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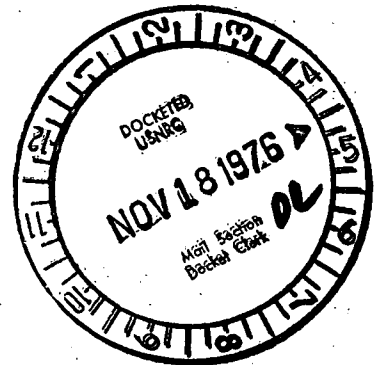
DOCKET 50-255, LICENSE DPR-20 -
PALISADES PLANT - SPENT FUEL POOL
MODIFICATION - PROPOSED TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS

By letter dated November 1, 1976 we submitted plans for modification of our Palisades spent fuel storage facility. Enclosed with this letter is a proposed change to the Palisades license. This change is required to facilitate operation of the modified storage facility.

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Request for Change to the Technical Specifications

License No DPR-20

For the reasons hereinafter set forth, it is requested that the Technical Specifications contained in Provisional Operating License No DPR-20, Docket No No 50-255, issued to Consumers Power Company on October 16, 1972, be changed as described in Section I below.

I. Change

Change 2.B of the license to read as follows:

"B. Pursuant to the Act and 10 CFR Part 70, 'Special Nuclear Material' to receive, possess and use 15,000 kilograms of Uranium-235 and 96 grams of encapsulated plutonium-beryllium in connection with operation of the facility."

II. Discussion

On November 1, 1976 Consumers Power submitted a proposed plan for modifying its spent fuel storage facility to accommodate about 798 assemblies. This proposed change revises the possession limits for Uranium-235 to be consistent with the proposed fuel storage modification and is based on the November 1, 1976 submittal.

III. Conclusions

Based on the foregoing, the Palisades Plant Review Committee has reviewed and recommended this proposed modification.

CONSUMERS POWER COMPANY

By

R C Youngdahl
R C Youngdahl
Executive Vice President

Sworn and subscribed to before me this 16th day of November 1976.

Linda R Thayer
Linda R Thayer, Notary Public
Jackson County, Michigan
My commission expires July 9, 1979.

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