UNITED STATES NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION PACIFIC GAS AND ELECTRIC COMPANY DOCKET' NOS. 50-275 AND 50-323 NOTICE OF PARTIAL DENIAL OF AMENDMENTS TO FACILITY OPERATING LICENSES AND OPPORTUNITY FOR HEARING

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The United States Nuclear Regulatory Commission (the Commission) has denied in part a request by the Pacific Gas and Electric Company (the licensee) for amendments to Facility Operating License Nos. DPR-B0 and DPR-82, issued to the licensee for operation of the Diablo Canyon Power Plant, Unit Nos. 1 and 2, respectively, located in San Luis Obispo County, California. The Notice of Consideration of Issuance of Amendments was published in the Federal Register on May 3, 1989 at 54 FR 18950.

The amendments, as proposed by the licensee, would change Section 6.0, "Administrative Controls," of the Technical Specifications regarding the General Office Nuclear Plant Review and Audit Committee (GONPRAC) membership, operating personnel working hours and limits, the plant staff qualifications and training program, and routine and special reports. The Commission's staff finds acceptable the changes that are applicable to the GONPRAC, and to routine and special reports. The other proposed changes are unacceptable, because they do not conform to the Commission's requirements and guidance for such matters. Therefore, the request for amendments is denied in part.

By August 25, 1989, the licensee may demand a hearing with respect to the denial described above and any person whose interest may be affected by this proceeding may file a written petition for leave to intervene.

A request for a hearing or petition for leave to intervene must be filed with the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, Washington, D.C. 20555, Attention: Rules and Procedures Branch, Office of Administration, or may be

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delivered to the Commission's Public Document Room, 2120 L Street, NW., Washington, DC 20555, by the above date.

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A copy of any petitions should also be sent to the Office of the General Counsel, U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, Washington, D.C. 20555, and to Richard R. Locke, Esq., Pacific Gas and Electric Company, P.O. Box 7442, San Francisco, California 94120 and Bruce Norton, Esq., c/o Pacific Gas and Electric Company, P.O. Box 7442, San Francisco, California 94120, attorneys for the licensee.

For further details with respect to this action, see (1) the application for amendments dated March 20, 1989, as supplemented by letter dated June 29, 1989, (2) Amendments Nos. 43 and 42 to License Nos. DPR-80 and DPR-82, and (3 the Commission's related Safety Evaluation. All of these items are available for public inspection at the Commission's Public Document Room, 2120 L Street, NW., Washington, DC 20555, and at the California Polytechnic State University Library, Government Documents and Maps Department, San Luis Obispo, California 93407. A copy of items (2) and (3) may be obtained upon request addressed to the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, Washington, DC 20555, Attention: Director, Division of Reactor Projects - III, IV, V and Special Projects.

Dated at Rockville, Maryland, this 19th day of July, 1989.

FOR THE NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

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