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SUBJECT: James A. FitzPatrick Nuclear Power Plant
Docket No. 50-333
**Proposed Changes to the Technical Specifications
Regarding Deletion of Time Delay for HPCI and
RCIC Automatic Isolation (JPTS-89-022)**

REFERENCES: 1. LER 89-008-00, dated June 16, 1989, "High Pressure Coolant Injection and Reactor Core Isolation Cooling Made Inoperable due to Procedure Deficiency Causing Missed Surveillance"

Dear Sir:

This application for an amendment to the James A. FitzPatrick Technical Specifications revises Table 4.2-2, "Minimum Test and Calibration Frequency for Core and Containment Cooling Systems." It deletes the reference for functional testing of the time delay relays and timers for the High Pressure Coolant Injection and the Reactor Core Isolation Cooling subsystems' automatic isolation signals. These changes revise the Technical Specifications to reflect the plant design as described in the Final Safety Analysis Report and the assumptions used in the plant's accident analyses.

Enclosed for filing is the signed original of a document entitled "Application for Amendment to Operating License," with Attachments I and II thereto, comprising a statement of the proposed changes to the Technical Specifications and the associated Safety Evaluation.

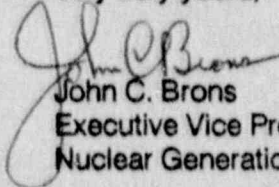
In accordance with 10 CFR 50.91, a copy of this application and the associated attachments are being provided to the designated New York State official.

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Should you or your staff have any questions regarding the proposed changes, please contact Mr. J. B. Ellmers of my staff.

Very truly yours,


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**BEFORE THE UNITED STATES
NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION**

In the Matter of
NEW YORK POWER AUTHORITY
James A. FitzPatrick Nuclear Power Plant

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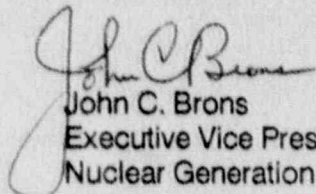
APPLICATION FOR AMENDMENT TO OPERATING LICENSE

Pursuant to Section 50.90 of the regulations of the Nuclear Regulatory Commission, the New York Power Authority, as holder of Facility Operating License No. DPR-59, hereby applies for an Amendment to the Technical Specifications contained in Appendix A of this license.

This application for an amendment to the James A. FitzPatrick Technical Specifications revises Table 4.2-2, "Minimum Test and Calibration Frequency for Core and Containment Cooling Systems." It deletes the reference for functional testing of the time delay relays and timers for the High Pressure Coolant Injection and the Reactor Core Isolation Cooling subsystems' automatic isolation signals on page 80. These changes revise the Technical Specifications to reflect the plant design as described in the Final Safety Analysis Report and the assumptions used in the plant's accident analyses.

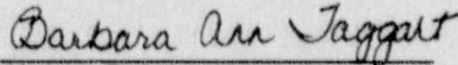
The proposed changes to the Technical Specifications are Attachment I to this Application for Amendment to the Operating License. The Safety Evaluation for the proposed changes is included as Attachment II.

New York Power Authority


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**STATE OF NEW YORK
COUNTY OF WESTCHESTER**

Subscribed and sworn to before me
this 5 day of April 1990.



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