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U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission Director of Reactor Regulation Washington, D. C. 20555

November 20, 1990

Attn:

Al Adams

Re !

Docket 50-602

Subject:

Amendment of Construction Permit CPRR-123

Dear Sir:

Pursuant to section 50.55(b) an extension is requested for The University of Texas construction permit (CPRR-123). Extension of the final completion date by 6 months to June 30, 1990 is requested.

Reasons for this amended request are to assure that all license processes are likely to be completed, as per suggestion by telephone conversation with NCR staff. Basis for the extension is as follows:

Two previous extensions of the CPRR-123 to December 31, 1989 and December 1990 were necessary to complete the transfer of project construction to an alternate contractor and perform corrective work. The original contractor default and subsequent change of contractors from CIT, Inc., of Texas to R. L. Pender and Associates was the responsibility to the surety company, Fireman's Insurance Company of Newark, New Jersey. This delay in the completion of the project also set the schedule for the reactor vendor, General Atomics activities. Subsequent completion of virtually all work of both contractors was done by August 31, 1989. Deficiencies and the necessity for some corrective work was essentially complete by August 31, 1990. Completion of the regional inspection program was also complete by the end of August, 1990. However, changes to documents and review of documents will not be complete within the current CPPR-123 expiration date. These document changes are in response to NRC staff requests and regulatory changes since the original submittals. This extension request is the extended time necessary for submittal of document revisions and review of those rev sions by NRC staff.

Sincerely,

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UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

In the Matter of	ξ	
The University of Texas	Ę	
at Austin	ξ	Docket No. 50-602
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Balcones Research Center	ξ	
Nuclear Engineering Teaching	ξ	
Laboratory (NETL)	ξ	

AFFIDAVIT

Gerhard J. Fonken being duly sworn, hereby deposes and says that he is Executive Vice President and Provost, The University of Texas at Austin; that he is duly authorized to sign and file with the Nuclear Regulatory Commission the attached Request for Amendment of Construction Permit CPRR-123; that he is familiar with the content thereof; and that the matters set forth therein are true and correct to the best of his knowledge and belief.

Gerhard J. Fonken

Executive Vice President and Provost

STATE of TEXAS

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Subscribed and sworn to before me, a Notary Public in and for the State of Texas, this 215 day of November, 196.

NOTARY PUBLIC in and for the State of Texas