be prepared in connection with issuance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

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For further details with respect to this action, see (1) the application for amendment dated August 6, 1982, (2) Amendment No. 72 to License No. DPR-23, and (3) the Commission's related Safety Evaluation. All of 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 Hartsville Memorial Library, Home and Fifth Avenues, Hartsville, South Carolina 29550. A copy of items (2) and (3) may be obtained upon request addressed to the U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, Washington, D.C. 20555, Attention: Director, Division of Licensing.

Dated at Bethesda, Maryland, this 24th day of August, 1982.

FOR THE NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION


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Division of Licensing