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10CFR55.31

Subject: Request for Unrestricted License

Dear Mr. Dyer:

Effective September 10, 1998, Mr. Kent Charles Scott was granted a Senior Reactor Operator License, License No. SOP-31532, Docket No. 55-32420, with the condition that he may actively perform the functions of an operator or senior operator only when the reactor is in Mode 4, Shutdown, as defined by the current revision of the technical specifications. The Mode 4 restriction was requested by Illinois Power due to Mr. Scott not having completed the five significant control manipulations that affect reactivity or power level required by 10CFR55.31(a)(5). As a result of Clinton Power Station (CPS) being in an extended outage, Mr. Scott was unable to perform these manipulations. Since that time, Illinois Power has restarted CPS and Mr. Scott has performed the required 10CFR55.31(a)(5) reactivity manipulations.

The five significant control manipulations that Mr. Scott has completed include:

- On, June 2, 1999, increased reactor thermal power greater than or equal to four percent by changing control rod position.
- On, June 16, 1999, increased reactor thermal power greater than or equal to four percent by changing recirculation flow.
- On, July 4, 1999, decreased reactor thermal power greater than or equal to four percent by changing recirculation flow.
- On, July 4, 1999, decreased reactor thermal power greater than or equal to four percent by changing control rod position.

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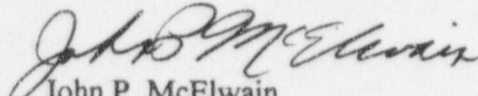
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- On July 11, 1999, increased reactor thermal power greater than or equal to four percent by changing recirculation flow.

Mr. Scott has also completed six weeks of operating the facility at reactor power levels greater than 20 percent.

With this letter, I certify that Kent Charles Scott has successfully completed the facility licensee requirements to be licensed as an Operator/Senior Operator pursuant to Title 10, Code of Federal Regulations, Part 55; and he has a need for an Operator/Senior Operator license to perform his assigned duties. I also certify under penalty of perjury that the information in this document is true and correct.

Sincerely yours,

  
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