UNITED STATES NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION CLEVELAND ELECTRIC ILLUMINATING AND OHIO EDISON COMPANY. ET AL. DOCKET NO. 50-440

MOTICE OF TRANSFER OF OWNERSHIP OF PERRY NUCLEAR POWER PLANT

Notice is hereby given that the United States Nuclear Regulatory

Commission (Commission) is considering approval under Title 10 of the CODE OF

FEDERAL REGULATIONS (CFR), Section 50.80, of the transfer of 12.58-percent

ownership of the facilities for the Perry Nuclear Power Plant, Unit No. 1

(PNPP Unit 1) from the Ohio Edison Company (Ohio Edison) to a wholly owned

subsidiary of Ohio Edison, OES Nuclear, Inc. (OES). By "Supplemental

Application For License Transfer," submitted under cover of letter dated

December 29, 1995, from Shaw, Pittman, Potts and Trowbridge, Ohio Edison

informed the Commission that it intends to transfer to OES a 12.58-percent

ownership interest in the PNPP Unit 1 "common facilities." This request

supplements an earlier request to transfer a 17.42-percent ownership interest

in PNPP Unit 1 from Ohio Edison to OES, which the NRC approved by Order dated

December 20, 1995. Further, OES has been added to Operating License No. NPF
58 as an owner of PNPP Unit 1, by Amendment No. 81, dated February 27, 1996.

Pursuant to 10 CFR 50.80, the Commission may approve the transfer of a license, after notice to interested persons, upon the Commission's determination that the holder of the license following the transfer of control is qualified to be a holder of the license and the transfer of the control is otherwise consistent with applicable provisions of law, regulations and orders of the Commission. Ohio Edison has requested consent under 10 CFR 50.80 to

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transfer of the license effectuated by the change in control of such ownership interest in PNPP Unit 1.

For further details with respect to this action, see the December 29, 1995, letter and accompanying submittal, which is available for public inspection at the Commission's Public Document Room, the Gelman Building, 2120 L Street, NW., Washington, DC, and at the local public document room located at the Perry Public Library, 3753 Main Street, Perry, Ohio.

Dated at Rockville, Maryland this 2 and day of May 1996.

FOR THE NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

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