

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

In the Matter of)
)
Rochester Gas and Electric Corporation) Docket No. 50-244
(R.E. Ginna Nuclear Power Plant,)
Unit No. 1))

APPLICATION FOR AMENDMENT
TO OPERATING LICENSE

Pursuant to Section 50.90 of the regulations of the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (the "Commission"), Rochester Gas and Electric Corporation ("RG&E"), holder of Provisional Operating License No. DPR-18, hereby requests that the Technical Specifications set forth in Appendix A to that License be amended to add definitions for surveillance intervals. This request for a change in the Technical Specifications is submitted in accordance with a letter from Dennis L. Ziemann, Chief, Operating Reactors Branch #2, dated August 11, 1978.

The proposed technical specification change is set forth in Attachment A to this Application. A safety evaluation is set forth in Attachment B. This evaluation also demonstrates that the proposed change does not involve a significant change in the types or a significant increase in the amounts of effluents or any change in the authorized power level of the facility. Justification for classification of the amendment pursuant to 10 CFR Section 170.22 is included as Attachment C. As described in Attachment C, the request for amendment is exempt from a fee.

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WHEREFORE, Applicant respectfully requests that Appendix A to Provisional Operating License No. DPR-18 be amended in the form attached hereto as Attachment A.

Rochester Gas and Electric Corporation

By

L.D. White, Jr.

L.D. White, Jr.
Vice President
Electric and Steam Production

Subscribed and sworn to before me
on this *10th* day of October 1978

Sharon G. Cavaleri

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NOTARY PUBLIC, State of N. Y., Monroe County
My Commission Expires March 30, 19*79*



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Attachment A

Proposed Technical Specifications

1. Add Technical Specification 1.12 as shown on the attached page.

1.12 Frequency Notation

The frequency notation specified for the performance of surveillance requirements shall correspond to the intervals defined below.

<u>Notation</u>	<u>Frequency</u>
S, Each Shift	At least once per 12 hours
D, Daily	At least once per 24 hours
Twice per week	At least once per 4 days and at least twice per 7 days
W, Weekly	At least once per 7 days
B/W, Biweekly	At least once per 14 days
M, Monthly	At least once per 31 days
B/M, Bimonthly	At least once per 62 days
Q, Quarterly	At least once per 92 days
SA, Semiannually	At least once per 6 months
A, Annually	At least once per 12 months
R, Refueling	At least once per 18 months
S/U	Prior to each startup
NA	Not Applicable

Attachment B
Safety Evaluation

The proposed change provides clarification of the surveillance intervals presently in the Technical Specifications but does not change any surveillance requirements. In a limited number of cases, the precise wording for a surveillance interval is not repeated in the proposed Specification 1.12, however, it is obvious in these cases which definition applies. For example, rather than "quarterly", the words "every 3 months" or "4 times per year" may be used. In each of these cases, the definition of "at least once per 92 days" is understood to apply. As changes are proposed on pages with these alternate phrases in the future, the definitions will be brought in conformance with Specification 1.12.

The allowance to adjust a specified interval by plus or minus 25% to accommodate normal test schedules given in Specification 4.0 continues to apply.

Attachment C
Fee Determination

The proposed Technical Specification change is administrative in nature and has no safety or environmental significance since it provides clarification of surveillance intervals but does not change any surveillance requirement. It therefore is a Class II amendment as defined in 10 CFR Section 170.22. Because this change is submitted in response to a written commission request, a letter dated August 11, 1978 from Dennis L. Ziemann; is intended only to clarify the technical specifications; has minor (no) safety significance; and is for the convenience of the Commission, it is exempt from a fee in accordance with footnote 2 to 10 CFR Section 170.22.

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