



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

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Docket No.: STN 50-528

Mr. E. E. Van Brunt, Jr.
Executive Vice President
Arizona Nuclear Power Project
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Dear Mr. Van Brunt:

Subject: Issuance of Amendment No. 18 to Facility Operating License No. NPF-41
for Palo Verde, Unit 1 (TAC NO. 65290)

The Commission has issued the enclosed Amendment No. 18 to Facility Operating License No. NPF-41 for Palo Verde Nuclear Generating Station, Unit 1. The amendment consists of changes to the Technical Specifications in response to your application transmitted by letter dated May 10, 1987, as supplemented by letter dated May 14, 1987.

The amendment revises Technical Specification 3/4.11.1, on a one time basis and for a period not to exceed March 31, 1988, to allow the release of secondary system liquid waste to the onsite evaporation pond, while the concentration of Antimony-124 exceeds 5×10^{-7} $\mu\text{Ci/ml}$, provided that the concentration does not exceed the limits of 10 CFR Part 20, Appendix B, Table II, Column 2.

A copy of the Safety Evaluation supporting the amendment is also enclosed. The notice of issuance will be included in the Commission's next regular bi-weekly Federal Register notice.

Sincerely,

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Enclosures:

1. Amendment No. 18 to NPF-41
2. Safety Evaluation

cc: See next page

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