

UNITED STATES NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSIONDOCKET NO. 50-368ARKANSAS POWER AND LIGHT COMPANYARKANSAS NUCLEAR ONE, UNIT 2NOTICE OF ISSUANCE OF AMENDMENT TO FACILITY OPERATING LICENSE

The U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (the Commission) has issued Amendment No. 13 to Facility Operating License No. NPF-6 issued to Arkansas Power and Light Company for Operation of Arkansas Nuclear One, Unit 2 (the facility) located at the licensee's site in Pope County, Arkansas. The amended license is effective as of its date of issuance.

The amendment changes the required date for the implementation of further containment radiation monitoring instrumentation to be consistent with the staff's requirements as set forth in NUREG-0578, "TMI-2 Lessons Learned Task Force Status Report and Short Term Recommendations", and the letter of Mr. H. Denton, Director, NRR, dated October 30, 1979 to all power reactor licensees.

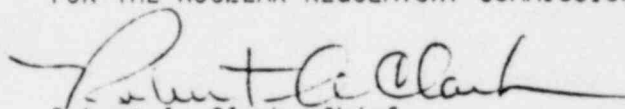
The application for the amendment complies with the standards and requirements of the Atomic Energy Act of 1954, as amended (the Act), and the Commission's rules and regulations. The Commission has made appropriate findings as required by the Act and the Commission's rules and regulations in 10 CFR Chapter 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 declaration and environmental impact appraisal need not be prepared in connection with the issuance of this amendment.

For further details with respect to this action, see (1) the application for amendment dated July 21, 1980, (2) Amendment No. 13 to Facility Operating License No. NPF-6, and (3) the Commission's related Safety Evaluation. These items are available for public inspection at the Commission's Public Document Room at 1717 Street, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20555 and the Arkansas Polytechnic College, Russellville, Arkansas 72801. A copy of items (1) and (2) 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 31st day of July, 1980.

FOR THE NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION



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