

UNITED STATES NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSIONDOCKET NOS. 50-237 AND 50-249COMMONWEALTH EDISON COMPANYNOTICE OF ISSUANCE OF AMENDMENTS TO FACILITY
OPERATING LICENSES

The U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (the Commission) has issued Amendment No. 48 to Provisional Operating License No. DPR-19, and Amendment No. 43 to Facility Operating License No. DPR-25 issued to Commonwealth Edison Company (licensee) which revised the Technical Specifications for operation of the Dresden Nuclear Power Station, Units Nos. 2 and 3, located in Grundy County, Illinois. The amendments are effective as of the date of issuance.

The amendments revise the provisions in the Technical Specifications to list two new valves in Table 3.7.1, to decrease the probability of an inadvertent release of radioactive materials following an accident.

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

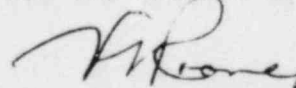
The Commission has determined that the issuance of these amendments will not result in any significant environmental impact and that pursuant to 10 CFR Section 51.5(d)(4) an environmental impact statement, or negative declaration and environmental impact appraisal need not be prepared in connection with issuance of these amendments.

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For further details with respect to this action, see (1) the application for amendments dated February 7, 1980, (2) Amendment No. 48 to License No. DPR-19, and Amendment No. 43 to License No. DPR-25, and (3) the Commission's related letter to the licensee dated April 17, 1980. 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 Morris Public Library, 604 Liberty Street, Morris, Illinois. 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 Operating Reactors.

Dated at Bethesda, Maryland, this 17th day of April 1980.

FOR THE NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION



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