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December 23, 1999

SUBJECT: OYSTER CREEK NUCLEAR GENERATING STATION - WITHDRAWAL OF AN AMENDMENT REQUEST (TAC NO. MA5663)

Dear Mr. Roche:

By letter dated April 28, 1999, as supplemented by letters dated August 30 and September 3, 1999, you applied for an amendment to the Oyster Creek Nuclear Generating Station Operating License No. DPR-16. The proposed change would have modified the facility operating license to approve handling of loads up to and including 45 tons using the reactor building crane during power operations. Subsequently, by letter dated December 8, 1999, you withdrew the amendment request.

The Commission has filed the enclosed Notice of Withdrawal of Application for Amendment to Facility Operating License with the Office of the Federal Register for publication.

Sincerely,

Original signed by

Helen N. Pastis, Sr. Project Manager, Section I
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 Office of Nuclear Reactor Regulation

Docket No. 50-219

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