

November 15, 1999

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SUBJECT: ISSUANCE OF AMENDMENTS FOR DIABLO CANYON NUCLEAR POWER PLANT, UNIT NO. 1 (TAC NO. MA4892) AND UNIT NO. 2 (TAC NO. MA4893)

Dear Mr. Rueger:

The Commission has issued the enclosed Amendment No. 136 to Facility Operating License No. DPR-80 and Amendment No. 136 to Facility Operating License No. DPR-82 for the Diablo Canyon Nuclear Power Plant (DCNPP), Unit Nos. 1 and 2, respectively. The amendments consist of changes to the Technical Specifications (TS) in response to your application dated December 29, 1998, as supplemented by letters dated July 30 and October 12, 1999.

The amendments revise TS 6.9.1.8, "Core Operating Limits Report," of the current TSs and TS 5.6 of the improved TSs, to allow the use of NRC approved addenda to WCAP-10054-P-A, "Westinghouse Small Break ECCS Evaluation Model Using NOTRUMP Code," August 1985, to determine core operating limits. The improved TSs were issued in Amendment Nos. 135 for Diablo Canyon Power Plant, Units 1 and 2 dated May 28, 1999, but have not yet been implemented.

A copy of the related Safety Evaluation is enclosed. The Notice of Issuance will be included in the Commission's next regular biweekly Federal Register notice.

Sincerely,

Original Signed By
Steven D. Bloom, Project Manager, Section 2
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Division of Licensing Project Management
Office of Nuclear Reactor Regulation

Docket Nos. 50-275
and 50-323

Enclosures: 1. Amendment No. 136 to DPR-80
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