



UNITED STATES
NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, D. C. 20555

GENERAL ELECTRIC COMPANY

DOCKET NO. 50-183

ESADA VALLECITOS EXPERIMENTAL
SUPERHEAT REACTOR (EVESR)

AMENDMENT TO FACILITY LICENSE

Amendment No. 4
License No. DR-10

1. The Nuclear Regulatory Commission (the Commission) has found that:
 - A. The application for amendment filed by General Electric Company (the licensee), dated August 6, 1987, complies with the standards and requirements of the Atomic Energy Act of 1954, as amended (the Act), and the Commission's regulations as set forth in 10 CFR Chapter I;
 - B. The facility will operate in conformity with the application, the provisions of the Act, and the regulations of the Commission;
 - C. There is reasonable assurance: (i) that the activities authorized by this amendment can be conducted without endangering the health and safety of the public, and (ii) that such activities will be conducted in compliance with the Commission's regulations set forth in 10 CFR Chapter I;
 - D. The issuance of this amendment will not be inimical to the common defense and security or to the health and safety of the public; and
 - E. The issuance of this amendment is in accordance with 10 CFR Part 51 of the Commission's regulations and all applicable requirements have been satisfied.

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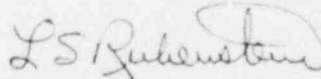
2. Accordingly, the license is amended by changes to the Technical Specifications as indicated in the enclosure to this license amendment, and paragraph 3.B. of Facility License No. DR-10 is hereby amended to read as follows:

Technical Specifications

The Technical Specifications contained in Appendix A, as revised through Amendment No. 4, are hereby incorporated in the license. The licensee shall operate the facility in accordance with the Technical Specifications.

3. This license amendment is effective as of the date of issuance.

FOR THE NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION



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Enclosure:
Appendix A Technical
Specifications Changes

Date of Issuance: January 14, 1988

ENCLOSURE TO LICENSE AMENDMENT NO. 4

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Replace the following page of the Appendix A Technical Specifications with the enclosed page. The revised page is identified by Amendment number and contains a vertical line indicating the area of change.

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of 10 CFR Part 20. A general radiation survey shall be conducted, at least annually.

2. Ventilation

A ventilation particulate monitor shall be operable whenever the containment building is ventilated.

3. Surveillance and Security

Access to areas below the 549-ft. level shall remain covered by concrete blocks over the reactor vessel and the head and shield plug storage pit, by a wood cover over the empty spent fuel storage pool and by locked covers on the personnel and equipment access hatchways. Keys to locks on the hatches and on the crane power switch shall be available only to the facility supervisor or his designated alternate.

4. Removal of Materials and Equipment

As a radiation and contamination control measure, all materials and equipment removed from radioactive materials areas shall be monitored and released in accordance with Vallecitos Nuclear Center site *procedures* and in compliance with the standards of 10 CFR Part 20.

D. RECORDS

Sufficient records shall be kept to establish that the facility is being maintained within the limitations of the facility license.