

UNITED STATES NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSIONDOCKET 50-315INDIANA AND MICHIGAN ELECTRIC COMPANYNOTICE OF ISSUANCE OF AMENDMENT TO FACILITY
OPERATING LICENSE

The U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (the Commission) has issued Amendment No. 49 to Facility Operating License No. DPR-74 issued to Indiana and Michigan Electric Company (the licensee), which revised Technical Specifications for operation of Donald C. Cook Nuclear Plant, Unit Nos. 2 (the facility) located in Berrien County, Michigan. The amendment was effective on May 11, 1981 and expired at 12 midnight on May 15, 1981.

The amendment modifies License No. DPR-74 to include a one time only relief from the requirements of Technical Specifications Sections 3.0.4 and 4.0.4. This change allows a period of 72 hours for the plant to proceed with plant startup with one Safety Injection Pump inoperable. The amendment was authorized on an expedited basis to allow startup of the unit to continue while the inoperable pump was being repaired.

The application for the amendment complies with the standards and requirements of the Atomic Energy Act of 1954, as amended (the Act), and the Commission's rules and regulations. The Commission has made appropriate findings as required by the Act and the Commission's rules and regulations

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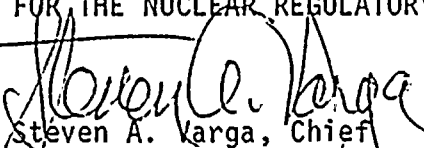
in 10 CFR Chapter I, which are set forth in the license amendment. Prior public notice of the amendment was not required since the amendment does not involve a significant hazards consideration.

The Commission has determined that the issuance of this amendment will not result in any significant environmental impact and that pursuant to 10 CFR §51.5(d)(4) an environmental impact statement or negative declaration and environmental impact appraisal need not be prepared in connection with issuance of this amendment.

For further details with respect to this action, see (1) the request for amendment dated May 11, 1981, (2) Amendment No. 49 to License No. DPR-74, and (3) the Commission's letters to the licensee dated May 12, 1981 and July 30, 1981. All of these items are available for public inspection at the Commission's Public Document Room, 1717 H Street, N. W., Washington, D. C. and at the Maude Reston Palenske Memorial Library, 500 Market Street, St. Joseph, Michigan 49085. A copy of items (2) and (3) may be obtained upon request addressed to the U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, Washington, D. C. 20555, Attention: Director, Division of Licensing.

Dated at Bethesda, Maryland, this 30th day of July, 1981.

FOR THE NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION


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