INFORMATION REPORT

For:

The Commissioners

Thru:

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From:

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Subject:

Information on Upcoming Power Reactor Licensing Cases

Purpose:

To provide data requested by the Commission

Discussion:

By memorandum of June 19, 1979, the Commission requested data

related to deferral of reactor licenses.

The data is provided in the two attachments to this paper.

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Attachments:

 Cases Where Boards Might Reach a Conclusion over the Next Six Months

2. Information on Population - Upcoming Cases

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CASES WHERE BOARDS MIGHT REACH A CONCLUSION OVER THE NEXT SIX MONTHS

The estimated dates shown below include some time for factoring in the "Lessons Learned" from the TMI-2 accident. The nature of the changes may be such that with appropriate commitments from the applicant, favorable findings can be made for the construction permit applications shown below. Therefore, the schedular impact on these construction permit applications of "Lessons Learned" may be reasonably consistent with the dates shown below. However, for operating license applications, the schedules shown below may be optimistic depending on the results from "Lessons Learned", the staff's perception of acceptable implementation schedules, and the Boards views.

CONSTRUCTION PERMITS

Plant

Black Fox, Units 1 & 2 Palo Verde Units 4 & 5 Pebble Springs Units 1 & 2 Pilgrim 2 Perkins

OPERATING LICENSE

Plant

Diable Canyon Unit 1 Zimmer McGuire

EARLY SITE REVIEWS

Plant

Blue Hills

Estimated Decision Date

September, 1979 November, 1979 December, 1979 November, 1979 August, 1979 1/

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July, 1979

- 1/ Perkins hearing completed February 2, 1979; pending before ASLB. This estimated date does not take into account recent announcement by Duke Power deferring Perkins units for operating in the 1990's. Impact of this deferral on Board's decision is unknown at this time.
- 2/ Initial decision issued April 18, 1979. However, effectiveness of initial decision stayed until further order by the Board following issuance of Supplement to the staff's Safety Evaluation Report addressing significance of any unresolved generic safety issues.

INFORMATION ON POPULATION - UPCOMING CASES

Plant	LPZ (Miles)	LPZ 1970	0-50 Mi. 1970	>25,000	Population Centers >100,000	>200,000	Distance (Miles)
Black Fox	2.5	220	640,000	Muskogee, OK Bartlesville, OK		Tules Or	28 50
Palo Verde	3.5	130	330,000			Tulsa, OK Phoenix, AZ	50 25 46
Pebble Springs	2	6	75,000		-		(none)
Pilgrim 2	4.2	5400	4,200,000	Brockton, MA (143 others)	New Bedford, MA Cambridge, MA Providence, RI	with Boston, MA	25 50 28 40 44 38
Perkins	5	4500	1,500,000	High Point, NC Kannapolis, NC	Winston Salem, NC Greensboro, NC	Charlotte, NC	26 26 21 40 48
Diablo Canyon	6	13	210,000	San Luis Obispo, Santa Maria, CA Lompoc, CA	CA		11 30 45
Zimmer 559921	3	1700	1,800,000	Newport, KY Covington, KY Norwood, OH Hamilton, OH Middletown, OH		Cincinnati, OH	21 22 24 41 46 22
McGuire &	5.5	3500	1,400,000	Gastonia, NC Kannapolis, NC Rock Hill, SC		Charlotte, NC	18 19 35 15
Blue Hills	3	10	160,000			· -	(none)