

UNITED STATES NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSIONDOCKET NO. 50-285OMAHA PUBLIC POWER DISTRICTNOTICE OF GRANTING OF RELIEF FROM ASME CODE SECTION XIINSERVICE INSPECTION REQUIREMENTS

The U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (the Commission) has granted relief from certain requirements of the ASME Code, Section XI, "Rules for Inservice Inspection of Nuclear Power Plant Components", to the Omaha Public Power District (the licensee), which revised the inservice inspection program for the Fort Calhoun Station, Unit No. 1 located in Washington County, Nebraska. The ASME Code requirements are incorporated by reference into the Commission's rules and regulations in 10 CFR Part 50.

The relief relieves the licensee from certain code requirements for (1) specific pumps associated with systems such as safety injection, component cooling, and raw water, (2) specific valves associated with systems such as safety injection, component cooling, and containment purge, and (3) all plant snubbers. The listings of the specific pumps and specific valves, and the specific code requirements from which the licensee is requesting relief are contained in the licensee's relief request of July 7, 1983. The relief for the pumps and valves is effective September 26, 1983 and is valid until September 26, 1984. The relief for the snubbers is effective September 26, 1983 and is valid until September 26, 1993.

The request for relief complies with the standard 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 finding as

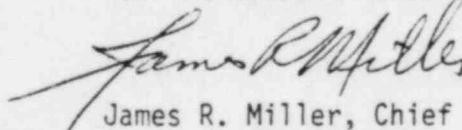
required by the Act and the Commission's rules and regulations in 10 CFR Chapter I, which are set forth in the letter granting relief and related Safety Evaluation.

The Commission has determined that the granting of this relief 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 action.

For further details with respect to this action, see (1) the request for relief dated July 7, 1983, (2) the letter to the licensee dated September 30, 1983, and (3) the Commission's related Safety Evaluation. All of 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 local public document room located at the W. Dale Clark Library, 215 South 15th Street, Omaha, Nebraska. A copy of items (2) and (3) may be obtained upon request addressed to the U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, Washington, D.C. 20555, Attention: Director, Division of Licensing.

Dated at Bethesda, Maryland, this 30th day of September, 1983.

FOR THE NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION



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