

**NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION**

**[Docket Nos. 50-277 and 50-278; NRC-2018-0266]**

**Exelon Generation Company, LLC**

**Peach Bottom Atomic Power Station; Units 2 and 3**

**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 September 27, 2018, for proposed amendments to Renewed Facility Operating License Nos. DPR-44 and DPR-56. The proposed amendments would have modified Technical Specification (TS) 3.3.6.2, "Secondary Containment Isolation Instrumentation."

**DATES:** [INSERT DATE OF PUBLICATION IN THE *FEDERAL REGISTER*].

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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 September 27, 2018, application (ADAMS Accession No. ML18271A009) for proposed amendments to Renewed Facility Operating License Nos. DPR-44 and DPR-56 for the Peach Bottom Atomic Power Station, Units 2 and 3, respectively, located in York County, Pennsylvania.

The proposed amendments would have authorized revisions to TS 3.3.6.2, “Secondary Containment Isolation Instrumentation,” to modify the applicability of Functions 3 and 4. Specifically, Function 3 (reactor building ventilation exhaust radiation – high) would have been revised to only be required when Function 4 (refueling floor

ventilation exhaust radiation – high) was not maintained. Function 4 would have been revised to only be required when Function 3 was not maintained. Further, this change would have clarified which standby gas treatment subsystems were required to be put into operation or declared inoperable as described in TS 3.3.6.2, Condition C, for Required Actions C.2.1 and C.2.2.

On November 20, 2018, a *Federal Register* notice was published (83 FR 58612) indicating a finding of no significant impact for the proposed license amendment. On March 11, 2019 (ADAMS Accession No. ML19071A062), the licensee sent a letter requesting withdrawal of the license amendment application.

Dated at Rockville, Maryland, this 21<sup>st</sup> day of March, 2019.

For the Nuclear Regulatory Commission.

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