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Gentlemen:

SUBJECT: AMENDMENTS TO CONSTRUCTION PERMITS FOR SAN ONOFRE NUCLEAR GENERATING STATION, UNITS 2 AND 3

Your letter of July 17, 1979, transmitted an application for amendments to the San Onofre 2 and 3 construction permits to add the City of Riverside and the City of Anaheim as co-owners of the San Onofre Nuclear Generating Station, Units 2 and 3. Subsequently, your letter of June 16, 1980, provided additional information for our review.

In connection with your application, we have requested and received advice from the Attorney General of the United States. The Attorney General found that no antitrust hearing was necessary with respect to the transfer of ownership interest. Notice of the receipt of the Attorney General's advice was published in the Federal Register on February 14, 1980 (45 F.R. 10099). No petitions to intervene on this ownership transfer have been received by the Commission.

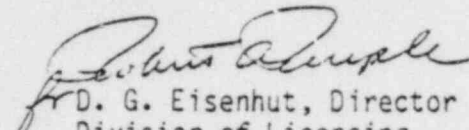
We have reviewed your application and have concluded that the City of Riverside and the City of Anaheim are financially qualified to participate in the ownership of San Onofre 2 and 3. We have further concluded that this action does not involve a significant hazards consideration, does not constitute an unreasonable risk to the health and safety of the public, and is not inimical to the common defense and security. The bases for these conclusions are set forth in the enclosed Safety Evaluation. Following execution of the purchase and ownership agreement, eight copies of this agreement are to be submitted to the Nuclear Regulatory Commission staff.

We have also concluded that there will be no environmental impact attributable to the proposed action that was not considered in our Final Environmental Statement, and that therefore no environmental impact statement need be prepared for the proposed action. The bases for these conclusions are set forth in the enclosed Environmental Impact Appraisal. Also enclosed is the applicable Negative Declaration.

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Therefore, the Commission has issued the enclosed Amendment No. 2 to CPPR-97 and Amendment No. 2 to CPPR-98 for San Onofre 2 and 3, which reflect the changes discussed. A copy of a related notice, which has been forwarded to the Office of the Federal Register for publication, is also enclosed.

Sincerely,


D. G. Eisenhut, Director
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Enclosures:

1. Amendment 2 to CPPR-97
2. Amendment 2 to CPPR-98
3. Safety Evaluation
4. Negative Declaration
5. Environmental Impact Appraisal
6. Federal Register Notice

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