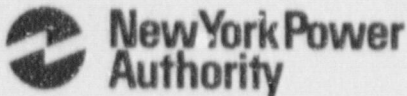


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SUBJECT: James A. FitzPatrick Nuclear Power Plant
Docket No. 50-333
**Proposed Change to the Technical Specifications Regarding the
Reactor Protection System (RPS) Normal Supply Electrical Protection
Assembly (EPA) Undervoltage Trip Setpoint (JF TS-97-003)**

Dear Sir:

This application for an amendment to the James A. FitzPatrick Technical Specifications revises the Reactor Protection System (RPS) Normal Supply Electrical Protection Assembly (EPA) Undervoltage Trip setpoint as a result of a reanalysis based on the most limiting minimum voltage requirements of the applied loads. The Authority is also in the process of completing an analysis of the EPA undervoltage trip setpoints for the Alternate Supply.

The signed original of the Application for Amendment to the Operating License is enclosed for filing. Attachment I is the proposed Technical Specification pages. Attachment II is the Safety Evaluation for the proposed changes. Attachment III is a markup of the affected Technical Specification pages.

There are no commitments contained in this submittal.

A copy of this application and the associated attachments is being provided to the designated New York State official in accordance with 10 CFR 50.91.

If you have any questions, please contact Ms. C. D. Faison.

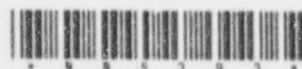
Very truly yours,

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