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U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission  
Attn: Document Control Desk  
Washington, D.C. 20555

Re: Nine Mile Point Unit 2  
Docket No. 50-410  
NPF-69

Gentlemen:

Niagara Mohawk Power Corporation hereby transmits an Application for Amendment to Nine Mile Point Unit 2 Operating License NPF-69. Attachment A provides the proposed changes to a License Condition and Technical Specifications of the above mentioned license. Supporting information and analyses demonstrating that the proposed changes involve no significant hazards considerations pursuant to 10 CFR 50.92 is included as Attachment B.

The proposed License Condition 2.C.(4) change contained herein involves an update indicating satisfaction of the license condition. License Condition 2.C.(4) required submittal of a turbine system maintenance program based on manufacturer's calculations of turbine missile generation by October 31, 1989. By letter dated March 15, 1990, the Staff evaluated and approved the Nine Mile Point 2 turbine system maintenance program which is based upon proprietary General Electric Company report, "Probability of Missile Generation in General Electric Nuclear Turbines."

The proposed Technical Specification change contained herein deletes Specification 3/4.3.8 and associated bases for the Turbine Overspeed Protection System. Deletion of Specification 3/4.3.8 will allow Niagara Mohawk to adjust turbine steam valve surveillance intervals in accordance with the manufacturer's plant specific recommendations and calculations of turbine missile generation and damage probabilities. The manufacturer's (General Electric Company) recommendations maintain calculated damage probabilities from turbine missiles to essential equipment below one in ten million events per year in accordance with the Staff evaluation in NUREG 1048, Supplement 6, Appendix U.

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Also, the proposed changes are consistent with NUREG-1434, "Standard Technical Specifications General Electric Plant, BWR/6" and previously approved Technical Specification Amendment No. 71 for the Fermi-2 facility and Amendment No. 60 for the Clinton Power Station, Unit No. 1.

Pursuant to 10 CFR 50.91(b)(1), Niagara Mohawk has provided a copy of this license amendment request and the associated analyses regarding no significant hazard considerations to the appropriate state representatives.

Should you have any questions or comments on this transmittal, do not hesitate to contact us.

Sincerely,



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