

UNITED STATES NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION WASHINGTON, D. C. 20555

GEORGIA POWER COMPANY

OGLETHORPE POWER CORPORATION

MUNICIPAL ELECTIC AUTHORITY OF GEORGIA

CITY OF DALTON, GEORGIA

VOGTLE ELECTRIC GENERATING PLANT, UNIT 1

AMENDMENT TO FACILITY OPERATING LICENSE

Amendment No. 4 License No. NPF-68

1. The Nuclear Regulatory Commission (the Commission) has found that:

- A. The application for amendment to the Vogtle Electric Generating Plant, Unit 1 (the facility) Facility Operating License No. NPF-68 filed by the Georgia Power Company Acting for itself, Oglethorpe Power Corporation, Municipal Electric Authority of Georgia, and City of Dalton, Georgia, (the licensees) dated March 23, 1988, 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 1;
- B. The facility will operate in conformity with the application, as amended, 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 set forth in 10 CFP Chapter I;
- 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 hereby amended by page changes to the Technical Specifications as indicated in the attachments to this license amendment and paragraph 2.C.(2) of Facility Operating License No. NPF-68 is hereby amended to read as follows:
 - (2) Technical Specifications and Environmental Protection Plan

The Technical Specifications contained in Appendix A, as revised through Amendment No. 4, and the Environmental Protection Plan contained in Appendix B, both of which are attached hereto, are hereby incorporated into this license. GPC shall operate the facility in accordance with the Technical Specifications and the Environmental Protection Plan.

 This license amendment is effective as of its date of issuance and shall be implemented within 30 days of issuance.

FOR THE NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

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Attachment: Technical Specification Changes

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ATTACHMENT TO LICENSE AMENDMENT NO. 4

FACILITY OPERATING LICENSE NO. NPF-68

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

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3/4.7.5 ULTIMATE HEAT SINK

LIMITING CONDITION FOR OPERATION

- 3.7.5 The Ultimate Heat Sink (UHS) shall be OPERABLE with:
 - a. Two OPERABLE Nuclear Service Cooling Water (NSCW) tower basins each with:
 - A minimum water level (LI-1606-train A, LI-1607-train B) in the NSCW tower basin of 80.25 ft (plant elevation of 217' 3") (73% of instrument span)
 - A maximum water temperature (TJR-1690/1-train A, TJR-1691/1train B) of 90°F.
 - b. Two OPERABLE trains of NSCW tower fans, each train consisting of four fans and associated spray cells.
 - c. Two OPERABLE NSCW transfer pumps.

APPLICABILITY: MODES 1, 2, 3, and 4.

ACTION:

- a. With the UHS inoperable due to water level and/or water temperature, restore the UHS to OPERABLE status within 72 hours or be in at least HOT STANDBY within the next 6 hours and in COLD SHUTDOWN within the following 30 hours.
- b. With the UHS inoperable due to inoperable fans and/or associated spray cells, restore to OPERABLE status within 72 hours; otherwise be in at least HOT STANDBY within the next 6 hours and in COLD SHUTDOWN within the following 30 hours.
- c. With the UHS inoperable due to an inoperable NSCW transfer pump, restore the transfer pump to OPERABLE status within 8 days or implement an alternate method of transfer of basin content; otherwise be in at least HOT STANDBY within the next 6 hours and in COLD SHUTDOWN within the following 30 hours. Implementation of the alternate method of transfer of basin content shall not exceed 31 days. The provisions of Specification 3.0.4 are not applicable.

SURVEILLANCE REQUIREMENTS

4.7.5 The ultimate heat sink shall be determined OPERABLE:

- a. At least once per 24 hours by verifying the water level and water temperature to be within their limits.
- b. At least once per 31 days by verifying that the required number of fans start and operate for at least 15 minutes.
- c. The NSCW transfer pumps will be tested pursuant to the requirement of Specification 4.0.5.

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3/4.7.6 CONTROL ROOM EMERGENCY FILTRATION SYSTEM

LIMITING CONDITION FOR OPERATION

3.7.6 Two independent Control Room Emergency Filtration Systems shall be OPERASLE.*

APPLICABILITY: MODES 1, 2, 3, and 4. HODES 5 and 6 during movement of irradiated fuel or movement of loads over irradiated fuel.

ACTION:

MODES 1, 2, 3 or 4:

With one Control Room Emergency Filtration System inoperable, restore the inoperable system to OPERABLE status within 7 days or be in at least HOT STANDBY within the next 6 hours and in COLD SHUTDOWN within the following 30 hours.

MODES 5, and 6 during movement of irradiated fuel or movement of loads over irradiated fuel:

- a. With one Control Room Emergency Filtration System inoperable, restore the inoperable system to OPERABLE status within 7 days or initiate and maintain operation of the remaining OPERABLE Control Room Emergency Filtration System in the emergency mode.
- b. With both Control Room Emergency Filtration Systems inoperable, or with the OPERABLE Control Room Emergency Filtration System, required to be in the emergency mode by ACTION a., not capable of being powered by an OPERABLE emergency power source, suspend all operations involving movement of irradiated fuel or movement of loads over irradiated fuel.

SURVEILLANCE REQUIREMENTS

4.7.6 Each Control Room Emergency Filtration System shall be demonstrated OPERABLE:

- a. At least once per 12 hours by verifying that the control room air temperature is less than or equal to 80°F
- b. At least once per 31 days on a STAGGERED TEST BASIS by initiating, from the control room, flow (FI-12191, FI-12192) through the HEPA filters and charcoal adsorbers and verifying that the system operates for at least 10 continuous hours with the heater control circuit energized.

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- c. At least once per 18 months or (1) after any structural maintenance on the HEPA filter or charcoal adsorber housings, or (2) following painting, fire, or chemical release in any ventilation zone communicating with the system by:
 - Verifying that the filtration system satisfies the in-place testing acceptance criteria of greater than or equal to 99.95% filter retention while operating the system at a flow rate of 19,000 cfm ±10% and performing the following tests:
 - (a) A visual inspection of the control room emergency filtration system shall be made before each DOP test or activated carbon adsorber section leak test in accordance with Section 5 of ANSI N510-1980.
 - (b) An in-place DOP test for the HEPA filters shall be performed in accordance with Section 10 of ANSI N510-1980.
 - (c) A charcoal adsorber section leak test with a gaseous halogenated hydrocarbon refrigerant shall be performed in accordance with Section 12 of ANSI N510-1980.
 - 2) Verifying within 31 days after removal that a laboratory analysis of a representative carbon sample obtained in accordance with Section 13 of ANSI N510-1980 meets the laboratory testing criterion of greater than or equal to 99.8% when tested with methyl iodide at 30°C and 70% relative humidity.
 - Verifying a system flow rate of 19,000 cfm + 10% during system operation when tested in accordance with Section 8 of ANSI N510-1980.
- d. After every 720 hours of charcoal adsorber operation, by verifying, within 31 days after removal, that a laboratory analysis of a representative carbon sample obtained in accordance with Section 13 of ANSI N510-1980 meets the laboratory testing criterion of greater than or equal to 99.8% when tested with methyl iodide at 30°C and 70% relative humidity.
- e. At least once per 18 months by:
 - Verifying that the pressure drop across the combined HEPA filters, charcoal adsorber banks and cooling coil is less than 7.1 inches Water Gauge while operating the system at a flow rate of 19,000 cfm + 10%;
 - Verifying that on a Control Room Isolation Test Signal, the system automatically switches into an emergency mode of operation with flow through the HEPA filters and charcoal adsorber banks;

SURVEILLANCE REQUIREMENTS (Continued)

- 3) Verifying that the system maintains the control room at a positive pressure of greater than or equal to 1/8 inch Water Gauge at less than or equal to a pressurization flow of 850 cfm relative to adjacent areas during system operation;
- Verifying that the heaters dissipate 118 ± 6 kW when tested in accordance with Section 14 of ANSI N510-1980; and
- 5) Verifying that on a Control Room/Toxic Gas Isolation test signal, the control room isolation dampers close within 6 seconds and the system automatically switches into an isolation mode of operation with flow through the HEPA filters and charcoal adsorbers.
- f. After each complete or partial replacement of a HEPA filter bank, by verifying that the HEPA filter banks remove greater than or equal to 99.95% of the DOP when they are tested in place in accordance with Section 10 of ANSI N510-1980 while operating the system at a flow rate of 19,000 cfm ± 10%; and
- g. After each complete or partial replacement of a charcoal adsorber bank, by verifying that the charcoal absorbers remove greater than or equal to 99.95% of a halogenated hydrocarbon refrigerant test gas when tested in-place in accordance with Section 12 of ANSI N510-1980 while operating the system at a flow rate of 19,000 cfm ± 10%.

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^{*}The verification activity specified by Paragraph 4.7.6.e.3 is waived with respect to the Unit 1 Control Room/Unit 2 Control Room differential pressure during periods of operation of the Unit 2 Emergency HVAC System while conducting pre-operational testing of that system. The waiver is contingent upon the capability to shut down the applicable Unit 2 HVAC systems within 4., minutes after receipt of a Unit 1 Control Room Isolation signal.