

The Honorable Ed Bethuna

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Such Notice would provide opportunity for any person whose interest may be affected to file a request for a hearing in the form of a petition for leave to intervene with respect to the approval of the modification to the subject spent fuel storage pool facility in accordance with the provisions of Section 2.714 of 10 CFR Part 2 of the Commission's Regulations.

In the case of a proposed increase in spent fuel storage pool, when found acceptable, we normally prepare a safety evaluation and an environmental impact appraisal which would support a Notice in the Federal Register that an environmental impact statement is not warranted. Such action would be done in accordance with 10 CFR Part 51 of the Commission's Regulations.

We trust that we have been responsive to your request and Mr. Laceywell's concerns.

Sincerely,

(Signed) T. A. Rehm

William J. Dircks, Acting Executive
Director for Operations

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