BEFORE THE UNITED STATES NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

In the matter of SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA

EDISON COMPANY and SAN DIEGO GAS &

ELECTRIC COMPANY San Onofre Nuclear

Generating Station, Units 2 and 3

Docket No. 50-361 Unit 2 Docket No. 50-362 Unit 3

Amendment No. 1 to Material License No. SNM-1844

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA EDISON COMPANY and SAN DIEGO GAS & ELECTRIC COMPANY hereby submit application for Amendment Number 1 to NRC Materials License Number SNM-1844.

This amendment consists of an increase to thirty-five (35) grams in the maximum amount of U-235 in any enrichment that the licensee may possess at any one time under this license.

In the event of a conflict, the information in this application for Amendment No. 1 to Materials License SNM-1844 supersedes the information previously submitted.

AMENDMENT 1

to Materials License Number SNM-1844 for San Onofre Nuclear Generating Station, Units 2&3

Revise item 8, maximum amount that licensee may possess at any one time under this license, to

"A. Thirty-five (35) grams of U-235 at any enrichment"

REASON

Four (4) additional fission chambers, originally purchased as part of the nuclear instrumentation system (NIS) control channels, 2 per unit, need to be stored onsite. These 4 additional fission chambers contain a total of approximately 3.2 grams of U-235. Also, an undetermined number of spare fission chambers for the NIS safety channels will need to be stored onsite. To provide for storage onsite of the 3.2 grams of U-235 in the control channel fission chambers and U-235 in spare safety channel fission chambers in addition to the maximum amount of 20 grams of U-235 currently permitted under this license, it is requested that the maximum amount of U-235 at any enrichment that the licensee may possess at any one time under this license be increased to thirty-five (35) grams.

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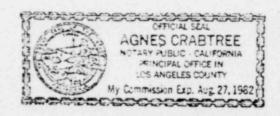
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Respectively submitted, SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA EDISON COMPANY

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Subscribed and sworn to before me this

7th day of DECEMBER 1979

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