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December 31, 1984 G02-84-669

Director of Nuclear Reactor Regulation Attention: Mr. A. Schwencer, Chief Licensing Branch No. 2 Division of Licensing U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission Washington, D.C. 20555

Dear Mr. Schwencer:

Subject:

NUCLEAR PLANT NO. 2 OPERATING LICENSE NPF-21

DECLARATION OF COMMERCIAL OPERATION

Reference

Letter, D.W. Mazur to P.T. Johnson (BPA), same subject,

dated 12/13/84.

On December 13, 1984, the Power Ascension Test Program (PATP) at WNP-2 was completed. As a result of the successful completion of the PATP, including the 100 hour warranty run, Managing Director Don Mazur declared that the plant was "... ready to be operated on a commercial basis..."

Upon completion of the PATP, the primary containment atmosphere has been inerted in accordance with the plant technical specifications.

A copy of the reference letter, establishing December 13, 1984 as the "Official Date of Commercial Operation" is attached for your information.

We appreciate the professional manner in which you and your staff have handled your regulatory responsibilities in arriving at this significant milestone.

Very truly yours,

G. C. Sorensen, Manager Regulatory Programs

GCS/kd

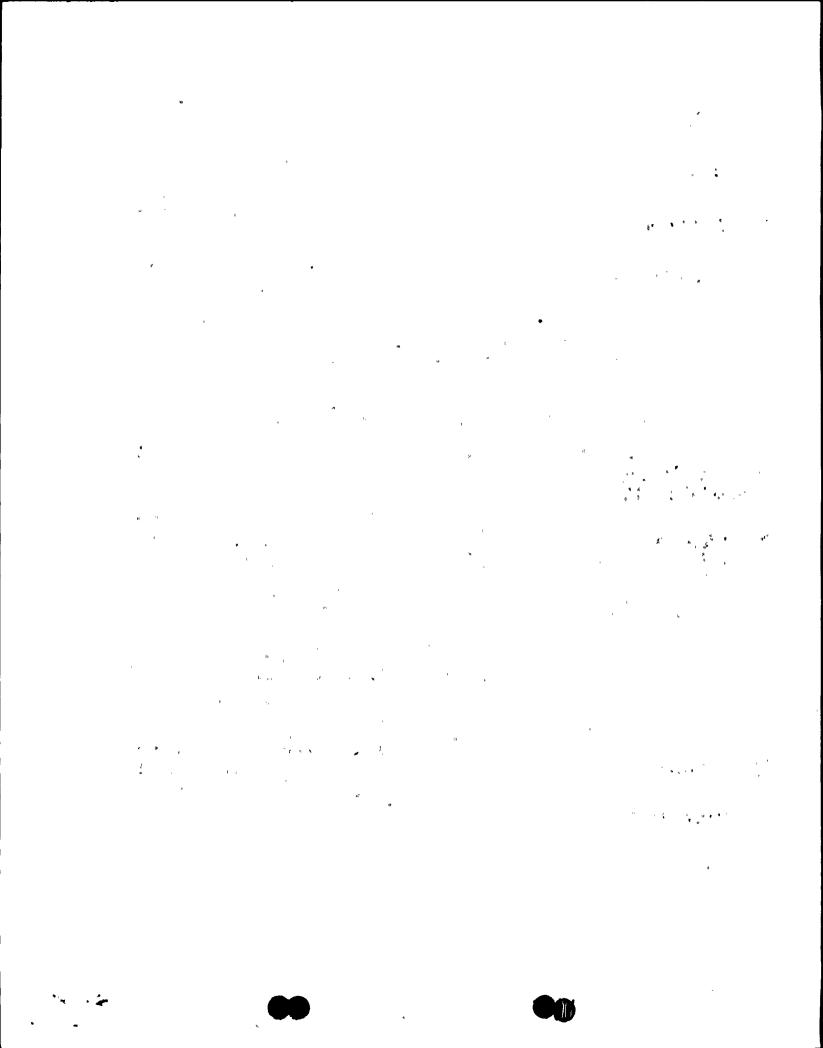
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December 13, 1984

Mr. Peter T. Johnson' Administrator Bonneville Power Administration P.O. Box 3621 Portland, Oregon 97208.

Dear Mr. Johnson:

Subject: COMMERCIAL OPERATION DATE EFFECTIVE DECEMBER 13, 1984

In accordance with Article I, Section 1.1(i) of Board of Directors Resolution No. 640, the Supply System and the Bonneville Power Administration have determined that as of December 13, 1984, Washington Public Power Supply System Nuclear Project No. 2 is ready to be operated on a Commercial basis and such date shall be the Official Date of Commercial Operation.

<u>Yery truly yours,</u>

D. W. Mazur

Managing Director

Concurrence: V

Peter T./Johnson

Administrator

Date: 17 December

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