

UNITED STATES NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

DOCKETS NOS. 50-269, 50-270 AND 50-287

DUKE POWER COMPANY

NOTICE OF ISSUANCE OF AMENDMENTS TO FACILITY
OPERATING LICENSES

The U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (the Commission) has issued Amendments Nos. 45, 45, and 42 to Facility Operating Licenses Nos. DPR-38, DPR-47 and DPR-55, respectively, issued to Duke Power Company (the licensee), which revised Technical Specifications for operation of the Oconee Nuclear Station Units Nos. 1, 2 and 3, (the facilities) located in Oconee County, South Carolina. The amendments are effective as of the date of issuance.

The amendments revise the Technical Specifications (1) to establish operating limits for Unit 2 Cycle 3 operation and (2) to establish requirements for testing reactor core internal vent valves.

The applications for the amendments comply 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 amendments. Prior public notice of these amendments was not required since the amendments do not involve a significant hazards consideration.

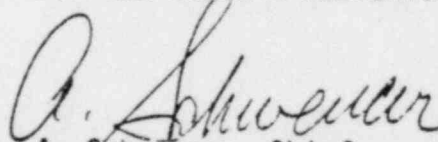
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The Commission has determined that the issuance of these amendments will not result in any significant environmental impact and that pursuant to 10 CFR 50.5(d)(4) an environmental impact statement or negative declaration and environmental impact appraisal need not be prepared in connection with issuance of the amendments.

For further details with respect to this action, see (1) the application for amendments dated May 6, 1977, as supplemented June 21 and July 11, 1977, (2) application for amendments dated March 1, 1977, as supplemented May 5, 1977, (3) Amendments Nos. 45, 45, and 42 to Licenses Nos. DPR-38, DPR-47 and DPR-55, and (4) 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 Oconee County Library, 201 South Spring Street, Walhalla, South Carolina 29691. A copy of items (2), (3) and (4) may be obtained upon request addressed to the U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, Washington, D. C. 20555, Attention: Director, Division of Operating Reactors.

Dated at Bethesda, Maryland, this 29th day of July 1977.

FOR THE NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION



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