

October 2, 1985

Docket No. 50-155
LS05-85-10-007

Mr. David J. Vandewalle
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Consumers Power Company
1945 West Parnall Road
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Dear Mr. Vandewalle:

SUBJECT: LICENSE AMENDMENT - DEFINITION OF OPERABILITY AND
ASSOCIATED LIMITING CONDITIONS FOR OPERATION

Re: Big Rock Point Plant

The Commission has issued the enclosed Amendment No. 78 to Facility Operating License No. DPR-6 for the Big Rock Point Plant. This amendment is in response to your application dated November 11, 1984, as revised on January 17, 1985.

The amendment modifies the Big Rock Point Technical Specifications by implementing a definition of operability and incorporating Limiting Conditions for Operation for redundant safety systems.

A Notice of Consideration of Issuance of Amendment to License and Proposed No Significant Hazards Consideration Determination and Opportunity for Hearing related to the requested action was published in the Federal Register on May 21, 1985 (50 FR 20974). No public comments or requests for hearing were received.

A copy of our related Safety Evaluation is also enclosed. This action will appear in the Commission's biweekly notice publication in the Federal Register.

Sincerely,

~~Original signed by~~

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Enclosures:

1. Amendment No. 78 to License No. DPR-6
2. Safety Evaluation

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