

February 13, 1998

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SUBJECT: AMENDMENT NO. 120 TO FACILITY OPERATING LICENSE NO. NPF-30 -  
CALLAWAY PLANT, UNIT 1 (TAC NO. M94850)

Dear Mr. Randolph:

The Commission has issued the enclosed Amendment No.120 to Facility Operating License No. NPF-30 for the Callaway Plant, Unit 1. The amendment consists of a change to the operating license in response to your application dated February 23, 1996, as supplemented by submittals dated April 24, 1996, and November 15, 1996.

The amendment revises the Callaway Plant, Unit 1 Facility Operating License by adding a footnote to reflect that Union Electric Company (UEC) is a wholly-owned operating subsidiary of Ameren Corporation as a result of the merger between UEC and CIPSCO Incorporated. An order under 10 CFR 50.80 approving the indirect transfer of the license as effected by the merger was issued by the NRC on October 16, 1997.

A copy of the Safety Evaluation is also enclosed. The Notice of Issuance will be included in the Commission's next biweekly Federal Register notice.

Sincerely,

Original Signed By

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Docket No. 50-483

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NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION  
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UNION ELECTRIC COMPANY

CALLAWAY PLANT, UNIT 1

DOCKET NO. 50-483

AMENDMENT TO FACILITY OPERATING LICENSE

Amendment No. 120  
License No. NPF-30

1. The Nuclear Regulatory Commission (the Commission) has found that:
  - A. The application for amendment by Union Electric Company (UE, the licensee) dated February 23, 1996, as supplemented by submittals dated April 24, 1996, and November 15, 1996, complies with the standards and requirements of the Atomic Energy Act of 1954, as amended (the Act) and the Commission's 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.

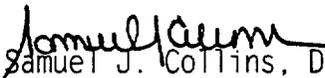
2. Accordingly, by Amendment No. 120, the license is amended by the addition of a footnote that reflects UEC as a wholly-owned operating subsidiary of Ameren Corporation as of the closing of the merger between UEC and CIPSCO Incorporated.<sup>1</sup>

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\*As of the closing of the Merger contemplated by the Agreement and Plan of Merger, by and among Union Electric Company, CIPSCO Incorporated, Ameren Corporation and Arch Merger, Inc., dated August 11, 1995, Union Electric Company is a wholly-owned operating subsidiary of Ameren Corporation.

3. This amendment is effective as of its date of issuance.

FOR THE NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

  
Samuel J. Collins, Director  
Office of Nuclear Reactor Regulation

Attachment: Page 1 of License

Date of Issuance: February 13, 1998

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<sup>1</sup>Page 1 is attached, for convenience, for the composite license to reflect this change.



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UNION ELECTRIC COMPANY

DOCKET NO. STN 50-483

CALLAWAY PLANT UNIT NO. 1

FACILITY OPERATING LICENSE

License No. NPF-30

1. The Nuclear Regulatory Commission (the Commission) has found that:
  - A. The application for license filed by Union Electric Company\* (licensee), complies with the standards and requirements of the Atomic Energy Act of 1954, as amended (the Act), and the Commission's regulations set forth in 10 CFR Chapter I, and all required notifications to other agencies or bodies have been duly made;
  - B. Construction of the Callaway Plant, Unit No. 1 (the facility) has been substantially completed in conformity with Construction Permit No. CPPR-139 and the application, as amended, the provisions of the Act, and the regulations of the Commission;
  - C. The facility will operate in conformity with the application, as amended, the provisions of the Act, and the regulations of the Commission;
  - D. There is reasonable assurance: (i) that the activities authorized by this operating license 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 set forth in 10 CFR Chapter I;
  - E. Union Electric Company is technically qualified to engage in the activities authorized by this license in accordance with the Commission's regulations set forth in 10 CFR Chapter I;
  - F. The licensee has satisfied the applicable provisions of 10 CFR Part 140 "Financial Protection Requirements and Indemnity Agreements," of the Commission's regulations;
  - G. The issuance of this license will not be inimical to the common defense and security or to the health and safety of the public;

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\*As of the closing of the Merger contemplated by the Agreement and Plan of Merger, by and among Union Electric Company, CIPSCO Incorporated, Ameren Corporation and Arch Merger, Inc., dated August 11, 1995, Union Electric Company is a wholly-owned operating subsidiary of Ameren Corporation.



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SAFETY EVALUATION BY THE OFFICE OF NUCLEAR REACTOR REGULATION  
RELATED TO AMENDMENT NO. 120 TO FACILITY OPERATING LICENSE NO. NPF-30

UNION ELECTRIC COMPANY

CALLAWAY PLANT, UNIT 1

DOCKET NO. 50-483

1.0 INTRODUCTION

By application dated February 23, 1996, as supplemented by submittals dated April 24, 1996, and November 15, 1996, Union Electric Company (UE), requested an amendment to Facility Operating License No. NPF-30 for the Callaway Plant, Unit 1. The proposed amendment would revise the operating license to reflect Union Electric Company (UEC) as a wholly-owned operating subsidiary of Ameren Corporation as of the closing of the merger between UEC and CIPSCO Incorporated. An order under 10 CFR 50.80 approving the indirect transfer of the license as effected by the merger was issued on October 16, 1997.

The November 15, 1996, supplemental submittal provided only clarifying information and did not change the original no significant hazards consideration determination published in the Federal Register on May 22, 1996 (61 FR 25713).

2.0 EVALUATION

The proposed license amendment would add a footnote to paragraph 1.A of the operating license to reflect UEC as a wholly-owned operating subsidiary of Ameren Corporation as of the closing of the merger between UEC and CIPSCO Incorporated. The staff reviewed the indirect license transfer that would result from the merger, and by Order dated October 16, 1997, approved the transfer of control of the license under 10 CFR 50.80. The staff's safety evaluation dated October 16, 1997, contains the details of the staff's review of the transfer. The amendment requested which will reflect the transfer does not involve any change to the design or operation of the facility, nor to the existing technical specifications. Since all substantive issues relating to the indirect license transfer were addressed in connection with the Order issued under 10 CFR 50.80, the amendment is administrative in nature. By letter dated January 9, 1998, UE informed the NRC that the merger was completed on December 31, 1997. In consideration of the foregoing, the staff finds the amendment acceptable.

### 3.0 STATE CONSULTATION

In accordance with the Commission's regulations, the Missouri State official was notified of the proposed issuance of the amendment. The State official had no comments.

### 4.0 ENVIRONMENTAL CONSIDERATION

Pursuant to 10 CFR 51.21, 51.32, and 51.35, an environmental assessment and finding of no significant impact was published in the Federal Register on November 22, 1996 (61 FR 59469).

Based upon the environmental assessment, the Commission has determined that issuance of this amendment will not have a significant effect on the quality of the human environment.

### 5.0 CONCLUSION

The Commission has concluded, based on the considerations discussed above, that (1) there is reasonable assurance that the health and safety of the public will not be endangered by operation in the proposed manner, (2) such activities will be conducted in compliance with the Commission's regulations, and (3) the issuance of the amendment will not be inimical to the common defense and security or to the health and safety of the public.

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