



UNITED STATES  
NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION  
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20566

CONSUMERS POWER COMPANY

DOCKET NO. 50-255

PALISADES PLANT

AMENDMENT TO FACILITY OPERATING LICENSE

Amendment No. 149  
License No. DPR-20

1. The Nuclear Regulatory Commission (the Commission) has found that:
  - A. The application for amendment by Consumers Power Company (the licensee) dated July 11, 1990, 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 amendment will not be inimical to the common defense and security or to the health and safety of the public;
  - 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.
2. Accordingly, the license is amended by changes to the Technical Specifications as indicated in the attachment to the license amendment and Paragraph 2.C.(2) of Facility Operating License No. DPR-20 is hereby amended to read as follows:

Technical Specifications

The Technical Specifications contained in Appendices A and B, as revised through Amendment No. 149, are hereby incorporated in the license. The licensee shall operate the facility in accordance with the Technical Specifications.

3. This 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: June 19, 1992

ATTACHMENT TO LICENSE AMENDMENT NO. 149

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Revise Appendix A Technical Specifications by removing the page identified below and inserting the attached page. The revised page is identified by the amendment number and contains marginal lines indicating the area of change.

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Applicability

Applies to the reactor protective system and other critical instrumentation and controls.

Objective

To specify the minimum frequency and type of surveillance to be applied to critical plant instrumentation and controls.

Specifications

Calibration, testing, and checking of instrument channels, reactor protective system and engineered safeguards system logic channels and miscellaneous instrument systems and controls shall be performed as specified in 4.1.1 and in Tables 4.1.1 to 4.1.3.

4.1.1 Overpressure Protection Systems

a. Each PROV shall be demonstrated operable by:

1. Performance of a channel functional test on the PORV actuation channel, but excluding valve operation, within 31 days prior to entering a condition in which the PORV is required operable and at least once per 31 days thereafter when the PORV is required operable.
2. Performance of a channel calibration on the PORV actuation channel at least once per 18 months.
3. Verifying the PORV isolation valve is open at least once per 72 hours when the PORV is being used for overpressure protection.
4. Testing in accordance with the Inservice Inspection requirements for ASME Section XI, Subsection IWV, for Category B valves. /  
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