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UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION
ATOMIC SAFETY AND LICENSING BOARD
BEFORE ADMINISTRATIVE JUDGES:

Lawrence Brenner, Chairman
Dr. Richard F. Cole
Dr. Peter A. Morris

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In the Matter of
PHILADELPHIA ELECTRIC COMPANY
(Limerick Generating Station,
Units 1 and 2)

Docket Nos. 50-352-OL
50-353-OL

March 21, 1983

NOTICE AND ORDER OF SECOND SPECIAL
PREHEARING CONFERENCE

Please take notice that the Atomic Safety and Licensing Board will conduct a second special prehearing conference consistent with the purposes of 10 C.F.R. § 2.751a of the Commission's regulations. This proceeding has been convened to consider the application of Philadelphia Electric Company (Applicant) for licenses to operate the Limerick Generating Station, Units 1 and 2. This facility consists of two boiling water nuclear power plants, located on the Applicant's site adjacent to the Schuylkill River, near Pottstown, in Limerick Township, Montgomery County, Pennsylvania.

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The conference will begin on May 9, 1983, at 1:30 p.m. at the:

United States District Courthouse
Ceremonial Courtroom
Sixth and Market Streets
Philadelphia, Pennsylvania 19106

The conference is expected to continue on May 10, and, if necessary, will continue on May 11.^{*/}

Matters to be discussed at the conference include:

1. The admissibility of conditionally admitted contentions and previously proposed Probabilistic Risk Assessment (PRA) contentions, as now particularized by intervenors, with the exception of emergency planning contentions.
2. The admissibility of any new PRA contentions, which cannot be accommodated within the category of particularized previously proposed contentions, based on information available since the prior filing of contentions.

^{*/} As discussed during the conference call of March 17, 1983, among the Board, the NRC Staff, the Applicant and intervenor Limerick Ecology Action (LEA), LEA's March 14, 1983 motion for an extension of time has been denied.

3. Any previously admitted contentions which have been deleted, specified or rephrased by intervenors.
4. The status of emergency planning reviews and the schedule for the filing and litigation of onsite and offsite emergency planning contentions.
5. The status of discovery, and procedures and schedule for further discovery.
6. The nature and extent of participation contemplated by governmental agencies which have been admitted pursuant to 10 C.F.R. § 2.715(c). See the Special Prehearing Conference Order (SPCO), LBP-82-43A, 14 NRC 1423, 1456 (June 1, 1982).
7. The schedule for further actions in this proceeding, including the final wording of admitted contentions, the completion of the NRC Staff review, and the estimated commencement of the hearing. The discussion will include the possibility of litigating some issues earlier than the currently estimated completion of the entire NRC Staff review. The parties shall discuss this prior to the conference.

The NRC Staff shall file a written report which authoritatively and definitively explains the scope and purpose of the use it will make of the Applicant's Probabilistic Risk Assessment, and the NRC Staff review of it, in the context of the Staff's licensing review of the Limerick plant. In formulating its report, the NRC Staff should address the questions and uncertainties expressed by the Board at the first special prehearing conference, in the SPCO, supra, 15 NRC at 1489-94, and during the conference call of March 17, 1983. The expected substance of the Staff's report shall be thoroughly discussed with the Applicant and LEA, in advance of its being filed, as part of the required thorough discussions among these parties on PRA and other contentions. The Staff's written report shall be received by the Board, the Applicant, and LEA by April 13, 1983. The report will be discussed at the prehearing conference in the context of the PRA contentions.

The parties are invited to suggest other items which they believe should be discussed at the conference provided they do so in a joint filing received by the Board by April 29, 1983.

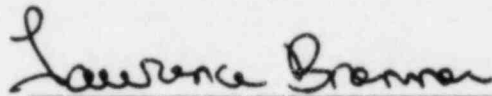
Counsel or authorized representatives for all parties and governmental participants are directed to attend the prehearing conference. Intervenor, Del-Aware Unlimited, is not required to attend.

The public is invited to attend but there will be no opportunity for public participation during this conference. The Board will provide

the opportunity for limited appearance statements at public appearance sessions to be scheduled in the future.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

FOR THE ATOMIC SAFETY
AND LICENSING BOARD

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Lawrence Brenner". The signature is written in dark ink and is positioned above a horizontal line.

Lawrence Brenner, Chairman
ADMINISTRATIVE JUDGE

Bethesda, Maryland
March 21, 1983