



UNITED STATES  
NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION  
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20555-0001

SAFETY EVALUATION BY THE OFFICE OF NUCLEAR REACTOR REGULATION

SUPPORTING AMENDMENT NO. 10 TO

FACILITY LICENSE NO. TR-3

NATIONAL AERONAUTICS AND SPACE ADMINISTRATION (TEST REACTOR)

DOCKET NO. 50-30

1.0 INTRODUCTION

By letter dated March 25, 1999, as supplemented by letter dated August 10, 1999, the National Aeronautics and Space Administration (the licensee or NASA) submitted a request in response to an organization name change. The name was formerly the NASA Lewis Research Center and is now known as the Glenn Research Center at Lewis Field.

2.0 EVALUATION

The proposed change is administrative in nature, in that, it changes the name of the applicable organization. The requirements and organizational structure change is in name only and therefore, the proposed change is acceptable.

3.0 ENVIRONMENTAL CONSIDERATION

Pursuant to 10 CFR 51.21, 51.32, and 51.35, an environmental assessment and finding of no significant impact have been prepared and published in the Federal Register on October 6, 1999, 64 FR 54377. Accordingly, based upon the environmental assessment, the staff has determined that the issuance of the amendment will not have a significant effect on the quality of the human environment.

4.0 CONCLUSION

The Commission has concluded, based on the considerations discussed above, that: (1) there is reasonable assurance that the health and safety of the public will not be endangered by operation in the proposed manner, (2) such activities will be conducted in compliance with the Commission's regulations, and (3) the issuance of this amendment will not be inimical to the common defense and security or the health and safety of the public.

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