



**UNITED STATES  
NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION**  
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March 16, 2018

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President and Chief Nuclear Officer  
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**SUBJECT: OYSTER CREEK NUCLEAR GENERATING STATION - WITHDRAWAL OF  
AMENDMENT RE: REVISION OF RENEWED FACILITY OPERATING  
LICENSE CONDITION 2.C.(5) FOR BWRVIP-18, REVISION 2-A  
(CAC NO. MG0180; EPID L-2017-LLA-0304)**

Dear Mr. Hanson:

By application dated August 30, 2017 (Agencywide Documents Access and Management System (ADAMS) Accession No. ML17242A211), Exelon Generation Company, LLC (Exelon or the licensee), requested changes to Renewed Facility Operating License (FOL) No. DPR-16 for the Oyster Creek Nuclear Generating Station (Oyster Creek). Exelon requested an amendment to revise the Oyster Creek Renewed FOL license condition 2.C.(5) regarding the Electric Power Research Institute's technical report BWRVIP-18, "BWR [Boiling Water Reactor] Vessel and Internals Project, BWR Core Spray Internals inspection and Flaw Evaluation Guidelines," revision from 1999 to 2016.

Subsequently, by letter dated February 15, 2018 (ADAMS Accession No. ML18047A023), you withdrew the amendment request.

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The U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission has filed the enclosed Notice of Withdrawal of Application for Amendment to Facility Operating License with the Office of the *Federal Register* for publication.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "John G. Lamb". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first name "John" being the most prominent.

John G. Lamb, Senior Project Manager  
Special Projects and Process Branch  
Division of Operating Reactor Licensing  
Office of Nuclear Reactor Regulation

Docket No. 50-219

Enclosure:  
Notice of Withdrawal

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**NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION**

**[Docket No. 50-219; NRC-2018-0058]**

**Exelon Generation Company, LLC**

**Oyster Creek Nuclear Generating Station**

**Revision to License Condition 2.C.(5) Regarding BWRVIP-18**

**AGENCY:** Nuclear Regulatory Commission.

**ACTION:** License amendment application; withdrawal by applicant.

**SUMMARY:** The U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) has granted the request of Exelon Generation Company, LLC to withdraw its application dated August 30, 2017, for a proposed amendment to Renewed Facility Operating License No. DPR-16. The proposed amendment would have revised License Condition 2.C.(5) regarding the Electric Power Research Institute's (EPRI's) technical report BWRVIP-18, "BWR [Boiling Water Reactor] Vessel and Internals Project, BWR Core Spray Internals inspection and Flaw Evaluation Guidelines," revision from December 2, 1999, to December 21, 2016.

**DATES:** March 21, 2018.

**ADDRESSES:** Please refer to Docket ID **NRC 2018-0058** when contacting the NRC about the availability of information regarding this document. You may obtain publicly-available information related to this document using any of the following methods:

- **Federal Rulemaking Web Site:** Go to <http://www.regulations.gov> and search for Docket ID **NRC-2018-0058**. Address questions about NRC dockets to Jennifer Borges; telephone: 301-287-9127; e-mail: [Jennifer.Borges@nrc.gov](mailto:Jennifer.Borges@nrc.gov). For technical questions, contact the individual listed in the FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT section of this document.

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- **NRC's PDR:** You may examine and purchase copies of public documents at the NRC's PDR, Room O1-F21, One White Flint North, 11555 Rockville Pike, Rockville, Maryland 20852.

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**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:**

The NRC has granted the request of Exelon Generation Company, LLC (the licensee) to withdraw its August 30, 2017, application (ADAMS Accession No. ML17242A211), for a proposed amendment to Renewed Facility Operating License No. DPR-16 for the Oyster Creek Nuclear Generating Station, located in Ocean County, New Jersey.

The proposed amendment would have revised License Condition 2.C.(5) regarding EPRI's technical report BWRVIP-18, "BWR Vessel and Internals Project, BWR Core Spray Internals inspection and Flaw Evaluation Guidelines," revision from December 2, 1999, to December 21, 2016.

The Commission has previously issued a proposed finding that the amendment involves no significant hazards consideration, and there has been no public comment on such finding published in the *Federal Register* on October 10, 2017 (82 FR 47037). However, by letter dated February 15, 2018 (ADAMS Accession No. ML18047A023), the licensee requested to withdraw the proposed amendment.

Dated at Rockville, Maryland, this 16<sup>th</sup> day of March 2018.

For the Nuclear Regulatory Commission.

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John G. Lamb, Senior Project Manager,  
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