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NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

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MEMORANDUM FOR: James R. Miller, Chief
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Division of Licensing

FROM: B. J. Youngblood, Chief
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SUBJECT: REQUEST FOR PUBLICATION IN MONTHLY FR NOTICE - NOTICE OF
CONSIDERATION OF ISSUANCE OF AMENDMENT TO FACILITY OPERATING
LICENSE AND PROPOSED NO SIGNIFICANT HAZARDS CONSIDERATION
DETERMINATION AND OPPORTUNITY FOR A HEARING

Union Electric Company, Docket 50-483, Callaway Plant, Unit No. 1, Callaway
County, Missouri

Date of amendment request: December 28, 1984

Description of amendment request: The purpose of the proposed amendment request is to revise License Condition 2.C.(3).(a) of Facility Operating License NPF-30 to incorporate a November 30, 1985 deadline for the environmental qualification of all safety-related electrical equipment. Section 5C.49 (i) of the Commission's Regulations, which is applicable to the Callaway Plant, does not appear to require the March 31, 1985 deadline currently in the license. The Callaway licensee has previously submitted Justifications for Interim Operation (JIO's) which have addressed the requirements of 10 CFR 50.49 (i) and will remain valid through November 30, 1985. The discussions in these JIO's ensure that the plant can be safely operated pending completion of equipment qualification. The staff has concluded that Union Electric Company has demonstrated conformance with the qualification requirements of 10 CFR 50.49 (Supplement 3 to Callaway Safety Evaluation Report, NUREG-0830, Section 3.11.5).

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Precedents have been set regarding recently issued operating licenses that included November 30, 1985 qualification deadlines. In particular, Facility Operating License NPF-23 for Byron Station, Unit 1, issued subsequent to NPF-25 (Callaway low-power license), has a November 30, 1985 environmental qualification deadline. It is noted that the outstanding Westinghouse qualification programs are generic to Callaway and Byron.

Basis for proposed no significant hazards consideration determination:

The licensee, in his letter of December 28, 1984, stated that the proposed change does not involve a significant increase in the probability or consequences of an accident or other adverse condition over previous evaluations; nor create the possibility of a new or different kind of accident or condition over previous evaluations; nor involve a significant reduction in a margin of safety. Based on the foregoing, the requested amendment does not present a significant hazard. The Commission has provided guidance concerning the application of the Standards in 10 CFR 50.92 by providing certain examples (48 FR 14870). This amendment request is similar to the example of an action involving no significant hazards consideration which relates to a change to make the license conform to regulations, where the license amendment results in very minor changes to facility operations clearly in keeping with the regulations. The staff has made a significant hazards determination and has concluded that this amendment request does not result in a significant hazards consideration because previously submitted JIO's which have addressed the requirements of 10 CFR 50.49(i) will remain valid through November 30, 1985. The discussions in these JIO's ensure that the plant can be safely operated pending completion of equipment qualification.

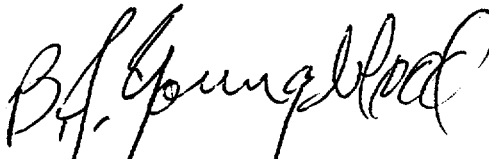
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