

UNITED STATES NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION WASHINGTON, D.C. 20655

ENTERGY OPERATIONS, INC.

DOCKET NO. 50-368

ARKANSAS NUCLEAR ONE, UNIT NO. 2

AMENDMENT TO FACILITY OPERATING LICENSE

Amendment No. 133 License No. NPF-6

- 1. The Nuclear Regulatory Commission (the Commission) has found that:
 - A. The application for amendment by Entergy Operations, Inc. (the licensee) dated March 30, 1992, as supplemented April 10, 1992 and April 16, 1992, complies with the standards and requirements of the Atomic Energy Act of 1954, as amended (the Act), and the Commission's rules and regulations set forth in 10 CFR Chapter I;
 - B. The facility will operate in conformity with the application, the provisions of the Act, and the rules and regulations of the Commission;
 - C. There is reasonable assurance: (i) that the activities authorized by this amendment can be conducted without endangering the health and safety of the public, and (ii) that such activities will be conducted in compliance with the Commission's regulations:
 - D. The issuance of this license amendment will not be inimical to the common defense and security or to the health and safety of the public; and
 - E. The issuance of this amendment is in accordance with 10 CFR Part 51 of the Commission's regulations and all applicable requirements have been satisfied.

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- Accordingly, the license is amended by changes to the Technical Specifications as indicated in the attachment to this license amendment, and Paragraph 2.C.(2) of Facility Operating License No. NPF-6 is hereby amended to read as follows:
 - 2. Technical Specifications

The Technical Specifications contained in Appendix A, as revised through Amendment No. 133, are hereby incorporated in the license. The licensee shall operate the facility 'n accordance with the Technical Specifications.

3. The license amendment is effective as of its date of issuance.

FOR THE NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

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Attachment: Changes to the Technical Specifications

Date of Issuance: April 22, 1992

ATTACHMENT TO LICENSE AMENDMENT NO. 133

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Revise the following pages of the Appendix "A" Technical Specifications with the attached pages. The revised pages are identified by Amendment number and contain vertical lines indicating the area of change. The corresponding overleaf pages are also provided to maintain document completeness.

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SURVEILLANCE REQUIREMENTS (Continued)

4.4.5.4 Acceptance Criteria

- a. As used in this Specification
 - 1. <u>Tubing or Tube</u> means that portion of the tube or slerve which forms the primary system to secondary system pressure boundary.
 - Imperfection means an exception to the dimensions, finish or contour of a tube from that required by fabrication drawings or specifications. Eddy-current testing indications below 20% of the nominal tube wall thickness, if detectable, may be considered as imperfections.
 - Degradation means a service-induced cracking, wastage, wear or general corrosion occurring on either inside or outside of a tube.
 - <u>Degraded Tube</u> means a tube containing imperfections ≥20% of the nominal wall thickness caused by degradation.
 - 5. <u>A Degradation</u> means the percentage of the tube wall thickness affected or removed by degradation.
 - <u>Defect</u> means an imperfection of such severity that it exceeds the plugging or repair limit. A tube containing a defect is defective.
 - 7. <u>Plugging or Repair Limit</u> means the imperfection depth at or beyond which the tube shall be removed from service by plugging or repaired by sleeving because it may become unserviceable prior to the next inspection and is equal to 40% of the nominal tube wall thickness.
 - 8. Unserviceable describes the condition of a tube if it leaks or contains a defect large enough to affect its structural integrity in the event of an Operating Basis Earthquake, a loss-of-coolant accident, or a steam line or feedwater line break as specified in 4.4.5.3.c, above.
 - <u>Tube Inspection</u> means an inspection of the steam generator tube from the point of entry (hot leg side) completely around the U-bend to the top support of the cold leg.

SURVEILLANCE REQUIREMENTS (Continued)

- 10. <u>Preservice Inspection</u> means an inspection of the full length of each tube in each steam generator performed by eddy current techniques prior to service to establish a baseline condition of the tubing. This inspection shall be performed after the field hydrostatic test and prior to initial POWER OPERATION using the equipment and techniques expected to be used during subsequent inservice inspections.
- b. The steam generator shall be determined OPERABLE after completing the corresponding actions (plug or repair all tubes exceeding the plugging or repair limit and all tubes containing through-wall cracks) required by Table 4.4-2. Defective tubes may be repaired in accordance with B&W Topical Report BAW-2045PA-00 as supplemented by the information provided in B&W Report 51-1212539-00, "BWNS Kinetic Sleeve Design-Application to ANO Unit 2".

4.4.5.5 Reports

- a. Following each inservice inspection of steam generator tubes the number of tubes plugged or sleeved in each steam generator shall be reported to the Commission within 15 days.
- b. The complete results of the steam generator tube inservice inspection shall be reported on an annual basis for the period in which the inspection was completed. This report shall include:

1. Number and extent of tubes inspected.

- Location and percent of wall-thickness penetration for each indication of an imperfection.
- 3. Identification of tubes plugged or sleeved.
- c. Results of steam generator tube inspections which fall into Category C-3 shall be reported in a Special Report pursuant to Specification 6.9.2 as denoted by Table 4.4-2. Notification of the Commission will be made prior to resumption of plant operation. The written Special Report shall provide a description of investigations conducted to determine cause of the tube degradation and corrective measures taken to prevent recurrence.

TABLE 4.4-1

MINIMUM NUMBER OF STEAM GENERATORS TO BE INSPECTED DURING INSERVICE INSPECTION

 Preservice Inspection	Yes
No. of Steam Generators per Unit	Тио
First Inservice Inspection	One
Second & Subsequent Inservice Inspections	One ¹

Table Notation:

1. The inservice inspection may be limited to one steam generator on a rotating schedule encompassing 3 N % of the tubes (where N is the number of steam generators in the plant) if the results of the first or previous inspections indicate that all steam generators are performing in a like manner. Note that under some circumstances, the operating conditions in one or more steam generators may be found to be more severe than those in other steam generators. Under such circumstances the sample sequence shall be modified to inspect the most severe conditions.

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TABLE 4.4-2

STEAM GENERATOR TUBE INSPECTION

1ST SAMPLE INSPECTION			2ND SAMPLE INSPECTION 1		3RD SAMPLE INSPECTION	
Sample Size	Result	Action Required	Result	Action Required	Result	Action Required
A minimum of S Tubes per S.G.	C-1	None	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	this S.G.	C-1	None	N/A	N/A	
		additional 2S tubes in	0 C-2	Flug or sleeve defec- tive tubes and inspect additional 4S tubes in	C-1	None
		this S.G.			C-2	Plug or sleeve defective tubes
			this S.G.	C-3	Perform action for C-3 result of first sample	
		C-3	Perform action for C-3 result of first Sample	N/A	N/A	
	C-3 Inspect all tubes in this S.G., plug or sleeve defective tubes and inspect 2S tubes in each other S.G. Special Report to NRC per Specification 6.9.2	All other S.G.s are C-1	None	N/A	N/A	
		Some S.G.s C-2 but no additional S.G. are C-3	Perform action for C-2 result of second sample	N/A	N/A	
		Additional S.G. is C-3	Inspect all tubes in each S. G. and plug or sleeve defective tubes. Special Report to NRC per Spec. 6.9.2.	N/A	N/A	

 $S = 3 \frac{N}{n} \frac{2}{3}$ Where N is the number of steam generators in the unit, and n is the number of steam generators inspected during an inspection

BASES

Wastage-type defects are unlikely with proper chemistry treatment of the secondary coolant. However, even if a defect should develop in service, it will be found during scheduled inservice steam generator tubes examinations. Plugging or sleeving will be required for all tubes with imperfections exceeding the plugging or repair limit as defined in Surveillance Requirement 4.4.5.4.a. Defective tubes may be repaired by sleeving in accordance with the B&W Topical Report EAW-2045PA-00 as supplemented by the information provided in B&W Report 51-1212539-00, "BWNS Kinetic Sleeve Design-Application to ANO Unit 2". Steam generator tube inspections of operating plants have demonstrated the capability to reliably detect degradation that has penetrated 20% of the tube wall thickness. For sleeved tubes, the adequacy of the system that is used for periodic inservice inspection will be validated. Additionally, upgraded testing methods will be evaluated and appropriately implemented as better methods are developed and validated for commerical use.

Whenever the results of any steam generator tubing inservice inspection fall into Category C-3 certain results will be reported in a Special Report to the Commission pursuant to Specification 6.9.2 as denoted by Table 4.2-2. Notification of the Commission will be made prior to resumption of plant operation. Such cases will be considered by the Commission on a case-by-case basis and may result in a requirement for analysis, laboratory examinations, tests, additional eddy-current inspection, and revision of the Technical Specifications, if necessary.

3/4.4.6 REACTOR COOLANT SYSTEM LEAKAGE

3/4.4.6.1 LEAKAGE DETECTION SYSTEMS

The RCS leakage detection systems required by this spectation are provided to monitor and detect leakage from the Reactor Coolant Pressure Boundary. These detection systems are consistent with the recommendations of Regulatory Guide 1.45, "Reactor Coolant Pressure Boundary Leakage Detection Systems" May 1973.

3/4.4.6.2 REACTOR COOLANT SYSTEM LEAKAGE

Industry experience has shown that while a limited amount of leakage is expected from the RCS, the unidentified portion of this leakage can be reduced to a threshold value of less than 1 GPM. This threshold value is sufficiently low to ensure early detection of additional leakage.

The 10 GPM IDENTIFIED LEAKAGE limitation provides allowances for a limited amount of leakage from known sources whose presence will not interfere with the detection of UNIDENTIFIED LEAKAGE by the leakage detection systems.

The Surveillance Requirements for RCS Pressure Isolation Valves provide added assurance of valve integrity thereby reducing the probability of gross valve failure and consequent intersystem LOCA. Leakage from the RCS Pressure Isolation Valves is IDENTIFIED LEAKAGE and will be considered as a portion of the allowed limit.

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The total steam generator tube leakage limit of 1 GPM for all steam generators ensures that the dosage contribution from the tube leakage will be limited to a small fraction of Part 100 limits in the event of either a steam generator tube rupture or steam line break. The 1 GPM limit is consistent with the assumptions used in the analysis of these accidents. The 0.5 GPM leakage limit per steam generator ensures that steam generator tube integrity is maintained in the event of a main steam line rupture or under LOCA conditions.

PRESSURE BOUNDARY LEAKAGE of any magnitude is unacceptable since it may be indicative of an impending gross failure of the pressure boundary. Therefore, the presence of any PRESSURE BOUNDARY LEAKAGE requires the unit to be promptly placed in COLD SHUTDOWN.

3/4.4.7 CHEMISTRY

The limitations on Reactor Coolant System chemistry ensure that corrosion of the Reactor Coolant System is minimized and reduce the . potential for Reactor Coolant System leakage or failure due to stress corrosion. Maintaining the chemistry within the Steady State Limits provides adequate corrosion protection to ensure the structural integrity of the Reactor Coolant System over the life of the plant. The associated effects of exceeding the oxygen, chloride and fluoride limits are time and temperature dependent. Corrosion studies show that operation may be continued with contaminant concentration levels in excess of the Steady State Limits, up to the Transient Limits, for the specified limited time intervals without having a significant effect on the structural integrity of the Reactor Coolant System. The time interval permitting continued operation within the restrictions of the Transient Limits provides time for taking corrective actions to restore the contaminant concentrations to within the Steady State Limits.

The surveillance requirements provide adequate assurance that concentrations in excess of the limits will be detected in sufficient time to take corrective action.

3/4.4.8 SPECIFIC ACTIVITY

The limitations on the specific active of the primary coolant ensure that the resulting 2 hour doses a site boundary will not exceed an appropriately small fraction L. Part 100 limits following a

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