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Docket No. 50-331

Mr. Lee Liu
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Dear Mr. Liu:

Re: Duane Arnold Energy Center

By letter dated March 31, 1986 the Iowa Electric Light and Power Company withdrew its February 21, 1985 application for amendment to Facility Operating License No. DPR-49. The requested license amendment related to incorporation of action statements in the Technical Specifications if the 24 volt dc batteries are found inoperable.

The Commission has filed the enclosed "Notice of Withdrawal of Application for Amendment to Facility Operating License" with the Office of Federal Register for publication.

Sincerely,

Original signed by
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UNITED STATES NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSIONIOWA ELECTRIC LIGHT AND POWER COMPANYDOCKET NO. 50-331NOTICE OF WITHDRAWAL OF APPLICATION FOR
AMENDMENT TO FACILITY OPERATING LICENSE

The United States Nuclear Regulatory Commission (the Commission) has granted the request of Iowa Electric Light and Power Company (the licensee) to withdraw its February 21, 1985 application for proposed amendment to the Duane Arnold Energy Center, located in Linn County, Iowa. The proposed amendment would have revised the provisions in the Technical Specifications to permit incorporation of action statements in the Technical Specification if the 24 volt dc batteries are found inoperable. The Commission issued a Notice of Consideration of Issuance of Amendment published in the Federal Register on June 19, 1985 (50 FR 25485). By letter dated March 31, 1986, the licensee withdrew its application for the proposed amendment.

For further details with respect to this action, see (1) the application for amendment dated February 21, 1985; and (2) the licensee's letter dated March 31, 1986, withdrawing the application for licensee amendment. The above documents are available for public inspection at the Commission's Public Document Room 1717 H Street, N.W., Washington, D.C. and at the Cedar Rapids Public Library, 500 First Street, S.E., Cedar Rapids, Iowa 53401.



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