

UNITED STATES NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

DOCKET NO. 50-289

METROPOLITAN EDISON COMPANY

JERSEY CENTRAL POWER AND LIGHT COMPANY

PENNSYLVANIA ELECTRIC COMPANY

GPU NUCLEAR CORPORATION

NOTICE OF ISSUANCE OF AMENDMENT TO FACILITY  
OPERATING LICENSE

The U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (the Commission) has issued Amendment No. 78 to Facility Operating License No. DPR-50, issued to Metropolitan Edison Company, Jersey Central Power and Light Company, Pennsylvania Electric Company, and GPU Nuclear Corporation (the licensees), which revised the Technical Specifications (TSs) for operation of the Three Mile Island Nuclear Station, Unit No. 1 (the facility) located in Dauphin County, Pennsylvania. Unless the Commission modifies conditions of the Licensing Board's Partial Initial Decision dated December 14, 1981, which would affect this action, this license amendment becomes effective 60 days after the Commission accepts the Board's recommendations as set forth in that Decision, or restart, whichever is earlier.

The amendment revises the TSs for the facility to incorporate certain of the TMI-2 Lessons Learned Category "A" requirements and other short-term requirements identified in the Commission Order of August 9, 1979.

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. The TS changes made by this amendment involve matters that were the subject of the TMI-1 Restart Proceeding that was initiated by the Commission's Order and Notice of Hearing dated August 9, 1979.

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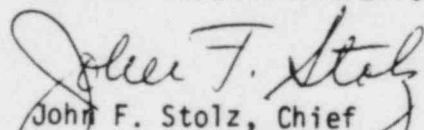
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The Commission has determined that the issuance of this amendment will not result in any significant environmental impact and that pursuant to 10 CFR §1.5(d)(4) an environmental impact statement, or negative declaration and environmental impact appraisal need not be prepared in connection with issuance of this amendment.

For further details with respect to this action, see (1) the application for amendment dated May 18, 1981, as supplemented and revised June 10, 1981, August 4, 1981, November 13, 1981 and May 20, 1982, (2) Amendment No. 78 to License No. DPR-50, 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. 20555, and at the Government Publications Section, State Library of Pennsylvania, Education Building, Commonwealth and Walnut Streets, Harrisburg, Pennsylvania 17126. 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 20th day of October 1982.

FOR THE NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

  
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