

UNITED STATES NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

DOCKET NO. 50-29

YANKEE ATOMIC ELECTRIC COMPANY

NOTICE OF ISSUANCE OF AMENDMENT TO FACILITY  
OPERATING LICENSE

The U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (the Commission) has issued Amendment No. 50 to Facility Operating License No. DPR-3, issued to Yankee Atomic Electric Company (the licensee), which revised the Technical Specifications for operation of the Yankee Nuclear Power Station (Yankee-Rowe) (the facility) located in Rowe, Franklin County, Massachusetts. The amendment is effective as of its date of issuance.

The amendment revises the Technical Specifications by eliminating specific pressurizer surveillance requirements and adding the requirements of 10 CFR 50.55a(g).

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.


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The Commission has determined that the issuance of this amendment will not result in any significant environmental impact and that pursuant to 10 CFR §51.5(d)(4) an environmental impact statement or negative 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 7, 1978, (2) Amendment No. 50 to License No. DPR-3, 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 Greenfield Community College, 1 College Drive, Greenfield, Massachusetts 01301. 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 31st day of July, 1978.

FOR THE NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

  
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Division of Operating Reactors

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Docket No. (s) 50-29 3 Date: June 21, 1978

William O. Miller  
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Office of Administration

~~Priority Items~~

FACILITY AMENDMENT CLASSIFICATION - Yankee Rowe

Applicant: Yankee Atomic Electric Co.

License No. (s) DPR-3 Mail Control No: 73/640036

Application Dated: ~~6/1/78~~ 6/7/78 Fee Remitted  yes  no

Applicant's Fee Classification: Class I,  II,  III,  IV,  V,  VI,  None

Amendment No: 50 Date of Issuance 7/31/78

- 1. This application has been reviewed by DOR/DPII in accordance with Section 170.22 of Part 170 and is properly categorized.
- 2. This application is incorrectly classified and should be properly categorized as Class III Justification for reclassification: this application involves a single safety issue: surveillance requirements for the pressurizer relief valve, Section 4.4.4.
- 3. Additional information is required to properly categorize the license amendment: \_\_\_\_\_
- 4. The application was filed (a) \_\_\_\_\_ by a nonprofit educational institution, (b) \_\_\_\_\_ by a Government agency, (c) \_\_\_\_\_ pursuant to written NRC recommendations and the amendment will be issued for the convenience of the Commission, and (d) \_\_\_\_\_ Other (state reason therefor): \_\_\_\_\_

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Dennis L. Zeman  
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5. This application has been reviewed and is exempt from fees. 6/17/78  
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Attached: Appel  
6/21/78

William O. Miller, Chief  
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