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UNITED STATES NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

PHILADELPHIA ELECTRIC COMPANY

DOCKET NO. 50-352 NOTICE OF WITHDRAWAL OF APPLICATION FOR AMENDMENT TO FACILITY OPERATING LICENSE

The United States Nuclear Regulatory Commission (the Commission) has granted the request of Philadelphia Electric Company (the licensee) to withdraw its February 25, 1987 application for proposed amendment to Facility Operating License NPF-39 for the Limerick Generating Station, Unit 1, located in Montgomery and Chester Counties, Pennsylvania.

The proposed amendment would have revised the facility Technical Specifications Section 6.9.1.8 to provide an extension of 30 days to the existing 60 day requirement for submitting the Semiannual Radioactive Effluent Release Report to the NRC. This submittal also requested a related exemption from the requirements of 10 CFR 50.36a(a)(2) to provide the same 30 day extension for submitting the Semiannual Radioactive Effluent Release Report to the NRC.

The Commission has previously issued a Notice of Consideration of Issuance of Amendment published in the Federal Register on April 8, 1987 (52 FR 11371). However, by letter dated February 6, 1991, the licensee withdrew the proposed change. Licensee efforts, subsequent to the filing of the 1987 submittal, resulted in streamlined processes for collecting data, obtaining sample analyses results, and preparing the semi-annual effluent report. The licensee concluded that a 30 day extension to the reporting requirement was no longer necessary.

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Dated at Rockville, Maryland, this 7th day of March 1991.

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