

## UNITED STATES NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

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May 29, 2012

Mr. David A. Heacock
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SUBJECT:

MILLSTONE POWER STATION, UNIT 3 - WITHDRAWAL OF AN AMENDMENT

REQUEST REGARDING RELOCATION OF SPECIFIC SURVEILLANCE

FREQUENCY REQUIREMENTS TO A LICENSEE-CONTROLLED PROGRAM - ADOPTION OF TECHNICAL SPECIFICATION TASK FORCE-425, REVISION 3

(TAC NO. ME6695)

Dear Mr. Heacock:

By letter dated July 5, 2011, as supplemented by letter dated September 12, 2011, Dominion Nuclear Connecticut, Inc. (DNC or the licensee) applied for an amendment to the Millstone Power Station, Unit 3 (MPS3), Facility Operating License No. NPF-49. The proposed amendment would relocate certain Technical Specification (TS) surveillance frequencies to a licensee-controlled program by adopting Technical Specification Task Force (TSTF)-425, Revision 3, "Relocate Surveillance Frequencies of Licensee Control - Risk-Informed Technical Specification Task Force Initiative 5b." The proposed change would also add a new program, the Surveillance Frequency Control Program, to the TSs, in accordance with TSTF-425. Subsequently, by letter dated May 8, 2012, DNC requested to withdraw the amendment request.

The Nuclear Regulatory Commission has filed the enclosed Notice of Withdrawal of Application for Amendment to Facility Operating License with the Office of the Federal Register for publication.

Sincerely,

James Kim, Project Manager Plant Licensing Branch I-1

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Division of Operating Reactor Licensing Office of Nuclear Reactor Regulation

Docket No. 50-423

Enclosure:

Notice of Withdrawal

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## DOMINION NUCLEAR CONNECTICUT, INC. DOCKET NO. 50-423

## MILLSTONE POWER STATION, UNIT 3 NOTICE OF WITHDRAWAL OF APPLICATION FOR AMENDMENT TO FACILITY OPERATING LICENSE

The U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (the Commission) has granted the request of Dominion Nuclear Connecticut, Inc. (DNC or the licensee) to withdraw its July 5, 2011, application for proposed amendment to Facility Operating License No. NPF-49 for the Millstone Power Station, Unit 3 (MPS3), located in town of Waterford, CT.

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For further details with respect to this action, see the application for amendment dated July 5, 2011, as supplemented by letter dated September 12, 2011, and the licensee's letter dated May 8, 2012, which withdrew the application for license amendment. Documents may be examined, and/or copied for a fee, at the NRC's Public Document Room (PDR), located at

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Dated at Rockville, Maryland, this 29th day of May 2012.

FOR THE NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

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