

**VIRGINIA ELECTRIC AND POWER COMPANY**  
**RICHMOND, VIRGINIA 23261**

November 2, 1979

Mr. Harold R. Denton, Director  
Office of Nuclear Reactor Regulation  
Attn: Mr. A. Schwencer, Chief  
Operating Reactors Branch No. 1  
Division of Operating Reactors  
U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission  
Washington, DC 20555

Serial No. 867  
FR/NAS: clp  
Docket No.: 50-338  
License No.: NPF-4

Dear Mr. Denton:

AMENDMENT TO OPERATING LICENSE NPF-4  
NORTH ANNA POWER STATION UNIT NO. 1  
PROPOSED TECHNICAL SPECIFICATION CHANGE NO. 24

Pursuant to 10 CFR 50.90, the Virginia Electric and Power Company requests an amendment, in the form of changes to the Technical Specifications, to Operating License No. NPF-4 for the North Anna Power Station, Unit No. 1. The proposed changes are enclosed and have been designated Change No. 24. These changes are related to operation of the Unit 1, Cycle 2 reload core.

The supporting Safety Evaluation for this request as well as the specific changes to the Technical Specifications are provided in Attachments 1 and 2, respectively. These changes and the associated Safety Evaluation have been reviewed and approved by both the Station Nuclear Safety and Operating Committee and the System Nuclear Safety and Operating Committee. It has been determined that these changes do not involve an unreviewed safety question as defined in 10 CFR 50.59.

We have evaluated the proposed Unit 1 Technical Specifications changes in accordance with the criteria in 10 CFR 170.22. It has been determined that this request requires a Class III amendment fee. Accordingly, you will find enclosed a voucher check in the amount of \$4,000.00 in payment of the amendment fee.

As previously indicated (reference letter from Vepco (C. M. Stallings) to NRC (H. R. Denton) dated August 10, 1979, Serial No. 618/073079), we will be

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conducting an inspection of the fuel and control rods to be used in Cycle 2. As of this date, the entire core (to include control rods) has been off-loaded and inspected. No fuel assembly grid or control rod anomalies have been detected. However, you will be promptly notified should any significant observations be made in future inspections.

Should you have any questions, please contact us at your earliest convenience.

Very truly yours,

*C. M. Stallings*

C. M. Stallings  
Vice President-Power Supply  
and Production Operations

Attachments:

- (1) Reload Safety Evaluation for North Anna Unit 1, Cycle 2
- (2) Proposed Technical Specification Change No. 24
- (3) Voucher Check No.                      for \$4,000.00

cc: Mr. James P. O'Reilly, Director  
Office of Inspection and Enforcement  
Region II

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CITY OF RICHMOND             )

Before me, a Notary Public, in and for the City and Commonwealth aforesaid, today personally appeared C. M. Stallings, who being duly sworn, made oath and said (1) that he is Vice President-Power Supply and Production Operations, of the Virginia Electric and Power Company, (2) that he is duly authorized to execute and file the foregoing Amendment in behalf of that Company, and (3) that the statements in the Amendment are true to the best of his knowledge and belief.

Given under my hand and notarial seal this 2nd day of January, 1979.

My Commission expires 2/5/83.

Gladys P. Monroel  
Notary Public

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ATTACHMENT 1

RELOAD SAFETY EVALUATION FOR  
NORTH ANNA UNIT 1, CYCLE 2

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