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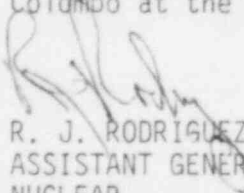
DOCKET NO. 50-312
LICENSE NO. DPR-54
PROPOSED AMENDMENT NO. 138

In accordance with 10 CFR 50.59, the Sacramento Municipal Utility District proposes to amend its Operating License DPR-54 for Rancho Seco Nuclear Generating Station Unit 1. Enclosed is Proposed Amendment No. 138. Attachment I to this submittal is the No Significant Hazards Evaluation in accordance with 10 CFR 50.92.

Proposed Amendment 138 addresses changes to the Rancho Seco off-site and on-site organization charts. These changes are being implemented in accordance with recommendations made to SMUD by LRS Consultants (Management Appraisal Report, November 1984) to enhance performance of the nuclear organization. Attachment II to this submittal is a description of the proposed changes.

Pursuant to the Schedule of Facility Fees in 10 CFR 170.21, a check in the amount of \$150.00 is provided with this proposed amendment.

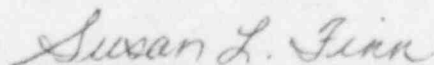
If you have any questions concerning this proposal, please contact Mr. Ron Colombo at the Rancho Seco Nuclear Generating Station Unit No. 1.


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ASSISTANT GENERAL MANAGER,
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Subscribed and sworn to before me
this 18th day of October, 1985


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ATTACHMENT I

NO SIGNIFICANT HAZARDS DETERMINATION

The Proposed Amendment to the Technical Specifications has been evaluated, and the District has determined that there are "No Significant Hazards Considerations." The basis of this determination is the Commission guidance concerning the application of the standards of 10 CFR 50.92 provided in 48 FR 14871, April 6, 1983, which presented examples of amendments that are considered not likely to involve significant hazards considerations. Included in these examples were purely administrative changes to the technical specifications as typified by the proposed revisions to the SMUD nuclear organization charts.

SAFETY ANALYSIS

An in-depth management appraisal completed by SMUD in November, 1984, resulted in specific organizational recommendations for improved management attention to Rancho Seco performance by establishing various management assistant positions.

The title, Executive Director, Nuclear, was changed to Assistant General Manager, Nuclear, which is considered a more definitive title for the position having overall responsibility for Rancho Seco.

The additions of Assistant Manager, Nuclear Operations, Assistant to Plant Superintendent, and Assistant Operations Superintendent proposed in the amendment to the Rancho Seco Technical Specifications, put into effect SMUD organization changes for increasing plant performance coverage, and are judged to constitute a positive improvement on the safe operation of the plant.

Further, lower tier changes such as retitling Engineering and QC to Tech Support to which STA supervisor reports and separating Electrical and I&C Maintenance, lead further to an improvement of plant operating safety and efficiency.

The organizational changes proposed in Amendment 138 are considered improvements for more efficient managerial supervision and judged to have a positive effect on safe operation of the plant. Operation of Rancho Seco in accordance with Proposed Amendment No. 138:

- 1) does not involve a significant increase in the probability or consequences of an accident previously evaluated,
- 2) does not create the possibility of a new or different kind of accident from any accident previously evaluated, and
- 3) does not involve a significant reduction in a margin of safety.

Accordingly, significant safety hazards are not involved in this amendment.

ATTACHMENT II

Description of Proposed Change

1. Page xii, List of Figures; Changed title for Figure 6.2-1 from "SMUD" Organization Chart" to "SMUD Nuclear Safety Organization Chart."
2. Figure 6.2-1, SMUD NUCLEAR SAFETY ORGANIZATION CHART; Changed the position title Executive Director, Nuclear to Assistant General Manager, Nuclear and added Licensing, reporting to the Assistant General Manager, Nuclear. Also changed the function title Quality Assurance to Quality.
3. Figure 6.2-1, PLANT ORGANIZATION CHART; Added the positions Assistant Manager - Nuclear Operations, Assistant to Plant Superintendent, Assistant to Operations Superintendent and Assistant Operations Superintendent. Also added Incident Analysis reporting to Regulatory Compliance and changed the position Engineering and Quality Control Superintendent to Technical Support, to whom the Supervisor of Staff Technical Advisors reports. The position Quality Control Personnel, which was transferred to the Quality Department, was deleted. In addition, the position Nuclear Electric I&C Supervisor was divided into two positions, Nuclear Electrical Superintendent and Nuclear I&C Superintendent.
4. Section 6.5.2.2, page 6-7; The Chairman title has been changed from Executive Director, Nuclear to Assistant General Manager, Nuclear and the title Manager Quality Assurance Director to Manager, Quality Department. A concluding paragraph adds a provision for increasing membership to the MSRC if it appears to strengthen safety perspective.
5. Section 6.6.1.b, page 6-10; Changed the title Executive Director, Nuclear to Assistant General Manager, Nuclear.