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L-12-259ATTN: Document Control Desk  
U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission  
Washington, DC 20555-0001**SUBJECT:**  
Beaver Valley Power Station, Unit Nos. 1 and 2  
BV-1 Docket No. 50-334, License No. DPR-66  
BV-2 Docket No. 50-412, License No. NPF-73  
Response to NRC Regulatory Issue Summary 2012-07  
Preparation and Scheduling of Operator Licensing Examinations

The purpose of this letter is to provide the NRC with the response to NRC Regulatory Issue Summary (RIS) 2012-07 for Beaver Valley Power Station Unit No. 1 and Unit No. 2. The RIS requested licensees to voluntarily submit a response using NRC Form 536 to provide data for scheduling and preparation of operator licensing examinations. Attached is the completed NRC Form 536, which addresses our proposed operator licensing examination schedule for calendar year 2014 through 2017.

There are no regulatory commitments contained in this letter. If there are any questions or if additional information is required, please contact Mr. Darin M. Benyak, Manager, Regulatory Compliance at 724-682-4284.

Sincerely,

  
Paul A. Harden

Attachment

cc: Mr. W. M. Dean, NRC Region I Administrator  
Mr. D. I. Spindler, NRC Senior Resident Inspector  
Mr. P. J. Bamford, NRR Project Manager  
Mr. D. E. Jackson, Chief, Operations Branch, Division of Reactor SafetyM003  
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**OPERATOR LICENSING  
EXAMINATION DATA**

Estimated burden per response to comply with this voluntary information collection request: 1 hour. This information collection is used to plan budgets and resources for operator examinations. Send comments regarding burden estimate to the Information Services Branch (T-5 F53), U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, Washington, DC 20555-0001, or by internet e-mail to Infocollects.Resource@nrc.gov, and to the Desk Officer, Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs, NEOB-10202, (3150-0131), Office of Management and Budget, Washington, DC 20503. If a means used to impose an information collection does not display a currently valid OMB control number, the NRC may not conduct or sponsor, and a person is not required to respond to, the information collection.

FACILITY Beaver Valley Power Station Unit 1 (BVPS-1) and Beaver Valley Power Station Unit 2 (BVPS-2). Information provided for year 2014 is for both BVPS-1 and BVPS-2. Information provided for year 2016 is for both BVPS-1 and BVPS-2.	NRC REGION 1
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**A. PROPOSED EXAMINATION PREPARATION SCHEDULE**

PROPOSED NUMBER	<u>CY 2014</u>	<u>CY 2015</u>	<u>CY 2016</u>	<u>CY 2017</u>
ESTIMATED NUMBER OF LICENSEE-PREPARED EXAMINATIONS	2	0	2	0
ESTIMATED NUMBER OF NRC-PREPARED EXAMINATIONS	0	0	0	0

**B. INITIAL OPERATOR LICENSE EXAMINATIONS**

PROPOSED NUMBER	<u>CY 2014</u>		<u>CY 2015</u>	<u>CY 2016</u>		<u>CY 2017</u>
NUMBER OF REACTOR OPERATORS	<u>Unit 1</u> 10	<u>Unit 2</u> 10	0	<u>Unit 1</u> 10	<u>Unit 2</u> 10	0
NUMBER OF SENIOR REACTOR OPERATORS - INSTANT	4	4	0	4	4	0
NUMBER OF SENIOR REACTOR OPERATORS - UPGRADE	0	2	0	2	2	0
NUMBER OF SENIOR REACTOR OPERATORS - LIMITED	0	0	0	0	0	0
PROPOSED DATES						
PRIMARY DATE	7/7/14 10/20/14			7/18/16 9/26/16		
ALTERNATE DATE	7/14/14 10/27/14			7/25/16 10/3/16		

**C. PROPOSED GENERIC FUNDAMENTALS EXAMINATION (GFE) SCHEDULE**

PROPOSED NUMBER	<u>CY 2012</u>				<u>CY 2013</u>			
	MARCH	JUNE	SEPTEMBER	DECEMBER	MARCH	JUNE	SEPTEMBER	DECEMBER
ESTIMATED NUMBER OF CANDIDATES				14		14		