

UNITED STATES ATOMIC ENERGY COMMISSION

DOCKET NO. 50-247

NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY OF INITIAL DECISION OF THE ATOMIC SAFETY AND
LICENSING BOARD FOR THE INDIAN POINT NUCLEAR GENERATING UNIT 2
AND ISSUANCE OF AMENDMENT TO FACILITY OPERATING LICENSE

Pursuant to the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969 and the United States Atomic Energy Commission's regulations in Appendix D, Section A.9 and A.11, to 10 CFR Part 50, notice is hereby given that an Initial Decision dated September 25, 1973, by the Atomic Safety and Licensing Board in the above captioned proceeding authorizing issuance of an amended license to the Consolidated Edison Company of New York, Inc., for operation of the Indian Point Nuclear Generating Unit 2, located in Westchester County, New York, is available for inspection by the public in the Commission's Public Document Room at 1717 H Street, N. W., Washington, D. C., and in the Hendrick Hudson Free Library, 31 Albany Post Road, Montrose, New York 10548.

The Initial Decision is also being made available at the New York State Office of Planning Services, 488 Broadway, Albany, New York 12207, and the Tri-State Regional Planning Commission, 100 Church Street, New York, New York 10007.

Based upon the record developed in the public hearing in the above captioned matter, the Initial Decision modified in certain respects the contents of the Final Environmental Statement relating to the licensing for

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operation of the Indian Point Nuclear Generating Unit 2, prepared by the Commission's Directorate of Licensing. Pursuant to the provisions of 10 CFR Part 50, Appendix D, Section A.11, the Final Environmental Statement is deemed modified to the extent that the findings and conclusions relating to environmental matters contained in the Initial Decision are different from those contained in the Final Environmental Statement. As required by Section A.11 of Appendix D, a copy of the Initial Decision, which modifies the Final Environmental Statement, has been transmitted to the Council on Environmental Quality and made available to the public as noted herein.

Pursuant to the above mentioned Initial Decision, the Atomic Energy Commission (the Commission) has issued Amendment No. 4 to Facility Operating License DPR-26 to Consolidated Edison Company of New York, Inc., for operation of a pressurized water nuclear reactor known as the Indian Point Nuclear Generating Unit 2, at steady state reactor core power levels not in excess of 2758 megawatts thermal, in accordance with the provisions of the license and the Technical Specifications.

The Commission has made appropriate findings as required by the Atomic Energy Act of 1954, as amended (the Act), and the Commission's rules and regulations in 10 CFR Chapter 1, which are set forth in the license. The application for the license complies with the standards and requirements of the Act and the Commission's rules and regulations.

The amended license is effective as of its date of issuance and shall expire on October 14, 2006.

In addition to the Initial Decision, copies of (1) Amendment No. 4 to Facility Operating License DPR-26; (2) the Report of the Advisory Committee on Reactor Safeguards dated September 23, 1970; (3) the Directorate of Licensing's Safety Evaluation dated November 16, 1970, and Supplements 1, 2, and 3 thereto, dated November 20, 1970, July 1971, and September 3, 1971, respectively; (4) the Final Facility Description and Safety Analysis Report and amendments thereto; (5) the applicant's Environmental Report dated August 6, 1970, and supplements thereto; (6) the Draft Environmental Statement dated April 13, 1972; and (7) the Final Environmental Statement dated September 1972, are available for public inspection at the above designated locations in Washington, D. C., and Montrose, New York. Single copies of the Initial Decision by the Atomic Safety and Licensing Board, the license, the Final Environmental Statement, and the Safety Evaluation may be obtained upon request addressed to the U.S. Atomic Energy Commission, Washington, D. C. 20545, Attention: Deputy Director for Reactor Projects, Directorate of Licensing, Regulation.

Dated at Bethesda, Maryland, this 28th day of September 1973.

FOR THE ATOMIC ENERGY COMMISSION

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