

June 10, 2005

Mr. Gregory M. Rueger
Senior Vice President, Generation and
Chief Nuclear Officer
Pacific Gas and Electric Company
Diablo Canyon Power Plant
P. O. Box 3
Avila Beach, CA 93424

SUBJECT: DIABLO CANYON POWER PLANT, UNIT NOS. 1 AND 2 - WITHDRAWAL OF
LICENSE AMENDMENT REQUEST 03-18, "REVISION TO TECHNICAL
SPECIFICATIONS 5.5.9, 'STEAM GENERATOR (SG) TUBE SURVEILLANCE
PROGRAM,' AND 5.6.10, 'STEAM GENERATOR (SG) TUBE INSPECTION
REPORT,' FOR 4-VOLT ALTERNATE REPAIR CRITERIA FOR STEAM
GENERATOR TUBE REPAIR" (TAC NOS. MC1765 AND MC1766)

Dear Mr. Rueger:

By letter dated January 7, 2004, you applied for an amendment to the Facility Operating License No. DPR-80 and Facility Operating License No. DPR-82 for the Diablo Canyon Power Plant, Unit Nos. 1 and 2, respectively. The proposed changes would have revised the Technical Specifications to allow application of 4-volt alternate repair criteria at intersections of the SG tube hot-legs with the four lowest SG tube support plates. Subsequently, by letter dated May 13, 2005, you withdrew the amendment request. The letters dated January 7, 2004, and May 13, 2005 are available in the NRC's Agencywide Documents Access and Management System under Accession Numbers ML040120619 and ML051440406, respectively.

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

Sincerely,

/RA/
Girija S. Shukla, Project Manager, Section 2
Project Directorate IV
Division of Licensing Project Management
Office of Nuclear Reactor Regulation

Docket Nos. 50-275
and 50-323

Enclosure: Notice of Withdrawal

cc w/encl: See next page

June 10, 2005

Mr. Gregory M. Rueger
Senior Vice President, Generation and
Chief Nuclear Officer
Pacific Gas and Electric Company
Diablo Canyon Power Plant
P. O. Box 3
Avila Beach, CA 93424

SUBJECT: DIABLO CANYON POWER PLANT, UNIT NOS. 1 AND 2 - WITHDRAWAL OF
LICENSE AMENDMENT REQUEST 03-18, "REVISION TO TECHNICAL
SPECIFICATIONS 5.5.9, 'STEAM GENERATOR (SG) TUBE SURVEILLANCE
PROGRAM,' AND 5.6.10, 'STEAM GENERATOR (SG) TUBE INSPECTION
REPORT,' FOR 4-VOLT ALTERNATE REPAIR CRITERIA FOR STEAM
GENERATOR TUBE REPAIR" (TAC NOS. MC1765 AND MC1766)

Dear Mr. Rueger:

By letter dated January 7, 2004, you applied for an amendment to the Facility Operating License No. DPR-80 and Facility Operating License No. DPR-82 for the Diablo Canyon Power Plant, Unit Nos. 1 and 2, respectively. The proposed changes would have revised the Technical Specifications to allow application of 4-volt alternate repair criteria at intersections of the SG tube hot-legs with the four lowest SG tube support plates. Subsequently, by letter dated May 13, 2005, you withdrew the amendment request. The letters dated January 7, 2004, and May 13, 2005 are available in the NRC's Agencywide Documents Access and Management System under Accession Numbers ML040120619 and ML051440406, respectively.

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

Sincerely,
/RA/
Girija S. Shukla, Project Manager, Section 2
Project Directorate IV
Division of Licensing Project Management
Office of Nuclear Reactor Regulation

Docket Nos. 50-275
and 50-323

Enclosure: Notice of Withdrawal

cc w/encl: See next page

DISTRIBUTION:

PUBLIC

PDIV-2 Reading CKhan
RidsNrrDlpmPdiv (HBerkow) SLong
RidsNrrPMGShukla PYChen
RidsNrrLALFeizollahi JTsao
RidsOgcRp JTatum
RidsAcrcsAcnwMailCenter LLund
RidsRegion4MailCenter
RidsNrrDlpmPdiv2 (RGramm)
WJensen

ACCESSION NO.: **ML051600482** **NRR-106**

OFFICE	PDIV-2/PM	PDIV-2/LA	PDIV-2/SC
NAME	GShukla	LFeizollahi	RGramm
DATE	6/9/05	6/9/05	6/9/05

DOCUMENT NAME: E:\Filenet\ML051600482.wpd

OFFICIAL RECORD COPY

UNITED STATES NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

PACIFIC GAS AND ELECTRIC COMPANY

DIABLO CANYON POWER PLANT, UNITS 1 AND 2

DOCKET NOS. 50-275 AND 50-323

NOTICE OF WITHDRAWAL OF APPLICATION FOR

AMENDMENT TO FACILITY OPERATING LICENSE

The U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (the Commission) has granted the request of Pacific Gas and Electric Company (the licensee) to withdraw its January 7, 2004, application for proposed amendment to Facility Operating License No. DPR-80 and Facility Operating License No. DPR-82 for the Diablo Canyon Power Plant, Unit Nos. 1 and 2, respectively, located in San Luis Obispo County, California.

The proposed amendments would have revised the Technical Specifications to allow application of 4-volt alternate repair criteria at intersections of the SG tube hot-legs with the four lowest SG tube support plates.

The Commission had previously issued a Notice of Consideration of Issuance of Amendment published in the *Federal Register* on February 3, 2004 (69 FR 5206). However, by letter dated May 13, 2005, the licensee withdrew the proposed changes. The licensee's application dated January 7, 2004, and withdrawal letter dated May 13, 2005 are available in the NRC's Agencywide Documents Access and Management System (ADAMS) under Accession Numbers ML040120619 and ML051440406, respectively.

For further details with respect to this action, see the application for amendment dated January 7, 2004, and the licensee's letter dated May 13, 2005, which withdrew the application for the license amendments. Documents may be examined, and/or copied for a fee, at the NRC's Public Document Room (PDR), located at One White Flint North, 11555 Rockville Pike

(first floor), Rockville, Maryland. Publicly available records will be accessible electronically from the ADAMS Public Electronic Reading Room on the internet at the NRC Web site, <http://www.nrc.gov/reading-rm/adams/html>. Persons who do not have access to ADAMS or who encounter problems in accessing the documents located in ADAMS, should contact the NRC PDR Reference staff by telephone at 1-800-397-4209, or 301-415-4737 or by email to pdr@nrc.gov.

Dated at Rockville, Maryland, this 10th day of June 2005.

FOR THE NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

/RA/
Girija S. Shukla, Project Manager, Section 2
Project Directorate IV
Division of Licensing Project Management
Office of Nuclear Reactor Regulation

Diablo Canyon Power Plant, Units 1 and 2

cc:

NRC Resident Inspector
Diablo Canyon Power Plant
c/o U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
P.O. Box 369
Avila Beach, CA 93424

Sierra Club San Lucia Chapter
c/o Henriette Groot
1000 Montecito Road
Cayucos, CA 93430

Ms. Nancy Culver
San Luis Obispo
Mothers for Peace
P.O. Box 164
Pismo Beach, CA 93448

Chairman
San Luis Obispo County Board of
Supervisors
Room 370
County Government Center
San Luis Obispo, CA 93408

Mr. Truman Burns
Mr. Robert Kinoshian
California Public Utilities Commission
505 Van Ness, Room 4102
San Francisco, CA 94102

Diablo Canyon Independent Safety
Committee
ATTN: Robert R. Wellington, Esq.
Legal Counsel
857 Cass Street, Suite D
Monterey, CA 93940

Regional Administrator, Region IV
U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
Harris Tower & Pavillion
611 Ryan Plaza Drive, Suite 400
Arlington, TX 76011-8064

Richard F. Locke, Esq.
Pacific Gas & Electric Company
P.O. Box 7442
San Francisco, CA 94120

Mr. David H. Oatley, Vice President
and General Manager
Diablo Canyon Power Plant
P.O. Box 56
Avila Beach, CA 93424

City Editor
The Tribune
3825 South Higuera Street
P.O. Box 112
San Luis Obispo, CA 93406-0112

Mr. Ed Bailey, Chief
Radiologic Health Branch
State Department of Health Services
P.O. Box 997414 (MS 7610)
Sacramento, CA 95899-7414

Mr. James D. Boyd, Commissioner
California Energy Commission
1516 Ninth Street (MS 31)
Sacramento, CA 95814

Mr. James R. Becker, Vice President
Diablo Canyon Operations
and Station Director
Diablo Canyon Power Plant
P.O. Box 3
Avila Beach, CA 93424

Jennifer Tang
Field Representative
United States Senator Barbara Boxer
1700 Montgomery Street, Suite 240
San Francisco, CA 94111

March 2005