

UNITED STATES NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION WASHINGTON, D.C. 20555-0001

August 9, 2011

Mr. David A. Heacock President and Chief Nuclear Officer Dominion Nuclear Dominion Energy Kewaunee, Inc. Innsbrook Technical Center 5000 Dominion Boulevard Glen Allen, VA 23060-6711

SUBJECT: KEWAUNEE POWER STATION - WITHDRAWAL OF A REQUEST FOR ALTERNATIVE TEST REQUIREMENTS FOR LARGE-BORE HYDRAULIC SNUBBERS (TAC NO. ME4722)

Dear Mr. Heacock:

By a letter dated September 7, 2010 (Agencywide Documents Access and Management System (ADAMS) Accession No. ML102520078), as supplemented by a letter dated January 26, 2011 (ADAMS Accession No. ML110280056), you submitted a request to establish alternate test requirements for the Kewaunee Power Station large-bore hydraulic snubbers. In your submittal you stated that the proposed alternate test requirements are intended to eliminate the potential for unplanned functional testing of these snubbers while providing an acceptable level of safety and quality.

Subsequently, by letter dated June 27, 2011 (ADAMS Accession No. ML111791687), you withdrew the request for the alternate test requirements. In your withdrawal letter you stated that you intend to address alternate test requirements for large-bore hydraulic snubbers in the submittal of the Inservice Inspection Program for the fifth 10-year inspection interval (2014-2024) rather than in a separate licensing action.

The purpose of this letter is to advise you that the above-cited application is being treated as withdrawn.

Sincerely,

Karl Feintuch, Project Manager Plant Licensing Branch 3-1 Division of Operating Reactor Licensing Office of Nuclear Reactor Regulation

Docket No. 50-305

cc: Distribution via Listserv

Mr. David A. Heacock President and Chief Nuclear Officer Dominion Nuclear Dominion Energy Kewaunee, Inc. Innsbrook Technical Center 5000 Dominion Boulevard Glen Allen, VA 23060-6711

SUBJECT: KEWAUNEE POWER STATION - WITHDRAWAL OF A REQUEST FOR ALTERNATIVE TEST REQUIREMENTS FOR LARGE-BORE HYDRAULIC SNUBBERS (TAC NO. ME4722)

Dear Mr. Heacock:

By a letter dated September 7, 2010 (Agencywide Documents Access and Management System (ADAMS) Accession No. ML102520078), as supplemented by a letter dated January 26, 2011 (ADAMS Accession No. ML110280056), you submitted a request to establish alternate test requirements for the Kewaunee Power Station large-bore hydraulic snubbers. In your submittal you stated that the proposed alternate test requirements are intended to eliminate the potential for unplanned functional testing of these snubbers while providing an acceptable level of safety and quality.

Subsequently, by letter dated June 27, 2011 (ADAMS Accession No. ML111791687), you withdrew the request for the alternate test requirements. In your withdrawal letter you stated that you intend to address alternate test requirements for large-bore hydraulic snubbers in the submittal of the Inservice Inspection Program for the fifth 10-year inspection interval (2014-2024) rather than in a separate licensing action.

The purpose of this letter is to advise you that the above-cited application is being treated as withdrawn.

Sincerely,

/RA/ Peter Tam for Karl Feintuch, Project Manager Plant Licensing Branch 3-1 Division of Operating Reactor Licensing Office of Nuclear Reactor Regulation

Docket No. 50-305

cc: Distribution via Listserv

DISTRIBUTION:

PUBLIC LPL3-1 r/f RidsAcrsAcnw_MailCTR Resource RidsNrrDciCptb Resource RidsOgcRp Resource RidsRgn3MailCenter Resource RidsNrrDorlDpr Resource RidsNrrDorlLpl3-1Resource RidsNrrLABTully] Resource RidsNrrPMKewaunee Resource GBedi, NRR

ADAMS Accession No. ML112200390

OFFICE	NRR/LPL3-1/PM	NRR/LPL3-1/LA	NRR/LPL3-1/BC	NRR/LPL3-1/PM
NAME	KFeintuch /PTam for	BTully /SRohrer for	RPascarelli	KFeintuch /PTam for
DATE	08/09/11	08/09/11	08/09/11	08/09/11

OFFICIAL AGENCY RECORD