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Gentlemen:

The Commission has filed the enclosed "Notice of Proposed Issuance of Amendment to Facility Operating License" with the Office of the Federal Register for publication. This notice relates to your request dated December 10, 1976, for the Kewaunee Nuclear Power Plant which would increase the total peaking factor.

The amendment would increase the total peaking factor, Fq, from 2.11 to 2.25 as a result of a reanalysis of the ECCS assuming a reactor vessel upper head fluid temperature equal to the hot leg temperature in accordance with the "Order for Modification of License" issued on August 27, 1976.

Sincerely.

Original signed by

A. Schwencer, Chief Operating Reactors Branch #1 Division of Operating Reactors

Enclosure: Federal Register Notice

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## UNITED STATES NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

DOCKET NO. 50-305

## WISCONSIN PUBLIC SERVICE CORPORATION WISCONSIN POWER AND LIGHT COMPANY MADISON GAS AND ELECTRIC 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-43, issued to Wisconsin Public Service Corporation, Wisconsin Power and Light Company and Madison Gas and Electric Company (the licensee), for operation of the Kewaunee Nuclear Power Plant located in Kewaunee, Wisconsin.

The amendment would increase the total peaking factor, Fq, from 2.11 to 2.25 as a result of a reanalysis of the ECCS assuming a reactor vessel upper head fluid temperature equal to the hot leg temperature in accordance with the "Order for Modification of License" issued on August 27, 1976.

By February 16, 1977, 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 Steven E. Keane, Esquire, Foley, Sammond and Lardner, 735 North Water Street, Milwaukee, Wisconsin 53202, 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 December 10, 1976, which is available for public inspection at the Commission's Public Document Room, 1717 H Street, NW., Washington, D.C. and at the Kewaunee Public Library, 314 Milwaukee Street, Kewaunee, Wisconsin 20555.

Dated at Bethesda, Maryland, this 10th day of January 1977.

FOR THE NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

A. Schwencer, Chief

Operating Reactors Branch #1 Division of Operating Reactors