UNITED STATES NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

DOCKET NOS. 50-272 AND 50-311

PUBLIC SERVICE ELECTRIC AND GAS COMPANY,
PHILADELPHIA ELECTRIC COMPANY,
DELMARVA POWER AND LIGHT COMPANY, AND
ATLANTIC CITY ELECTRIC COMPANY

NOTICE OF ISSUANCE OF AMENDMENT TO FACILITY OPERATING LICENSES AND NEGATIVE DECLARATION

The U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (the Commission) has issued Amendment No. 48 to Facility Operating License No. DPR-70 and Amendment No. 13 to Facility Operating License No. 75, issued to Public Service Electric and Gas Company, Philadelphia Electric Company, Delmarva Power and Light Company and Atlantic City Electric Company (the licensees), which revised Technical Specifications for operation of the Salem Nuclear Generating Station, Unit Nos. 1 and 2 (the facilities) located in Salem County, New Jersey. The amendments are effective as of the date of issuance.

The amendments revise the Radiological Safety and Environmental Technical Specifications related to process and effluent monitors to agree with existing plant conditions.

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 prepared an environmental impact appraisal for the revised Technical Specifications and has concluded that an environmental impact statement for this particular action is not warranted because there will be no environmental impact attributable to the action other than that which has already been predicted and described in the Commission's Final Environmental Statement for the facility dated April 1973.

For further details with respect to this action, see (1) the application for amendments dated August 10, 1981, as modified by letter dated June 22, 1982, (2) Amendment Nos. 48 and 13 to License Nos. DPR-70 and DPR-75, (3) the Commission's related Safety Evaluation and (4) the Commission's Environmental Impact Appraisal. All of these items are available for public inspection at the Commission's Public Document Room, 1717 H Street, NW., Washington, D. C. and at the Salem Free Public Library, 112 West Broadway. Salem, New Jersey. A copy of items (2), (3) and (4) 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 18th day of October, 1982.

FOR THE NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

Operating Reactors Branch

Division of Licensing