

UNITED STATES NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSIONDOCKET NOS. 50-237, 50-249, 50-254, 50-265COMMONWEALTH EDISON COMPANY
AND
IOWA-ILLINOIS GAS AND ELECTRIC COMPANYNOTICE OF ISSUANCE OF AMENDMENTS TO
OPERATING LICENSES

The U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (the Commission) has issued Amendment No. 63 to Provisional Operating License No. DPR-19 and Amendment No. 54 to Facility Operating License No. DPR-25, issued to Commonwealth Edison Company, which revised the licenses for operation of the Dresden Nuclear Power Station, Unit Nos. 2 and 3, respectively, located in Grundy County, Illinois. The Commission has also issued Amendment No. 73 to Facility Operating License No. DPR-29 and Amendment No. 66 to Facility Operating License No. DPR-30 issued to Commonwealth Edison Company and Iowa-Illinois Gas and Electric Company, which revised the licenses for operation of the Quad Cities Nuclear Power Station, Unit Nos. 1 and 2, located in Rock Island County, Illinois.

The amendments authorize operation of Dresden Units No. 2 and 3 and Quad Cities 1 and 2 with one recirculation loop out of service. The amendments add 8 license conditions to each license requiring a power level of safety for operation with one recirculation loop out of service.

The application for 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.


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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 would not be prepared in connection with issuance of these amendments.

For further details with respect to this action, see (1) the application for amendments dated June 30, 1981, (2) Amendment No. 63 to Provisional Operating License No. DPR-19, Amendment No. 54 to Facility Operating License No. DPR-25, Amendment No. 73 to Facility Operating License No. DPR-29 and Amendment No. 66 to Facility Operating License No. DPR-30, 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 Morris Public Library, 604 Liberty Street, Morris, Illinois for Dresden 2 and 3, and at the Moline Public Library, 504-17th Street, Moline, Illinois for Quad Cities 1 and 2. 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 Licensing.

Dated at Bethesda, Maryland, this 9th day of July, 1981.

FOR THE NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION


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