### BEFORE THE UNITED STATES

### NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

In the Matter of	)	
POWER AUTHORITY OF THE STATE OF N	IEW YORK)	Docket No. 50-286
Indian Point 3 Nuclear Power Plant	)	

# **APPLICATION FOR AMENDMENT TO OPERATING LICENSE**

Pursuant to Section 50.90 of the regulations of the Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC), the Power Authority of the State of New York, as holder of Facility Operating License No. DPR-64, hereby applies for an Amendment to the Technical Specifications contained in Appendix A of this license.

This application for amendment to the Indian Point Unit 3 (IP3) Technical Specifications proposes to revise Section 3.10 of Appendix A of the Operating License. The proposed revisions to Technical Specification Section 3.4 would reduce the maximum allowable rod drop time from 2.4 seconds to 1.8 seconds (from loss of stationary gripper coil voltage to dashpot entry).

The proposed changes to the technical specifications are included as Attachment I to this application. The Safety Evaluation is included as Attachment II. There are no new commitments resulting from this change.

> POWER AUTHORITY OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

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William J. Cahill, Jr. **Executive Vice President** and Chief Nuclear Officer **Nuclear Generation** 

STATE OF NEW YORK COUNTY OF WESTCHESTER

Subscribed and Sworn to before me

this 169 day of Noveru

Notary Public

# ATTACHMENT I TO IPN-94-146

# PROPOSED TECHNICAL SPECIFICATION CHANGES ASSOCIATED WITH THE MAXIMUM ALLOWABLE ROD DROP TIME

NEW YORK POWER AUTHORITY INDIAN POINT 3 NUCLEAR POWER PLANT DOCKET NO. 50-286 DPR-64