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UNITED STATED NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

DOCKET NO. 50-409

DAIRYLAND POWER COOPERATIVE

LA CROSSE BOILING WATER REACTOR

NOTICE OF ISSUANCE OF AMENDMENT TO PROVISIONAL OPERATING LICENSE

The U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (the Commission) has issued Amendment No. 32 to Provisional Operating License No. DPR-45, issued to Dairyland Power Cooperative (the licensee), which revised the Technical Specifications for operation of the La Crosse Boiling Water Reactor (the facility) located in Vernon County, Wisconsin. This amendment is effective as of its date of issuance.

The amendment authorizes Technical Specification changes to require annual audits of the Emergency and Security Plans.

The application for 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. Prior public notice of this amendment was not required since the amendment does not involve a significant hazards consideration.

The Commission has determined that the issuance of this amendment will not result in any significant environmental impact and that pursuant to 10 CFR §51.5(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 October 29, 1982, as supplemented on February 18, 1983, and (2) Amendment No. 32 to License No. DPR-45, including the Commission's letter of transmittal which contains its evaluation. These items are available for public inspection at the Commission's Public Document Room, 1717 H Street, N.W., Washington, D.C. and at the La Crosse Public Library, 800 Main Street, La Crosse, Wisconsin 54601. A single copy of item (2) may be obtained by request addressed to the U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, Washington, D.C. 20555, Attention: Director, Division of Licensing. Dated at Bethesda, Maryland, this 14th day of March, 1983.

FOR THE NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

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