

BEFORE THE UNITED STATES  
NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

In the Matter of )  
POWER AUTHORITY OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK )  
Indian Point 3 Nuclear Power Plant )

Docket No. 50-286

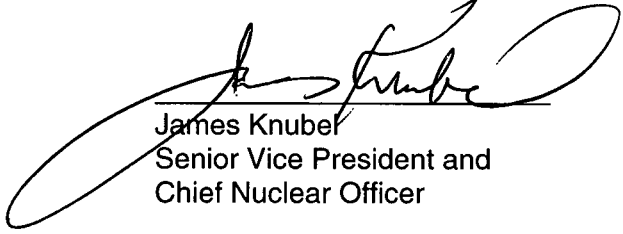
**APPLICATION FOR AMENDMENT TO THE OPERATING LICENSE**

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

This application for amendment to the Indian Point 3 Technical Specification proposes to revise section 2.3.1.C.(3), 2.3.2.B, Table 3.5-2, item 12, Table 4.1-1, item 21 and associated bases to change the setpoint of the automatic reactor trip on turbine trip to at or below the P-8 setpoint (must be unblocked at  $\geq 50\%$  power). It also proposes to remove the last sentence in section 2.3.2.A, regarding overspeed testing, based on the change to 2.3.2.B.

The proposed changes to the Technical Specification are presented in Attachment I to this application. The Safety Evaluation is included in Attachment II. A mark-up of the affected Technical Specification pages is provided in Attachment III, for information only.

**POWER AUTHORITY OF THE  
STATE OF NEW YORK**

  
James Knuber  
Senior Vice President and  
Chief Nuclear Officer

**STATE OF NEW YORK  
COUNTY OF WESTCHESTER**

Subscribed and sworn to before me  
this 28th day of January 1999.

  
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