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NOTICE OF WITHDRAWAL OF APPLICATION FOR
AMENDMENT TO FACILITY OPERATING LICENSE

The United States Nuclear Regulatory Commission (the Commission) has granted the request of Philadelphia Electric Company, et. al. (the licensee) to withdraw its January 21, 1987 application for proposed amendment to Facility Operating Licenses DPR-44 and DPR-56 for the Peach Bottom Atomic Power Station, Unit Nos. 2 and 3, located in York County, Pennsylvania.

The proposed amendment would have revised the facility Technical Specifications pertaining to the filing of semi-annual effluent reports and a reporting requirement for loss of shutdown margin events. The application requested changes to the reporting requirements of the Peach Bottom technical specifications and requested a related exemption from 10 CFR 50.36a to permit a 30 day extension for the filing of semi-annual effluent reports.

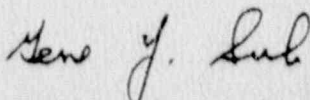
The Commission has previously issued a Notice of Consideration of Issuance of Amendment published in the FEDERAL REGISTER on July 1, 1987 (52 FR 24556). However, by letter dated October 16, 1990, the licensee withdrew the proposed change. Licensee efforts, subsequent to the filing of the 1987 submittal, resulted in streamlined processes for collecting data, obtaining sample analyses results, and preparing

the semi-annual effluent report. The licensee concluded that a 30 day extension to the reporting requirement was no longer necessary.

For further details with respect to this action, see the application for amendment dated January 21, 1987, and the licensee's letter dated October 16, 1990, which withdrew the application for license amendment. The above documents are available for public inspection at the Commission's Public Document Room, 2120 L Street, N.W., Washington, D.C., and the State Library of Pennsylvania, Government Publications Section, Education Building, Walnut Street and Commonwealth Avenue, Box 1601, Harrisburg, Pennsylvania 17105.

Dated at Rockville, Maryland, this 21st day of November 1990.

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