



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

NIAGARA MOHAWK POWER CORPORATION

DOCKET NO. 50-220

NINE MILE POINT NUCLEAR STATION UNIT NO. 1

AMENDMENT TO FACILITY OPERATING LICENSE

Amendment No. 135
License No. DPR-63

1. The Nuclear Regulatory Commission (the Commission) has found that:
 - A. The application for amendment by Niagara Mohawk Power Corporation (the licensee) dated October 16, 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 I;
 - 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, the license is amended by changes to the Technical Specifications as indicated in the attachment to this license amendment, and paragraph 2.C.(2) of Facility Operating License No. DPR-63 is hereby amended to read as follows:

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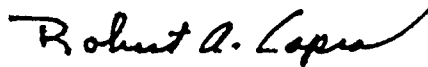


(2) Technical Specifications

The Technical Specifications contained in Appendices A and B, as revised through Amendment No. 135, are hereby incorporated in the license. The licensee shall operate the facility in accordance with the Technical Specifications.

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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Attachment:
Changes to the Technical
Specifications

Date of Issuance: December 17, 1992



ATTACHMENT TO LICENSE AMENDMENT

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Revise Appendix A as follows:

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LIMITING CONDITION FOR OPERATION

SURVEILLANCE REQUIREMENT

3.1.4 CORE SPRAY SYSTEM

Applicability:

Applies to the operating status of the core spray systems.

Objective:

To assure the capability of the core spray systems to cool reactor fuel in the event of a loss-of-coolant accident.

Specification:

- a. Whenever irradiated fuel is in the reactor vessel and the reactor coolant temperature is greater than 212°F, each of the two core spray systems shall be operable except as specified in Specifications b and c below.
- b. If a redundant component of a core spray system becomes inoperable, that system shall be considered operable provided that the component is returned to an operable condition within 7 days and the additional surveillance required is performed.
- c. If a redundant component in each of the core spray systems becomes inoperable, both systems shall be considered operable provided that the component is returned to an operable condition within 7 days and the additional surveillance required is performed.

4.1.4 CORE SPRAY SYSTEM

Applicability:

Applies to the periodic testing requirements for the core spray systems.

Objective:

To verify the operability of the core spray systems.

Specification:

The core spray system surveillance shall be performed as indicated below.

- a. At each major refueling outage automatic actuation of each subsystem in each core spray system shall be demonstrated.
 - b. At least once per quarter pump operability* shall be checked.
 - c. At least once per quarter the operability of power-operated valves required for proper system operation shall be checked.
- * Surveillance requirement 4.1.4.b does not apply to core spray system 11 from January 10, 1993, until the next plant shutdown but no later than February 20, 1993.

