

UNITED STATES NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSIONDOCKET NO. 50-254COMMONWEALTH EDISON COMPANY  
AND  
IOWA-ILLINOIS GAS AND ELECTRIC COMPANYNOTICE OF ISSUANCE OF AMENDMENT TO FACILITY  
OPERATING LICENSE

The U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (the Commission) has issued Amendment No. 56 to Facility Operating License No. DPR-29, issued to Commonwealth Edison Company (acting for itself and on behalf of the Iowa-Illinois Gas and Electric Company), which revised the license for operation of the Quad Cities Nuclear Power Station Unit No. 1 (the facility) located in Rock Island County, Illinois. The amendment is effective as of its date of issuance.

The amendment authorizes operation of the reactor beyond the previously analyzed end-of-cycle coastdown conditions and is based upon analyses performed and accepted for like cores.

The application for the amendment complies with the standards and requirements of the Atomic Energy Act of 1954, as amended (the Act), and the Commission's rules and regulations. The Commission has made appropriate findings as required by the Act and the Commission's rules and regulations in 10 CFR Chapter I, which are set forth in the license amendment. Prior public notice of this amendment was not required since the amendment does not involve a significant hazards consideration.

The Commission has determined that the issuance of this amendment will not result in any significant environmental impact and that pursuant to 10 CFR Section 51.5(d)(4) an environmental impact statement or negative

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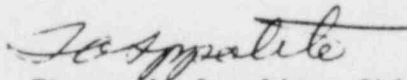
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declaration and environmental impact appraisal need not be prepared in connection with issuance of this amendment.

For further details with respect to this action, see (1) the application for amendment dated June 6, 1980, (2) Amendment No. 56 to License No. DPR-29, and (3) the Commission's related Safety Evaluation. All of these items are available for public inspection at the Commission's Public Document Room, 1717 H Street, N. W., Washington, D. C., and at the Moline Public Library, 504 - 17th Street, Moline, Illinois 61265. A copy of items (2) and (3) may be obtained upon request addressed to the U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, Washington, D. C. 20555, Attention: Director, Division of Licensing.

Dated at Bethesda, Maryland, this 26th day of June 1980.

FOR THE NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION



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