

## **UNITED STATES NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION REGION V**

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> APR 3 1992

Ed Firth, Nuclear Training Manager Arizona Public Service Company Palo Verde Nuclear Facility Mail Station 60990 P. O. Box 52034 Phoenix, Arizona 85072-2034

Dear Mr. Firth:

The NRC plans to administer a Generic Fundamentals Section of the Written Operator Licensing Examination (GFES) on June 10, 1992. The GFES will consist of 100 questions. The maximum time allowed to complete the examination is 2-½ hours and the passing score will be 80%.

An authorized representative from your facility must submit a letter listing the names of candidates for the examination to the appropriate NRC Regional Administrator and to the Chief, Operator Licensing Branch. The letter must be received both in the Region and at NRC Headquarters at least 30 days before the examination date to allow the NRC to assign the candidates docket numbers and to make preparations for shipping the examinations to you for administration. The letter must certify that the candidates will have completed their fundamentals training by the date of the examination and are enrolled in your training program leading to an NRC operator or senior operator license. The letter must also list the names of personnel you will be using to proctor the examination and the address to which the examinations should be sent. A sample registration letter is enclosed.

The address for the Operator Licensing Branch Chief is as follows:

Robert M. Gallo, Chief Operator Licensing Branch MS OWFN 10D-22 U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission Washington, DC. 20555

The NRC will send you a letter delineating examination particulars (i.e., proctor responsibilities, student I.D. numbers, etc.) about two weeks prior to the administration date.

Sincerely.

L. F. Miller, Jr., Chief

Reactor Safety Branch

Enclosure: As Stated

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John B. Martin Regional Administrator U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission Region V 1450 Maria Lane, Suite 210 Walnut Creek, CA 94596

Dear Mr. Martin:

(Facility Name) requests to have the (Number) candidates listed below take the (Specify BWR or PWR) Generic Fundamentals Examination Section of the Operator Licensing Examination (GFES) to be administered (DATE). All candidates are enrolled in the (Facility Name) [Operator Licensing Training Program Name (i.e., Hot License Class)] and will have completed the Generic Fundamentals portion of the program by the examination date.

Candidate's Name (Candidate 1 Name) (Candidate 2 Name) (Candidate 3 Name) (Candidate Name)	Date of Birth date date date date	Previous 55 Docket No.  If Applicable  Docket No.  Docket No.  Docket No.
(Candidate n Name)	date date	Docket No. Docket No.

The examination will be proctored by Name 1, title
Name ..., title
Name n. title

The examinations should be sent to the following address:

Name, Title Address City, State Zip Code

The individual named above will be responsible for the security of the examination.

If you have any questions please contact (Facility Contact Name) at (Telephone Number).

Sincerely,

Name, title Facility

cc: Robert Gallo, NRC RV/jk

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