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Re: Nine Mile Point Unit 2
Docket No. 50-410
NPF-69

Gentlemen:

Niagara Mohawk Power Corporation hereby transmits an Application for Amendment to Nine Mile Point Unit 2 Operating License NPF-69. Also enclosed are the proposed changes to the Technical Specifications set forth in Appendix A of the above mentioned license. Supporting information and analyses demonstrating that the proposed changes involve no significant hazards consideration pursuant to 10CFR50.92 are included as Attachment B.

The proposed Technical Specification changes contained herein represent revisions to Section 3/4.7.5, "Snubbers." Specifically, Section 4.7.5.b is being proposed for revision to incorporate the recommendations on snubber visual inspection frequencies contained in Generic Letter 90-09, "Alternative Requirements for Snubber Visual Inspection Intervals and Corrective Actions." Niagara Mohawk proposes that the Technical Specification requirements for visual inspection of safety-related snubbers be revised to increase the allowable time interval between visual surveillances when the snubbers are operating at a high level of dependability. This modification to the surveillance requirements will provide adequate assurance of system operability while reducing manpower demands and unnecessary radiological exposure.

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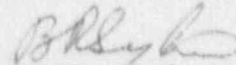
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Pursuant to 10CFR50.91(b)(1), Niagara Mohawk has provided a copy of this license amendment request and the associated analysis regarding no significant hazards to the appropriate state representative.

Very truly yours,

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