

UNITED STATES NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

In the matter of )  
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Niagara Mohawk Power Corporation ) Docket No. 50-410  
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Nine Mile Point Nuclear Station Unit No. 2 )

APPLICATION FOR AMENDMENT TO OPERATING LICENSE

Pursuant to Section 50.90 of the Regulations of the Nuclear Regulatory Commission, Niagara Mohawk Power Corporation (NMPC), holder of Facility Operating License NPF-69, hereby requests that Sections 4.8.4.4a and 4.8.4.5a of the Technical Specifications (TS) set forth in Appendix A to that license be amended. The proposed changes have been reviewed in accordance with Section 6.5, "Review and Audit," of the TS.

The proposed changes to the Nine Mile Point Unit 2 (NMP2) TS revise the current surveillance frequencies of NMP2 TS Sections 4.8.4.4a and 4.8.4.5a to require channel functional testing of the Reactor Protection System (RPS) Motor Generator Set (M/G) and RPS Uninterruptible Power Supplies (UPS) Electrical Protection Assemblies (EPAs) at least once every 6 months. The relay actuation setpoints for the RPS M/G and RPS UPS EPA systems will not be affected by the proposed changes. The current TS Sections 4.8.4.4a and 4.8.4.5a require that channel functional testing be performed each time the plant is in cold shutdown for a period of more than 24 hours, unless performed within the previous 6 months.

The proposed changes will not authorize any change in the types of effluents or in the authorized power level of the facility in conjunction with this Application for License Amendment. Supporting information and analyses which demonstrate no significant hazards considerations pursuant to 10CFR50.92 are included as Attachment B.

WHEREFORE, Applicant respectfully requests that Appendix A to Facility Operating License No. NPF-69 be amended in the form attached hereto as Attachment A.

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Subscribed and sworn to before me  
on this 19<sup>th</sup> day of November, 1998

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