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#### ARIZONA PUBLIC SERVICE COMPANY, ET AL.

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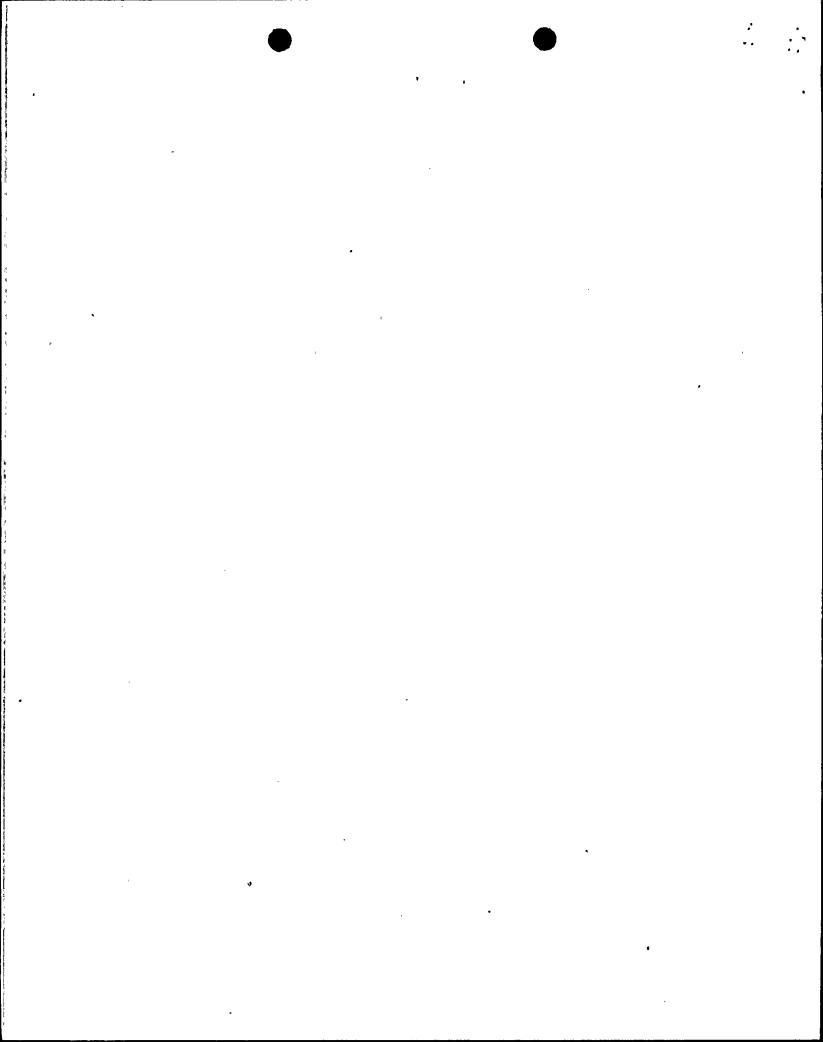
#### PALO VERDE NUCLEAR GENERATING STATION, UNIT NO. 1

#### AMENDMENT TO FACILITY OPERATING LICENSE

Amendment No. 5

- 1. The Nuclear Regulatory Commission (the Commission) has found that:
  - A. The application for amendment, dated November 19, 1985, by the Arizona Public Service Company (APS) on behalf of itself and the Salt River Project Agricultural Improvement and Power District, El Paso Electric Company, Southern California Edison Company, Public Service Company of New Mexico, Los Angeles Department of Water and Power, and Southern California Public Power Authority (licensees), 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 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;
  - 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 enclosure to this license amendment, and paragraph 2.C(2) of Facility Operating License No. NPF-41 is hereby amended to read as follows:

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(2) <u>Technical Specifications and Environmental Protection Plan</u>

The Technical Specifications contained in Appendix A, as revised through Amendment No. 5, and the Environmental Protection Plan contained in Appendix B, are hereby incorporated in this license. APS shall operate the facility in accordance with the Technical Specifications and the Environmental Protection Plan.

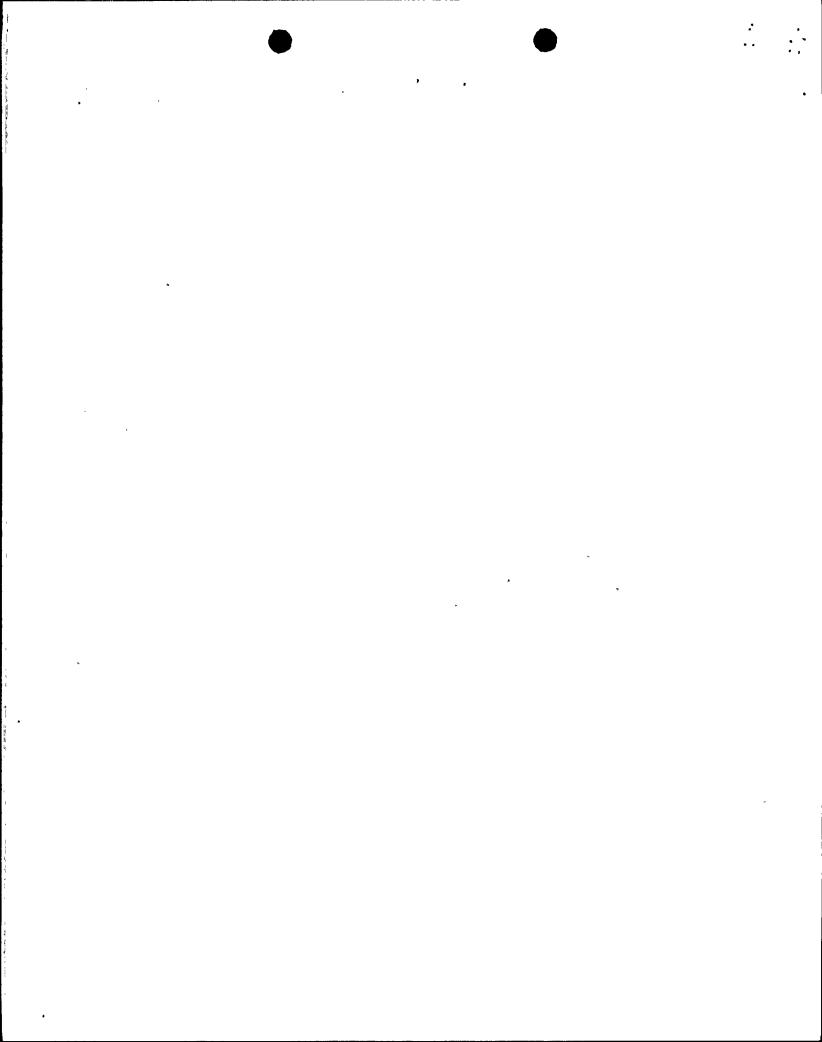
3. This license amendment is effective as of the date of issuance.

FOR THE NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

George W. Knighton, Director PWR Project Directorate No. 7 Division of PWR Licensing-B

Enclosure: Change to the Technical Specifications

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## ENCLOSURE TO LICENSE AMENDMENT NO. 5 FACILITY OPERATING LICENSE NO. NPF-41

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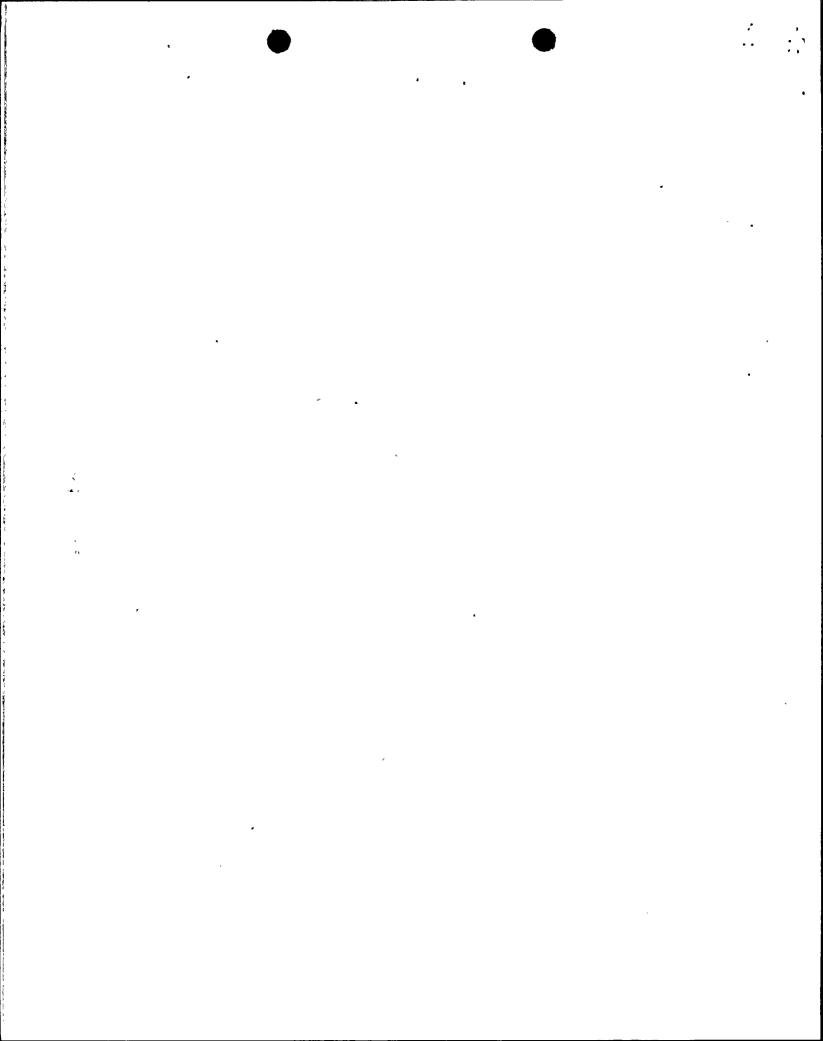
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#### **ELECTRIC HYDROGEN RECOMBINERS**

#### LIMITING CONDITION FOR OPERATION

3.6.4.2 Two portable independent containment hydrogen recombiner systems shared among the three units shall be OPERABLE.

APPLICABILITY: MODES 1 and 2.

#### ACTION:

With one hydrogen recombiner system inoperable, restore the inoperable system to OPERABLE status within 30 days or meet the requirements of Specification 3.6.4.3, or be in at least HOT STANDBY within the next 6 hours.\*

- 4.6.4.2 Each hydrogen recombiner system shall be demonstrated OPERABLE:
  - a. At least once per 6 months by:
    - 1. Verifying through a visual examination that there is no evidence of abnormal conditions within the recombiner enclosure and control console.
    - 2. Operating the air blast heat exchanger fan motor and enclosed blower motor continuously for at least 30 minutes.
  - b. At least once per year by:
    - 1. Performing a CHANNEL CALIBRATION of recombiner instrumentation.
    - 2. Performing a "Low-Level Test-Heater Power Off" and "Low-Level Test-Heater Power On" test and verifying that the recombiner temperature increases to and is maintained at 600 ± 25°F for at least 1 hour. With power off and a simulated input signal of 1280°F, verify the OPERABILITY of all control circuits. When this test is conducted, the air blast heat exchanger fan motor and enclosed blower motor shall be operated continuously for at least 30 minutes.
  - c. At least once per 5 years by performing a Recombiner System "High-Level Test" and verifying that the recombiner temperature increases to and is maintained at 1200 ± 50°F for at least one hour.

<sup>\*</sup>Prior to March 30, 1986 or until the completion of the environmental qualification modifications to the hydrogen recombiner system, whichever occurs first, the provisions of Specification 3.0.4 are not applicable during implementation of the environmental qualification modifications to the hydrogen recombiner system when the containment hydrogen purge cleanup system described in Specification 3.6.4.3 is OPERABLE.

#### HYDROGEN PURGE CLEANUP SYSTEM

#### LIMITING CONDITION FOR OPERATION

3.6.4.3 A containment hydrogen purge cleanup system, shared among the three units, shall be OPERABLE and capable of being powered from a minimum of one OPERABLE emergency bus.

APPLICABILITY: MODES 1\* and 2.\*

#### ACTION:

With the containment hydrogen purge cleanup system inoperable and one hydrogen recombiner OPERABLE as determined by Specification 4.6.4.2, restore the hydrogen purge cleanup system to OPERABLE status within 30 days or be in at least HOT STANDBY within the next 6 hours.

- 4.6.4.3 The hydrogen purge cleanup system shall be demonstrated OPERABLE:
  - a. At least once per 31 days by initiating flow through the HEPA filters and charcoal adsorbers and verifying that the system operates for at least 15 minutes.
  - b. At least once per 18 months or (1) after any structural maintenance on the HEPA filter or charcoal adsorber housings, or (2) following painting, fire, or chemical release in any ventilation zone communicating with the system by:
    - 1. Verifying that the cleanup system satisfies the in-place testing acceptance criteria and uses the test procedures of Regulatory Positions C.5.a, C.5.c, and C.5.d of Regulatory Guide 1.52, Revision 2, March 1978, and the system flow rate is 50 scfm ± 10%.
    - Verifying within 31 days after removal that a laboratory analysis of a representative carbon sample obtained in accordance with Regulatory Position C.6.b of Regulatory Guide 1.52, Revision 2, March 1978, meets the laboratory testing criteria of Regulatory Position C.6.a of Regulatory Guide 1.52, Revision 2, March 1978.

<sup>\*</sup>With less than two hydrogen recombiners OPERABLE.



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#### PALO VERDE NUCLEAR GENERATING STATION, UNIT NO. 2

#### AMENDMENT TO FACILITY OPERATING LICENSE

Amendment No. 1 License No. NPF-46

- 1. The Nuclear Regulatory Commission (the Commission) has found that:
  - A. The application for amendment, dated November 19, 1985, by the Arizona Public Service Company (APS) on behalf of itself and the Salt River Project Agricultural Improvement and Power District, El Paso Electric Company, Southern California Edison Company, Public Service Company of New Mexico, Los Angeles Department of Water and Power, and Southern California Public Power Authority (licensees), 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 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:
  - 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.
- Accordingly, the license is amended by changes to the Technical Specifications as indicated in the enclosure to this license amendment, and paragraph
   C(2) of Facility Operating License No. NPF-46 is hereby amended to read as follows:

#### (2) <u>Technical Specifications and Environmental Protection Plan</u>

The Technical Specifications contained in Appendix A, as revised through Amendment No. 1, and the Environmental Protection Plan contained in Appendix B, are hereby incorporated in this license. APS shall operate the facility in accordance with the Technical Specifications and the Environmental Protection Plan.

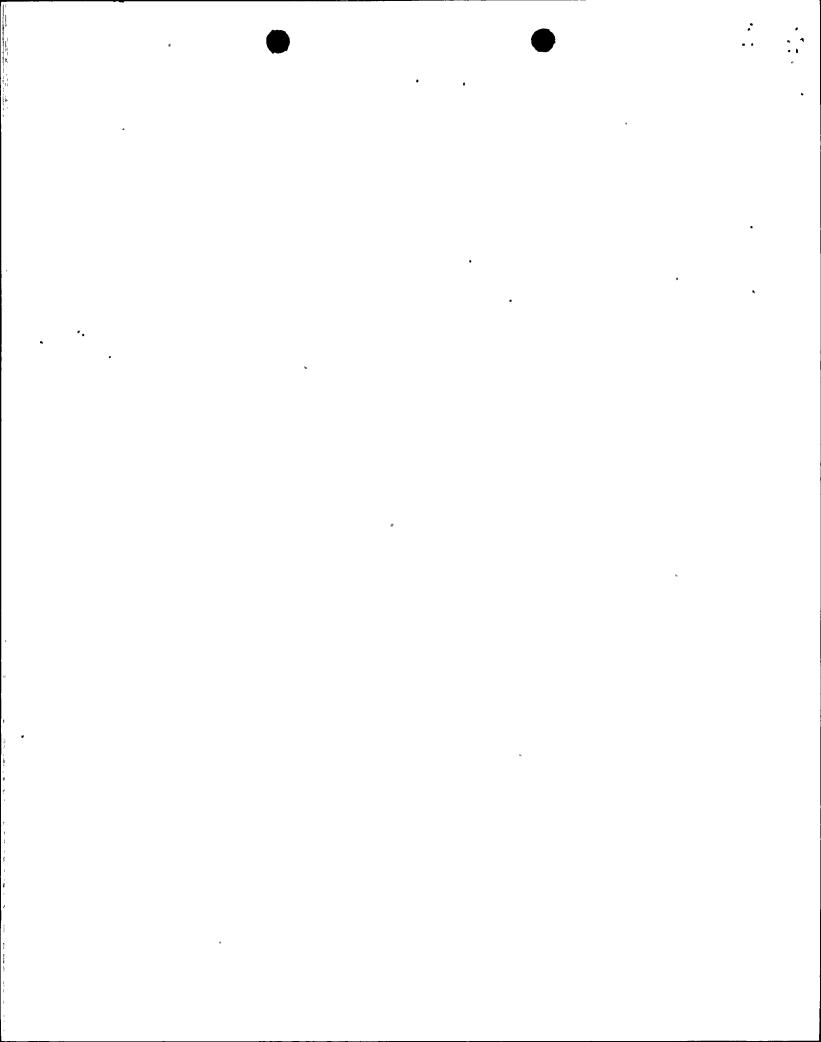
3. This license amendment is effective as of the date of issuance.

FOR THE NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

George W. Knighton, Director PWR Project Directorate No. 7 Division of PWR Licensing-B

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# FACILITY OPERATING LICENSE NO. NPF-46

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APPLICABILITY: MODES 1 and 2.

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APPLICABILITY: MODES 1\* and 2\*.

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