



Monticello Nuclear Generating Plant
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REVISION TO THE OPERATING LICENSE CONTAINED IN THE APPLICATION TO
REVISE TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS REGARDING CONTROL ROOM
ENVELOPE HABITABILITY IN ACCORDANCE WITH TSTF-448, REVISION 3, USING
THE CONSOLIDATED LINE ITEM IMPROVEMENT PROCESS

References:

- 1) NMC Letter to NRC, Generic Letter 2003-01: Control Room Habitability- Design Bases, Licensing Bases and In-leakage Testing Results, dated November 18, 2004.
- 2) NMC Letter to NRC, Generic Letter 2003-01: Control Room Habitability – Smoke Assessment, dated February 23, 2004.
- 3) NRC to NMC letter – NRC Receipt of Response to Generic Letter 2003-01 “Control Room Habitability”, dated August 30, 2006.
- 4) NRC Issuance of CLIIP for TSTF-448, Rev.3, dated January 17, 2007.
- 5) NMC Letter to NRC, Application to Revise Technical Specifications Regarding Control Room Envelope Habitability in Accordance with TSTF-448, Revision 3, Using the Consolidated Line Item Improvement Process, dated April 3, 2008.

In accordance with the provisions of 10 CFR 50.90, Nuclear Management Co., LLC (NMC) requested an amendment to the technical specifications (TS) for Monticello Nuclear Generating Plant (MNGP) via letter L-MT-08-025, dated April 3, 2008 (TAC MD8433).

While preparing the final typed TS pages for final issuance, it was recognized that a change to the Operating License (OL) was warranted. The change is as described below:

Proposed OL section K (c) currently states:

“The first performance of the periodic measurement of CRE pressure, Specification 5.5.13 d, shall be within 24 months, plus the 184 days allowed by SR 3.0.2, as measured from September 19, 2006, the date of the most recent pressure measurement test, or within 184 days if not performed previously. “

At the time the original submittal was made, April 3, 2008, the date of the "most recent pressure test" was as stated on the letter; September 19, 2006. Since that date, MNGP has successfully completed the control room pressure test dated October 17, 2008.

NSPM requests a change to the OL condition K (c) to read as follows:

"The first performance of the periodic measurement of CRE pressure, Specification 5.5.13 d, shall be within 24 months, plus the 184 days allowed by SR 3.0.2, as measured from October 17, 2008, the date of the most recent pressure measurement test, or within 184 days if not performed previously. "

This change follows the guidance provided in the TSTF-448, Rev. 3 and the associated CLIP as a site specific date for the completion of the surveillance.

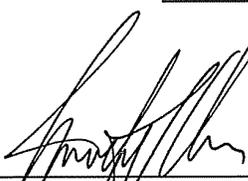
The requested change has been discussed with the MNGP NRR Project Manager.

Summary of Commitments

This letter makes no new commitments and no revisions to existing commitments.

I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

Executed on: February 23, 2009.



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Enclosures: None

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