

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

Before the Director of the Office of Nuclear Reactor Regulation

In the Matter of)	
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DAIRYLAND POWER COOPERATIVE)	Docket No. 50-409
)	(Show Cause)
(La Crosse Boiling Water)	
Reactor))	

LICENSEE'S ANSWER TO
ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE

Pursuant to 10 C.F.R., Para. 2.202(b), Dairyland Power Cooperative (DPC or Dairyland), the holder of Provisional Operating License No. DPR-45 for the La Crosse Boiling Water Reactor (LACBWR), and the Licensee in the above-referenced proceeding, hereby submits its answer to the Order to Show Cause issued by the Director of the Office of Nuclear Reactor Regulation on January 2, 1980, as follows:

1. The Licensee admits the statements contained in Parts I - III of the Order to Show Cause.

2. By January 31, 1980 the Licensee will implement all applicable "Category A" requirements referred to in Part III of the Order to Show Cause, except those listed in paragraph 3 herein, the implementation of which will be delayed owing to the unavailability of the necessary equipment.

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3. The Licensee will implement the following "Category A" requirements, within 30 days of the availability of the necessary equipment, but, in any event, no later than June 1, 1980:


- (A) Category A Requirement Nos. 2.1.3.a. (Direct Indication of Power-Operated Relief Valve and Safety Valve Position) and 2.1.4 (Containment Isolation). The equipment necessary for the installation of an environmentally qualified system providing direct position indication and for the modification of the containment isolation system has been ordered. The last piece of equipment necessary to accomplish these tasks is scheduled for delivery on February 11, 1980. See Appendix A. LACBWR will be shut down to implement these requirements within 30 days of the delivery of this equipment.
- (B) Category A Requirement No. 2.1.8.c. (Improved In-Plant Iodine Instrumentation). The type of detector necessary to enhance the capability of the plant's iodine detection and instrumentation system in accordance with this requirement has been ordered and is scheduled for delivery on February 8, 1980. This requirement does not necessitate shutdown, and Dairyland presently intends to complete the implementation of this requirement upon delivery of this item. See Appendix B.

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Accordingly, pursuant to 10 C.F.R. Para. 2.202(d) and (e), the Licensee hereby consents to the entry of an order in substantially the form proposed in the order to show cause.*/

Respectfully submitted,

DAIRYLAND POWER COOPERATIVE


Frank Linder, General Manager

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*/ Dairyland reserves the right to seek modification of the Order if unforeseen and unavoidable delays should arise in the implementation of the "Category A" requirements pursuant to the terms of the Order.

APPENDIX A

The switches required to complete Item 2.1.3.a (Direct Indication of Relief Valve Position) have been ordered under Dairyland Power Cooperative Purchase Order No. A73089 from Namco Controls, a Division of ACME-Cleveland Co., 170 East 131st St., Cleveland, Ohio 44108 (216) 268-4200, with delivery scheduled for February 11, 1980.

The necessary electrical contacts for existing relays and push-button controls required to complete Item 2.1.4 (Containment Isolation) were ordered under Dairyland Power Cooperative Purchase Order No. A73053 from General Electric Supply Co., 63 Draft St., La Crosse, Wisconsin 54601, (608) 782-7802, and were also not available when the Order to Show Cause was issued. It is Dairyland's understanding that these requirements must be implemented within 30 days of the delivery of the switches referred to above in order to comply with these Category A requirements of the Order to Show Cause.

APPENDIX B

The scintillation gamma probe, regulated air sampler and connecting cable required to complete Item 2.1.8.c (Improved In-Plant Iodine Instrumentation) have been ordered under Dairyland Power Cooperative Purchase Order No. A73090 from Eberline Instrument Corporation, c/o Don Miller, Rte. 3, Box 5573, Elgin, Illinois 60120, (312) 647-1023, with delivery scheduled for February 8, 1980.

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