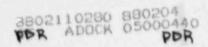
REQUEST TO SUSPEND THE PERRY NUCLEAR POWER PLANT ANTITRUST LICENSE CONDITIONS - TIME FOR FILING COMMENTS EXTENDED

On September 18, 1987, the Ohio Edison Company (Ohio Edison) requested the Director of the Office of Nuclear Reactor Regulation to amend the antitrust license conditions that are attached to the Perry Nuclear Power Plant (Perry) operating license, No. NPF-58. Although the Perry operating license was issued to Cleveland Electric Illuminating Co., Toledo Edison Co., Duquesne Light Co. and Ohio Edison, Ohio Edison's amendment requested suspension of the antitrust license conditions only as they apply to Ohio Edison.

Notification of receipt of this amendment request was published in the Federal Register (Vol. 52 p. 48473) on December 22, 1987 and comments were sought from the public within 45 days. By motion dated January 29, 1988, American Municipal Power-Ohio, Inc. (AMP-Ohio) requested an extension of time until March 7, 1988 in which to file its comments on Ohio Edison's amendment request. In light of the fact that 1) AMP-Ohio has alleged that "...Ohio Edison's filing represents significant potential obstacles to AMP-Ohio's future and its members survival", 2) both AMP-Ohio and Ohio Edison are actively engaged in negotiations that may mitigate some of the issues raised in Ohio Edison's amendment request and 3) Ohio Edison has given its consent to the instant request for a time



extension, the staff hereby grants AMP-Ohio's request and extends the time for comments from the public on Ohio Edison's amendment request until March 7, 1988.

Any person who wishes to express views pursuant to the antitrust issues raised in this amendment request, should submit said views by March 7, 1988 to the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, Washington, D.C. 20555, Attention: Chief, Policy Development and Technical Support Branch, Office of Nuclear Reactor Regulation.

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