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Docket No. 50-331

Iowa Electric Light and Power Company ATTN: Mr. E. L. Hammond Duane Arnold Energy Center P. O. Box 351 Cedar Rapids, Iowa 52406

Gentlemen:

The proposed Operator Hot Licensed Training Program submitted on May 21, 1976 and the resumes of applicants for November 1976 operator examinations have been reviewed. As discussed during telephone conversations with Mr. D. W. Kalavitinos, it was determined that the ten applicants will be eligible for the November 1976 operator examinations provided that they successfully complete this Operator Hot License Program.

However, the subject program could not be approved for all future applicants since it did not address many of the requirements of Appendix F of NUREG-0094, "NRC Operator Licensing Guide" and ANSI N18.1-1971. A copy of NUREG-0094, dated July 1976, was forwarded to you with our letter of September 3, 1976.

It is our understanding, from telephone conversations between Mr. R. Campbell of this office and Mr. D. Kalavitinos, that you will submit a new Operator Hot Licensing Training Program that will meet the requirements listed above after the November 1976 operator examinations have been completed.

I hope this information will be of use to you.

Sincerely,

ORIGINAL SIGNED BY P. F. COLLINS

Paul F. Collins, Chief Operator Licensing Branch Division of Project Management

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> DAEC-76-145 May 21, 1976

Mr. Paul F. Collins, Chief Operator Licensing Branch Directorate of Licensing 7920 Norfolk Avenue Bethesda, Maryland 20034

SUBJECT: Proposed Operator Hot License Training Program

FILE: A-205d

Dear Mr. Collins:

Please find enclosed for your review a plan for the Duane Arnold Energy Center to conduct an on-site Hot License Training Program. The purpose of the program is to increase the number of licensed personnel available to support facility operation.

The NUS Corporation has been contracted to implement and coordinate the program. NUS was selected as the result of their excellent past performance during initial operator training. NUS will provide qualified instructors for the program with plant supervisory personnel serving as instructors where appropriate. Resumes of NUS personnel who will be serving as instructors have been enclosed (see attachment A).

The program consists of the training of presently licensed personnel to SRO level (4), non-licensed personnel to RO level (3) and non-licensed personnel to SRO level (3). Resumes of the above personnel are in attachment B. The scheduled program including the subject areas and the number of hours devoted to each are summarized in attachment C. Included in the program is a one-week BWR simulator course to be conducted by the General Electric Company at Morris, Illinois. Attachment D outlines the scope of the simulator course.

Mr. Joe Buzy of your office has been contacted about preliminary plans for administering license examinations in November of this year. Mr. Paul F. Collins DAEC-76-145 May 21, 1976 Page 2

Please review at your earliest convenience and advise us of your comments and or approval of the proposed program. The program is scheduled to commence June 7, 1976.

Very truly yours,

C. L. Hammon

E. L. Hammond Assistant Chief Engineer Duane Arnold Energy Center

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Attachments

- cc: J. A. Wallace
 - G. G. Hunt
 - B. R. York
 - D. L. Wilson
 - D. W. Kalavitinos