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The Commission has issued the enclosed Amendment No. 5 to Facility License No. TR-1 for your test reactor. This amendment consists of changes to the Appendix A Technical Specifications appended to the license in response to your application dated February 4, 1982, as supplemented by letters dated March 11, 1982 and April 15, 1982. The change to Section 9.5 which allowed you to ship fuel which had been stored in the GETR storage canal, was previously authorized by letter from J. R. Miller to R. W. Darmitzel, dated April 19, 1982.

This amendment revises the Technical Specifications by deleting the requirement to perform certain tests and calibrations while the GETR is in a cold (defueled) shutdown condition.

A copy of the related Safety Evaluation is also enclosed.

Sincerely,

Original Signed by:

Cecil O. Thomas, Acting Chief Standardization & Special Projects Branch Division of Licensing

Enclosure:

1. Amendment No. 9

2. Safety Evaluation

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