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September 29, 1998

Docket Nos. 50-277

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License Nos. DPR-44

DPR-56

U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission Attn: Document Control Desk Washington, DC 20555

Subject:

Peach Bottom Atomic Power Station, Units 2 and 3

Revision to the Technical Specification Pages for License Change

Application ECR 96-02071

Reference:

Letter from Director - Licensing (PECO Energy Company (PECO

Energy)) to U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (USNRC) dated

February 4, 1998

Dear Sir/Madam:

In the Referenced letter, PECO Energy Company (PECO Energy) submitted License Change Application (LCA) ECR 96-02071, in accordance with 10 CFR 50.90, requesting a change to the Peach Bottom Atomic Power Station (PBAPS), Units 2 and 3 Facility Operating Licenses. This proposed change revises Technical Specifications (TS) Surveillance Requirement 3.6.4.1.2 concerning Secondary Containment doors.

Based on several discussions between PECO Energy and U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (USNRC) staff, the TS wording contained in the Referenced submittal is being revised for PBAPS, Units 2 and 3. This wording will maintain the requirement that the secondary containment is not breached at any time when secondary containment is required. This is achieved by maintaining the inner or outer portion of the barrier closed. All secondary containment access doors are normally kept closed except when the access opening is being used for entry and exit of personnel or materials, or when maintenance is being performed on an access opening.

We have determined that this proposed revision does not alter the Information Supporting a Finding of No Significant Hazards Consideration or the Information Supporting an Environmental Impact Assessment of the Referenced LCA.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Very truly yours,

Director - Licensing

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Enclosures: Affidavit, Attachment

CC:

H. J. Miller, Administrator, Region I, USNRC A. C. McMurtray, USNRC Senior Resident Inspector, PBAPS R. R. Janati, Commonwealth of Pennsylvania

COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA:

SS.

COUNTY OF CHESTER

J. J. Hagan, being first duly sworn, deposes and says:

That he is Vice President of PECO Energy Company; the Applicant herein; that he has read the foregoing letter concerning License Change Application ECR 96-02071, for Peach Bottom Facility Operating Licenses DPR-44 and DPR-56, and knows the contents thereof; and that the statements and matters set forth therein are true and correct to the best of his knowledge, information and belief.

Subscribed and sworn to

before me this 29% day

of September 1998.

Notary Public

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CAROL A. WALTON, Notary Public
City of Philadelphia, Phila. County
My Commission Expires May 28, 2001