

UNITED STATES NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSIONWISCONSIN ELECTRIC POWER COMPANYDOCKET NOS. 50-266 AND 301NOTICE OF WITHDRAWAL OF APPLICATION FOR
AMENDMENTS TO FACILITY OPERATING LICENSES

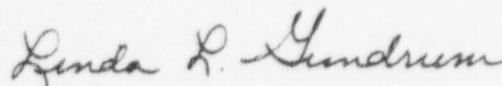
The U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (the Commission) has granted the request of Wisconsin Electric Power Company (the licensee) to withdraw its December 13, 1995, application for proposed amendments to Facility Operating License Nos. DPR-24 and DPR-27 for the Point Beach Nuclear Plant, Unit Nos. 1 and 2, located in Manitowoc County, Wisconsin.

The proposed amendments would have revised the Technical Specifications to include the provisions for a core operating limits report.

The Commission had previously issued a Notice of Consideration of Issuance of Amendments published in the FEDERAL REGISTER on January 22, 1996 (61 FR 1638). However, by letter dated April 6, 1998, the licensee withdrew the proposed changes. For further details with respect to this action, see the application for amendments dated December 13, 1995, and the licensee's letter dated April 6, 1998, which withdrew the application for license amendments. The above documents are available for public inspection at the Commission's Public Document Room, the Gelman Building, 2120 L Street, NW., Washington, DC, and at the local public document room located at The Lester Public Library, 1001 Adams Street, Two Rivers, Wisconsin 54241.

Dated at Rockville, Maryland, this 20th day of April 1998.

FOR THE NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION



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