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Docket Nos. 50-266
and 50-301

Mr. C. W. Fay
Assistant Vice President
Wisconsin Electric Power Company
231 West Michigan Street
Milwaukee, Wisconsin 53201

Dear Mr. Fay:

The Commission has issued the enclosed Amendment Nos. 69 and 74 to Facility Operating License Nos. DPR-24 and DPR-27 for the Point Beach Nuclear Plant, Unit Nos. 1 and 2. These amendments consist of changes to the Technical Specifications in response to your application dated September 21, 1978 as modified by letter dated October 1, 1981. These changes have been discussed with and agreed to by members of your staff.

These amendments delete the Appendix B Environmental Technical Specifications (ETS) which pertain to the non-radiological water quality related requirements, as required by the Federal Water Pollution Control Act Amendments of 1972.

Your basis for the requested deletion of water quality limits and monitoring programs is that these aquatic requirements are now under the jurisdiction of the State of Wisconsin as approved by the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) pursuant to the Federal Water Pollution Control Act Amendments of 1972. Therefore, water quality conditions in existing reactor operating licenses should be removed as a matter of law where the licensee holds an effective National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) permit or as in your case a Wisconsin Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (WPDES) permit.

We concur in the deletion of the aquatic requirements and will rely on the NPDES permit system which is administered by EPA for regulation and protection of the aquatic environment. However, the NRC staff still wishes to remain informed about any changes in your WPDES permit and any violations of this permit. Accordingly, as discussed with your staff, you have agreed to provide NRC with a copy of any changes to the WPDES discharge permit and any permit violations requiring notification to the permitting agency at the time this information is reported to or received from the permitting agency. This information is to be submitted to the appropriate Regional Administrator with a copy to the Director, Office of Nuclear Reactor Regulation.

Please confirm this commitment in writing within 30 days of receipt of this letter.

We have determined that the deletion of these water quality requirements is a ministerial action required as a matter of law and will not result in any significant environmental impact. Having made this determination, we

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have further concluded that the amendments involve an action which is insignificant from the standpoint of environmental impact and pursuant to 10 CFR §1.5(d)(4) that an environmental impact statement, negative declaration or environmental impact appraisal need not be prepared in connection with the issuance of these amendments.

Since the amendments apply only to deletion of water quality requirements, we have concluded that: (1) because the amendments do not involve a significant increase in the probability or consequences of an accident previously evaluated, do not create the possibility of an accident of a type different from any evaluated previously, and do not involve a significant reduction in a margin of safety, the amendments do not involve a significant hazards consideration, (2) there is reasonable assurance that the health and safety of the public will not be endangered by operation in the proposed manner, and (3) such activities will be conducted in compliance with the Commission's regulations and the issuance of the amendments will not be inimical to the common defense and security or to the health and safety of the public.

A copy of the Notice of Issuance is also enclosed.

Sincerely,

Original signed by
Robert A. Clark
Robert A. Clark, Chief
Operating Reactors Branch #3
Division of Licensing

Enclosures:

- 1. Amendment No. 69 to DPR-24
- 2. Amendment No. 74 to DPR-27
- 3. Notice of Issuance

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Mr. C. W. Fay

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Docket No. 50-256/50-301

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SUBJECT: WISCONSIN ELECTRIC POWER COMPANY, Point Beach Nuclear Plant,
 Unit Nos. 1 and 2

Two signed originals of the Federal Register Notice identified below are enclosed for your transmittal to the Office of the Federal Register for publication. Additional conformed copies (12) of the Notice are enclosed for your use.

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- Notice of Issuance of Facility Operating License(s) or Amendment(s).
- Other: Amendment Nos. 69 and 74.
Referenced documents have been provided PDR.

Division of Licensing
 Office of Nuclear Reactor Regulation

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UNITED STATES
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WISCONSIN ELECTRIC POWER COMPANY

DOCKET NO. 50-266

POINT BEACH NUCLEAR PLANT, UNIT NO. 1

AMENDMENT TO FACILITY OPERATING LICENSE

Amendment No. 69
License No. DPR-24

1. The Nuclear Regulatory Commission (the Commission) has found that:
 - A. The application for amendment by Wisconsin Electric Power Company (the licensee) dated September 21, 1978 as modified October 1, 1981, complies with the standards and requirements of the Atomic Energy Act of 1954, as amended (the Act) and the Commission's rules and 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.

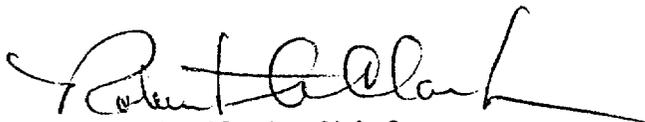
2. Accordingly, the license is amended by changes to the Technical Specifications as indicated in the attachment to this license amendment, and paragraph 3.B of Facility Operating License No. DPR-24 is hereby amended to read as follows:

B. Technical Specifications

The Technical Specifications contained in Appendices A and B, as revised through Amendment No. 69, are hereby incorporated in the license. The licensee shall operate the facility in accordance with the Technical Specifications.

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

FOR THE NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION.



Robert A. Clark, Chief
Operating Reactors Branch #3
Division of Licensing

Attachment:
Changes to the Technical
Specifications

Date of Issuance: March 11, 1983



UNITED STATES
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WISCONSIN ELECTRIC POWER COMPANY

DOCKET NO. 50-301

POINT BEACH NUCLEAR PLANT, UNIT NO. 2

AMENDMENT TO FACILITY OPERATING LICENSE

Amendment No. 74
License No. DPR-27

1. The Nuclear Regulatory Commission (the Commission) has found that:
 - A. The application for amendment by Wisconsin Electric Power Company (the licensee) dated September 21, 1978 as modified October 1, 1981, complies with the standards and requirements of the Atomic Energy Act of 1954, as amended (the Act) and the Commission's rules and 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, the license is amended by changes to the Technical Specifications as indicated in the attachment to this license amendment, and paragraph 3.B of Facility Operating License No. DPR-27 is hereby amended to read as follows:

B. Technical Specifications

The Technical Specifications contained in Appendices A and B, as revised through Amendment No. 74, are hereby incorporated in the license. The licensee shall operate the facility in accordance with the Technical Specifications.

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

FOR THE NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION


Robert A. Clark, Chief
Operating Reactors Branch #3
Division of Licensing

Attachment:
Changes to the Technical
Specifications

Date of Issuance: March 11, 1983

ATTACHMENT TO LICENSE AMENDMENTS

AMENDMENT NO. 69 TO FACILITY OPERATING LICENSE NO. DPR-24

AMENDMENT NO. 74 TO FACILITY OPERATING LICENSE NO. DPR-27

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16. NONRADIOLOGICAL TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS

16.1 Definitions

The definitions for terms used in these Nonradiological Technical Specifications for Units 1 and 2 are stated below.

WPDES Permit

The WPDES permit is the Wisconsin Pollutant Discharge Elimination System Permit No. WI-0000957-2 issued by the State of Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources for the Wisconsin Electric Power Company, Point Beach Nuclear Plant, dated September 28, 1979, and as subsequently amended.

16.2 Limiting Conditions for Operation

None required.*

16.3 Environmental Monitoring

None required.*

16.4 Recordkeeping and Monitoring Program for Nonradiological Parameters

None required.*

* In consideration of the provisions of the Clear Water Act (33 USC & 1251, et seq.) and in the interest of avoiding duplication of effort, the conditions and monitoring and recording requirements related to water quality and aquatic biota are specified in the WPDES Permit. As a matter of law, the NRC acknowledges the applicability of the WPDES Permit limitations for protection of the aquatic environment due to nonradiological effluents.

16.5 Reporting Requirements

Specification

1. As part of the Semiannual Monitoring Report, described in Section 15.6.9.2.C of Appendix A, the following shall be reported:
 - a. All scheduled and unscheduled chemical discharge to the condenser cooling water.
 - b. A description of circulating water system operation for each unit which includes ambient temperature, intake temperature, discharge temperature, and circulating water system flow.

UNITED STATES NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSIONDOCKET NOS. 50-266 AND 50-301WISCONSIN ELECTRIC POWER COMPANYNOTICE OF ISSUANCE OF AMENDMENTS TO FACILITY
OPERATING LICENSES

The U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (the Commission) has issued Amendment No. 69 to Facility Operating License No. DPR-24, and Amendment No. 74 to Facility Operating License No. DPR-27 issued to Wisconsin Electric Power Company (the licensee), which revised Technical Specifications for operation of Point Beach Nuclear Plant, Unit Nos. 1 and 2 (the facilities) located in the Town of Two Creeks, Manitowoc County, Wisconsin. The amendments are effective as of the date of issuance.

The amendments revise the Appendix B Environmental Technical Specifications to delete non-radiological water quality requirements as permitted by the Federal Water Pollution Control Act Amendments of 1972.

The application for the amendments complies with the standards and requirements of the Atomic Energy Act of 1954, as amended (the Act), and the Commission's rules and regulations. The Commission has made appropriate findings as required by the Act and the Commission's rules and regulations in 10 CFR Chapter I, which are set forth in the license amendments. Prior public notice of these amendments was not required since the amendments do not involve a significant hazards consideration.

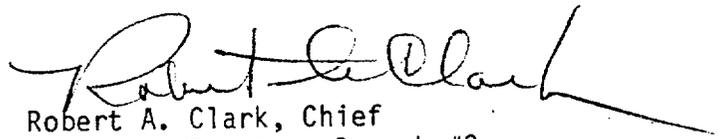
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The Commission has determined that the issuance of these amendments will not result in any significant environmental impact and that pursuant to 10 CFR §51.5(d)(4) an environmental impact statement or negative declaration and environmental impact appraisal need not be prepared in connection with issuance of these amendments.

For further details with respect to this action, see (1) the application for amendments dated September 21, 1978 as modified October 1, 1981, (2) Amendment Nos. 69 and 74 to License Nos. DPR-24 and DPR-27, and (3) the Commission's letter to the licensee dated March 11, 1983. All of these items are available for public inspection at the Commission's Public Document Room, 1717 H Street, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20555, and at the Joseph Mann Library, 1516 16th Street, Two Rivers, Wisconsin 54241. A copy of items (2) and (3) may be obtained upon request addressed to the U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, Washington, D.C. 20555, Attention: Director, Division of Licensing.

Dated at Bethesda, Maryland, this 11th day of March, 1983.

FOR THE NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION


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