

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION
ATOMIC SAFETY AND LICENSING BOARD

Before Administrative Judges:

Ronald M. Spritzer, Chairman
Dr. Richard F. Cole
Dr. Alice C. Mignerey

In the Matter of

VIRGINIA ELECTRIC and POWER COMPANY
d/b/a DOMINION VIRGINIA POWER and OLD
DOMINION ELECTRIC COOPERATIVE

(Combined License Application
for North Anna Unit 3)

Docket No. 52-017-COL

ASLBP No. 08-863-01-COL

September 6, 2012

ORDER

(Notifying Parties of Amendments to Rules of Practice)

On August 3, 2012, the Commission issued a final rule amending its 10 C.F.R. Part 2 rules of practice for licensing proceedings.¹ The effective date of the amended rules is September 4, 2012, and “the new or amended requirements will be effective and govern all obligations and disputes that arise after the effective date.”² The Commission also instructed licensing boards to “take the necessary steps to notify parties of their obligations once the final rule becomes effective.”³ Accordingly, although this proceeding remains closed pending a motion to reopen, the parties are encouraged to familiarize themselves with the amended Part 2, particularly those provisions regarding the filing of new or amended contentions.⁴ Should the

¹ Amendments to Adjudicatory Process Rules and Related Requirements, 77 Fed. Reg. 46,562 (Aug. 3, 2012).

² Id. at 46,562.

³ Id.

⁴ See id. at 46,591-92.

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proceeding be reopened, the Board will issue a new scheduling order governing mandatory disclosures and other pre-hearing matters.

It is so ORDERED.

FOR THE ATOMIC SAFETY
AND LICENSING BOARD

/RA/

Ronald M. Spitzer
ADMINISTRATIVE JUDGE

Rockville, Maryland
September 6, 2012

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In the Matter of)	
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Virginia Electric and Power Company d/b/a)	
Dominion Virginia Power (DVP or Dominion))	Docket No. 52-017-COL
and Old Dominion Electric Cooperative (ODEC))	
)	
(North Anna Power Station, Unit 3))	

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

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