

The notice was published in the Federal Register on July 3, 1996 (FR 61 34875).

By letter of July 31, 1996, the union representative, requested administrative reconsideration of the Department's findings.

The employees of the Progressive Knitting Mills in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania were engaged in the production of men's, women's and children's active wear. Sales and employment at the subject firm declined during the time period relevant to the investigation.

New findings on reconsideration show that the active wear produced by Progressive Knitting Mills is mass marketed. Therefore, the articles manufactured by the subject firm have been impacted importantly by the high penetration of imports in this market. In 1994 and 1995, the ratio of U.S. imports of general playsuits and sunsets from Mexico to domestic production was more than 200%.

#### Conclusion

After careful review of the additional facts obtained on reconsideration, I conclude that increased imports of articles from Mexico like or directly competitive with active wear contributed importantly to the declines in sales or production and to the total or partial separation of workers of Progressive Knitting Mills of Pennsylvania, Incorporated, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania. In accordance with the provisions of the Act, I make the following certification:

All workers of Progressive Knitting Mills of Pennsylvania, Incorporated, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania who became totally or partially separated from employment on or after April 2, 1995 are eligible to apply for NAFTA-TAA under Section 250 of the Trade Act of 1974.

Signed at Washington, D.C. this 28th day of August 1996.

Russell T. Kile,

*Acting Program Manager, Policy and Reemployment Services, Office of Trade Adjustment Assistance.*

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#### Occupational Safety and Health Administration

##### Supplement to California State Plan; Request for Public Comment; Correction

**AGENCY:** Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA), Department of Labor.

**ACTION:** Correction.

**SUMMARY:** In document 96-23458 beginning on page 48443 in the issue of

Friday, September 13, 1996, make the following corrections:

On page 48445 in the third column, the due date for submission of public comments was mistakenly stated as October 15, 1996. The correct date is November 12, 1996.

The date for receipt of requests for an informal hearing should also read November 12, 1996, instead of October 15, 1996.

The correct date is noted on page 48443 in the second column.

Dated: September 19, 1996.

Joseph A. Dear,

*Assistant Secretary.*

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#### NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION

##### Advisory Committee for Engineering: Notice of Meeting

In accordance with the Federal Advisory Committee Act (Pub. L. 92-463, as amended), the National Science Foundation announces the following meeting.

**NAME AND COMMITTEE CODE:** Advisory Committee for Engineering (#1170).

**DATE AND TIME:** October 10, 1996/9:30 am-5:00 pm; October 11, 1996/8:30 am-12 Noon.

**PLACE:** October 10th, Room 1235, (National Science Board Meeting Room) and October 11th, Room 375, National Science Foundation, 4201 Wilson Boulevard, Arlington, VA.

**TYPE OF MEETING:** Open.

**CONTACT PERSON:** Dr. Christina Gabriel, Senior Engineering Coordinator, National Science Foundation, Suite 505, 4201 Wilson Boulevard, Arlington, VA. 22230, Telephone (703) 306-1302.

**MINUTES:** May be obtained from the contact person listed above.

**PURPOSE OF MEETING:** To provide advice, recommendations and counsel on major goals and policies pertaining to Engineering programs and activities.

**AGENDA:** Discussion on issues, opportunities and future directions for the Engineering Directorate; discussion of Engineering Directorate budget situation as well as other items.

Dated: September 19, 1996.

M. Rebecca Winkler,

*Committee Management Officer.*

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#### NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

[Docket Nos. 50-352 AND 50-353]

##### Philadelphia Electric Company; Notice of Withdrawal of Application for Amendment to Facility Operating License

The U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (the Commission) has granted the request of Philadelphia Electric Company (the licensee) to withdraw its June 5, 1995, application for proposed amendment to Facility Operating License Nos. NPF-39 and NPF-85, for the Limerick Generating Station, Units 1 and 2, respectively, located in Montgomery County, Pennsylvania.

The proposed amendment would have revised the Technical Specification (TS) Section 3/4.1.5, "Standby Liquid Control System," (SLCS) to remove the minimum flow rate requirement for the SLCS pumps from TS Section 3/4.1.5.

The Commission had previously issued a Notice of Consideration of Issuance of Amendment published in the Federal Register on July 19, 1995 (60 FR 37098). However, by letter dated September 3, 1996, the licensee withdrew the proposed change.

For further details with respect to this action, see the application for amendment dated June 5, 1995, and the licensee's letter dated September 3, 1996, which withdrew the application for license amendment. The above documents are available for public inspection at the Commission's Public Document Room, the Gelman Building, 2120 L Street, NW., Washington, DC, and at the local public document room located at the Pottstown Public Library, 500 High street, Pottstown, Pennsylvania 19464.

Dated at Rockville, Maryland, this 19th day of September 1996.

For the Nuclear Regulatory Commission.  
Frank Rinaldi,  
*Project Manager, Project Directorate I-2, Division of Reactor Projects—I/II, Office of Nuclear Reactor Regulation.*

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##### Proposed License Renewal Regulatory Guide Workshop and Continuing Guidance Development

**AGENCY:** Nuclear Regulatory Commission.

**ACTION:** Notice of public workshop.

**SUMMARY:** The United States Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) will hold a public workshop on the draft guide for

implementation of Title 10 of the *Code of Federal Regulations*, Part 54, "Requirements for Renewal of Operating Licenses for Nuclear Power Plants" (the license renewal rule). Information will be provided at the workshop on the NRC staff's proposed draft regulatory guide and an industry implementation guideline for the format and content of a license renewal application. Staff observations of an industry program performed to demonstrate plant-specific implementation of the industry guideline will also be provided. The staff will use the information or comments received from members of the public and the experience gained through its observation of the plant-specific demonstrations to determine whether changes are needed in the draft guide or industry guideline.

**DATES:** October 29, 1996, 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.

The workshop will provide the participants an opportunity to obtain further information, ask questions, make comments during the discussion, or submit written comments for NRC consideration. To ensure there are adequate copies of handouts available, persons planning to attend the workshop should call the contact designated below by October 15, 1996.

**ADDRESSES:** Auditorium of NRC's Two White Flint North Building, 11545 Rockville Pike, Rockville, Maryland.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Raj K. Anand, Office of Nuclear Reactor Regulation, U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, Washington, DC-20555, Telephone (301) 415-1146; Fax (301) 415-2279 Internet: RKA@NRC.GOV

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** The NRC published a notice of availability and request for public comments in the Federal Register on August 26, 1996 (61 FR 43792), for Draft Regulatory Guide DG-1047, "Standard Format and Content for Applications to Renew Nuclear Power Plant Operating Licenses," as part of the implementation of the license renewal rule. This draft regulatory guide is being developed to provide a uniform format and content acceptable to the staff for structuring and presenting the information to be compiled and submitted in an application for renewal of a nuclear power plant operating license. This draft guide proposes to endorse the Nuclear Energy Institute's (NEIs) guidance document NEI 95-10, "Industry Guideline for Implementing the Requirements of 10 CFR Part 54—The License Renewal Rule," Revision O, dated March 1, 1996, as an acceptable method for complying with the

requirements of the license renewal rule.

The draft regulatory guide and NEI 95-10 are being developed to provide guidance regarding the contents of an application for license renewal that includes (1) required general information concerning the applicant and the plant, (2) information contained in the integrated plant assessment, (3) evaluation of time-limited aging analyses (TLAAs), (4) a supplement to the Final Safety Analysis Report (FSAR), (5) technical specification changes and their justification, and (6) a supplement to the environmental report. Specifically, guidance is provided for (1) identifying the systems, structures, and components within the scope of the license renewal rule, (2) identifying the intended functions of systems, structures, and components within the scope of the license renewal rule, (3) identifying the structures and components subject to aging management review, (4) assuring that the effects of aging are managed, (5) identifying and evaluating TLAAs, and (6) establishing the format and content of the license renewal application and FSAR supplement.

The NRC staff is observing an NEI-sponsored program that will demonstrate plant-specific implementation of NEI 95-10. This program will test the ability of participating utilities to understand and use the guidance contained in NEI 95-10. This program is scheduled to be completed in September 1996, and the staff is issuing trip reports documenting its observations of each participant's demonstration. At the conclusion of the program, the staff will compile its observations from the program into a lessons-learned report. The draft regulatory guide, NEI 95-10, and the demonstration program reports are available for inspection or copying at the NRC's Public Document Room (PDR), 2120 L Street, NW, Washington, DC (the PDR's mailing address is Mail Stop LL-6, Washington, DC 20555; telephone (202) 634-3273; fax (202) 634-3343). In addition, copies of the draft guide, NEI 95-10, and the demonstration program reports will be available at the workshop.

During development of the draft regulatory guide and NEI 95-10, the NRC staff determined that development of final guidance for certain topics was best deferred until completion of the demonstration program when additional experience with implementation of the license renewal rule and the existing NEI 95-10 guidance could be obtained. These topics include guidance on (1) the level of detail required for a license

renewal application and the level of detail and content of the associated FSAR supplement, (2) the approach for using pre-approved topical reports in an application, and (3) the overall level of detail contained in NEI 95-10. Although preliminary guidance is provided in the draft guide and NEI 95-10 for these topics, the staff intends to revisit these topics when finalizing the regulatory guide. The NRC staff solicits suggestions in these areas.

The draft regulatory guide has not received complete staff review and does not represent an official NRC staff position. Public comments are being solicited on the guide as described in the Federal Register notice for the draft guide (61 FR 43792). Written comments are requested by November 29, 1996. Comments received after this date will be considered if it is practical to do so, but the Commission is able to assure consideration only for comments received on or before this date.

The workshop is scheduled prior to the expiration of the public comment period to allow interested parties to obtain further information on the draft guide, NEI 95-10, and demonstration program for consideration when submitting written comments.

#### *Continuing Guidance Development:*

Based on experience with the demonstration program to date, the NRC staff and NEI have identified a number of topics for which additional guidance for inclusion in either the regulatory guide or NEI 95-10 may be beneficial. The staff and NEI plan to continue to refine the guidance provided in the draft guide and NEI 95-10 on some of these topics during the public comment period. The process will involve public meetings and written correspondence between the staff and NEI. Meetings conducted between the staff and NEI and other outside parties will be announced and a summary placed in the PDR. Copies of documents generated as part of this effort will be available in the PDR. This activity will develop only proposed changes to the regulatory guide or NEI 95-10. Final changes to the regulatory guide or NEI 95-10 will not be made until after the public comment period expires and public comments have been considered. Significant changes in the version of the draft guide or NEI 95-10 noticed for public comment on August 26, 1996, that result from this activity will be summarized in the Federal Register notice for the final regulatory guide along with the resolution of public comments received.

#### *Tentative Workshop Agenda*

Registration  
Introduction

License Renewal Rule and Guidance  
Development Overview  
Draft Regulatory Guide and Industry  
Guideline Content  
License Renewal Demonstration  
Program Overview  
NRC Lessons-Learned  
Industry Lessons-Learned  
Comments and Questions  
Summary and Conclusions

Dated at Rockville, Maryland, this 18th day of September 1996.

For the Nuclear Regulatory Commission.

Stephen T. Hoffman,

Senior Project Manager, License Renewal  
Project Directorate, Division of Reactor  
Program Management, Office of Nuclear  
Reactor Regulation, U.S. Nuclear Regulatory  
Commission.

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### Advisory Committee on Reactor Safeguards; Meeting Notice

In accordance with the purposes of Sections 29 and 182b. of the Atomic Energy Act (42 U.S.C. 2039, 2232b), the Advisory Committee on Reactor Safeguards will hold a meeting on October 9-12, 1996, in Conference Room T-2B3, 11545 Rockville Pike, Rockville, Maryland. The date of this meeting was previously published in the Federal Register on Monday, November 27, 1995 (60 FR 58393).

Wednesday, October 9, 1996

8:30 a.m.-8:35 a.m.: *Opening Remarks by the ACRS Chairman* (Open)—The ACRS Chairman will make opening remarks regarding conduct of the meeting.

8:35 a.m.-9:00 a.m.: *Introduction* (Open)—The ACRS Chairman will introduce the ACRS Members to the Canadian Advisory Committee on Nuclear Safety (ACNS) and the ACNS Chairman will introduce the ACNS Members to the ACRS. Both Committees will discuss ACRS and ACNS missions, regulatory environments, process/products, interactions, and independence.

9:00 a.m.-11:30 a.m.: *Risk-Informed and Performance-Based Regulations* (Open)—The ACRS and ACNS will discuss prescriptive vs performance-based regulation, PRA methods and completeness, and defense-in-depth.

1:00 p.m.-2:15 p.m.: *Plant Aging* (Open)—The ACRS and ACNS will discuss issues associated with plant aging.

2:15 p.m.-3:00 p.m.: *Operator Training/Simulator Use* (Open)—The ACRS and ACNS will discuss the training of nuclear power plant operators and the use of simulators for training operators and other plant personnel.

3:15 p.m.-4:15 p.m.: *Digital Instrumentation and Control Systems* (Open)—The ACRS and ACNS will discuss the proposed Standard Review Plan Sections, Branch Technical Positions, and Regulatory Guides associated with digital instrumentation and control systems. They will also discuss the issues identified by the

National Academy of Sciences/National Research Council (NAS/NRC) in the Phase 1 study, status of the Phase 2 study, and the ACNS views on the use of digital instrumentation and control systems.

4:15 p.m.-5:00 p.m.: *Miscellaneous Matters* (Open)—The ACRS and ACNS will discuss miscellaneous issues, including ALARA, cost-benefit considerations, safety culture, etc.

Thursday, October 10, 1996

8:30 a.m.-8:45 a.m.: *Opening Remarks by the ACRS Chairman* (Open)—The ACRS Chairman will make opening remarks regarding conduct of the meeting and comment briefly regarding items of current interest. During this session, the Committee will discuss priorities for preparation of ACRS reports.

8:45 a.m.-10:15 a.m.: *Status of NRC Strategic Assessment and Rebaselining Effort* (Open)—The Committee will hear a presentation by and hold discussions with the Deputy Executive Director for Nuclear Reactor Regulation, Regional Operations and Research regarding the status of the NRC strategic assessment and rebaselining effort.

10:30 a.m.-12:00 Noon: *Digital Instrumentation and Control Systems* (Open)—The Committee will hear presentations by and hold discussions with representatives of the NRC staff regarding the proposed Standard Review Plan Sections and Branch Technical Positions associated with the digital instrumentation and control systems.

Representatives of the nuclear industry will participate, as appropriate.

1:00 p.m.-2:30 p.m.: *Control Room Back-Panel Fire at Palo Verde Unit 2* (Open)—The Committee will hear presentations by and hold discussions with representatives of the NRC staff regarding the findings and recommendations resulting from the investigation of the April 4, 1996 event that involved two related fires in a back panel of the main control room of Palo Verde Unit 2.

Representatives of the licensee will participate, as appropriate.

2:30 p.m.-3:00 p.m.: *Report of the Planning and Procedures Subcommittee* (Open/Closed)—The Committee will hear a report of the Planning and Procedures Subcommittee on matters related to the conduct of ACRS business, and organizational and personnel matters relating to ACRS.

A portion of this session may be closed to discuss organizational and personnel matters that relate solely to the internal personnel rules and practices of this Advisory Committee, and matters the release of which would constitute a clearly unwarranted invasion of personal privacy.

3:00 p.m.-3:30 p.m.: *Future ACRS Activities* (Open)—The Committee will discuss recommendations of the Planning and Procedures Subcommittee regarding items proposed for consideration by the full Committee during future meetings.

3:45 p.m.-4:00 p.m.: *Reconciliation of ACRS Comments and Recommendations* (Open)—The Committee will discuss responses from the NRC Executive Director for Operations (EDO) to comments and recommendations included in recent ACRS

reports, including the EDO response to the August 15, 1996 ACRS report on SECY-96-128, "Policy and Key Technical Issues pertaining to the Westinghouse AP600 Standardized Passive Reactor Design."

4:00 p.m.-7:00 p.m.: *Preparation of ACRS Reports* (Open)—The Committee will discuss proposed ACRS reports on matters considered during this meeting as well as a proposed ACRS report on the suitability of the NRC SCDAP/RELAP5 Code to predict temperatures and flows in steam generators during severe accidents.

Friday, October 11, 1996

8:30 a.m.-8:35 a.m.: *Opening Remarks by the ACRS Chairman* (Open)—The ACRS Chairman will make opening remarks regarding conduct of the meeting.

8:35 a.m.-10:30 a.m.: *Activities Associated with the NRC Thermal Hydraulic Codes* (Open)—The Committee will hear presentations by and hold discussions with representatives of the NRC staff regarding the staff activities associated with the NRC thermal hydraulic codes.

Representatives of the nuclear industry will participate, as appropriate.

10:45 a.m.-11:00 a.m.: *Report by the Human Factors Subcommittee Chairman* (Open)—The Committee will hear a report by the Chairman of the Human Factors Subcommittee regarding matters discussed during the September 20, 1996 Subcommittee meeting.

11:00 a.m.-12:00 Noon: *Preparation of ACRS Reports* (Open)—The Committee will discuss proposed ACRS reports on matters considered during this meeting as well as the report on the suitability of the NRC SCDAP/RELAP5 Code to predict temperatures and flows in steam generators during severe accidents.

2:30 p.m.-7:00 p.m.: *Preparation of ACRS Reports* (Open)—The Committee will continue discussion of the proposed ACRS reports on matters considered during this meeting as well as the other report noted above.

Saturday, October 12, 1996

8:30 a.m.-11:30 a.m.: *Preparation of ACRS Reports* (Open)—The Committee will continue discussion of proposed ACRS reports on matters considered during this meeting.

11:45 a.m.-1:30 p.m.: *Strategic Planning* (Open)—The Committee will continue its discussion of items of significant importance to NRC, including rebaselining of the Committee activities for FY 97.

Procedures for the conduct of and participation in ACRS meetings were published in the Federal Register on September 27, 1995 (60 FR 49925). In accordance with these procedures, oral or written statements may be presented by members of the public, electronic recordings will be permitted only during the open portions of the meeting, and questions may be asked only by members of the Committee, its consultants, and staff. Persons desiring to make oral statements should notify Mr. Sam Duraiswamy, Chief, Nuclear Reactors Branch, at least five days before the meeting, if possible, so that appropriate arrangements