

BEFORE THE UNITED STATES

NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

In the Matter of)
 POWER AUTHORITY OF THE STATE OF NEW 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 3 (IP3) Technical Specifications proposes to revise Sections 4.1 and 4.11 of Appendix A of the Operating License. The proposed changes would provide for testing the pressurizer safety valves and snubbers during the next refueling outage (RO 9). RO 9 is currently scheduled for early 1997.

The proposed change to the Technical Specifications is included as Attachment I to this application. The safety evaluation is included as Attachment II.

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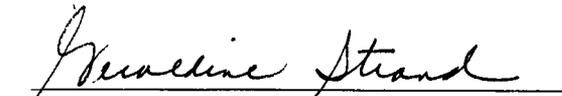
STATE OF NEW YORK
COUNTY OF WESTCHESTER

Subscribed and Sworn to before me



William J. Cahill, Jr.
Chief Nuclear Officer

this 14th day of MARCH 1996.


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