



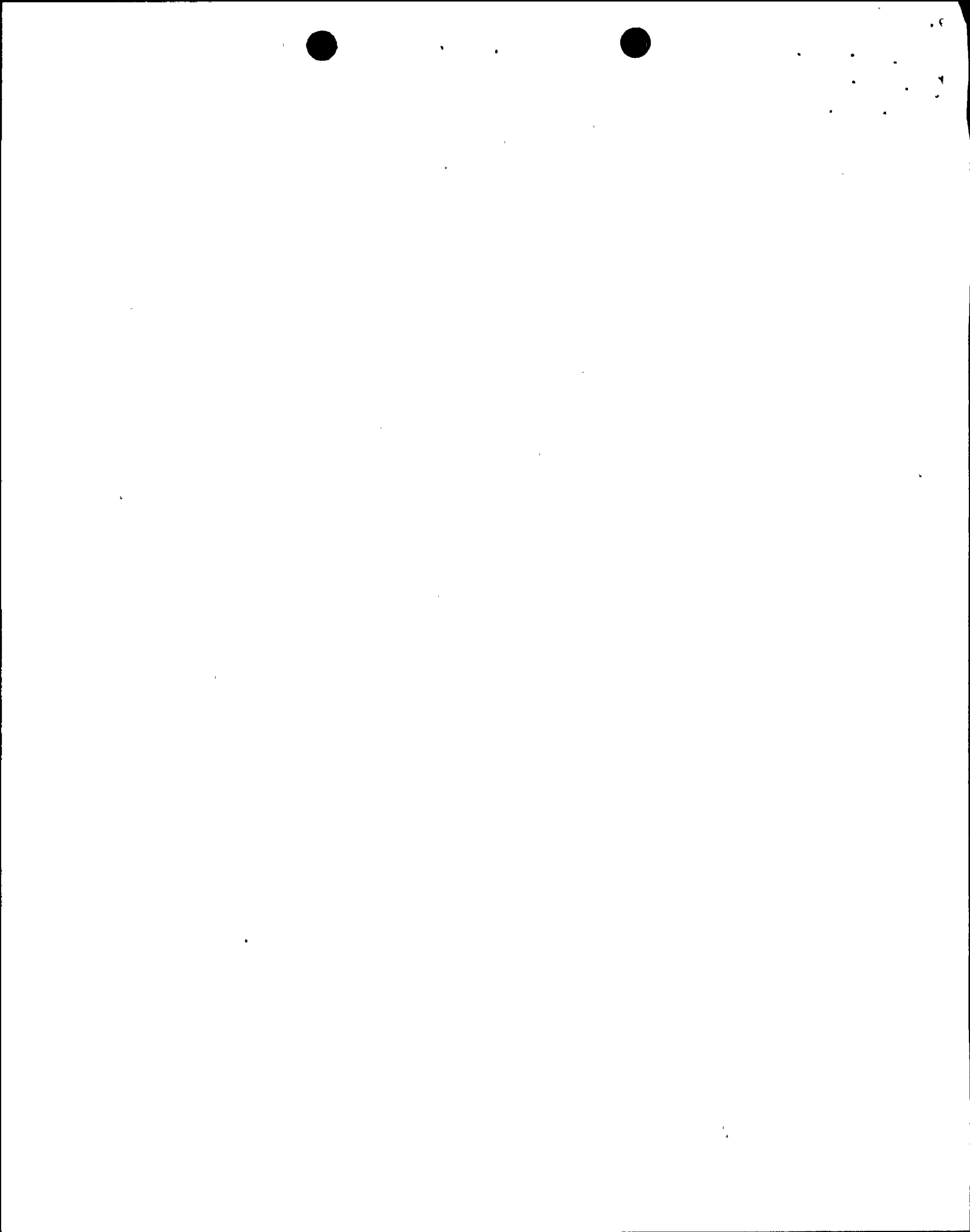
UNITED STATES
NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20555

NIAGARA MOHAWK POWER CORPORATION
DOCKET NO. 50-410
NINE MILE POINT NUCLEAR STATION, UNIT 2
AMENDMENT TO FACILITY OPERATING LICENSE

Amendment No. 38
License No. NPF-69

1. The Nuclear Regulatory Commission (the Commission) has found that:
 - A. The application for amendment by Niagara Mohawk Power Corporation (the licensee) dated January 17, 1992, complies with the standards and requirements of the Atomic Energy Act of 1954, as amended (the Act) and the Commission's rules and regulations set forth in 10 CFR Chapter 1;
 - B. The facility will operate in conformity with the application, the provisions of the Act, and the rules and regulations of the Commission;
 - C. There is reasonable assurance (i) that the activities authorized by this amendment can be conducted without endangering the health and safety of the public, and (ii) that such activities will be conducted in compliance with the Commission's regulations;
 - D. The issuance of this amendment will not be inimical to the common defense and security or to the health and safety of the public; and
 - E. The issuance of this amendment is in accordance with 10 CFR Part 51 of the Commission's regulations and all applicable requirements have been satisfied.
2. Accordingly, page 4, Section 2.C(3), of Facility Operating License No. NPF-69 is hereby amended to read as follows:
 - (3) Fuel Storage and Handling (Section 9.1, SSER 4)*
 - a. Fuel assemblies, when stored in their shipping containers, shall be stacked no more than three containers high.
 - b. When not in the reactor vessel, no more than three fuel assemblies shall be allowed outside of their shipping containers or storage racks in the New Fuel Vault or Spent Fuel Storage Facility.

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- c. The above three fuel assemblies shall maintain a minimum edge-to-edge spacing of twelve (12) inches from the shipping container array and approved storage rack locations.
 - d. The New Fuel Storage Vault shall have no more than ten fresh fuel assemblies uncovered at any one time.
3. This license amendment is effective as of the date of its issuance to be implemented within 30 days.

FOR THE NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

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Date of Issuance: March 24, 1992



(2) Technical Specifications and Environmental Protection Plan

The Technical Specifications contained in Appendix A and the Environmental Protection Plan contained in Appendix B, both of which are attached hereto, are hereby incorporated into this license. Niagara Mohawk Power Corporation shall operate the facility in accordance with the Technical Specifications and the Environmental Protection Plan.

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(4) Turbine System Maintenance Program (Section 3.5.1.3.10, SER)

Niagara Mohawk Power Corporation shall submit for NRC approval by October 31, 1989, a turbine system maintenance program based on the manufacturer's calculations of missile generation probabilities.

(5) Inservice Inspection (Sections 5.2.4.3 and 6.6.3, SSER 5)

Niagara Mohawk Power Corporation shall submit an inservice inspection program in accordance with 10 CFR § 50.55a(g)(4) for staff review by July 31, 1987.

* The parenthetical notation following the title of many license conditions denotes the section of the Safety Evaluation Report (SER) and/or its supplements wherein the license condition is discussed.



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