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Dated: February 16, 1999.

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NATIONAL AERONAUTICS AND SPACE ADMINISTRATION

[Notice 99-038]

NASA Advisory Council (NAC), Space Science Advisory Committee (SScAC), Planetary Protection Task Force; Meeting

AGENCY: National Aeronautics and Space Administration

ACTION: Notice of meeting.

SUMMARY: In accordance with the Federal Advisory Committee Act, Pub. L. 92-463, as amended, the National Aeronautics and Space Administration announces a forthcoming meeting of the NASA Advisory Council, Space Science Advisory Committee, Planetary Protection Task Force.

DATES: Wednesday, March 10, 1999, 8:30 a.m. to 5:15 p.m.; Thursday, March 11, 1999, 8:30 a.m. to Noon.

ADDRESSES: Room 9H40, NASA Headquarters, 300 E Street, SW, Washington, DC 20546.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Dr. John D. Rummel, Code S, National Aeronautics and Space Administration, Washington, DC 20546, 202/358-0702.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The meeting will be open to the public up to the capacity of the room. The agenda for the meeting is as follows:

- Introduction to Planetary Protection Task Force
- Future Solar System Exploration Missions
- NASA Planetary Protection Policy
- Small Body Sample Return Discussion
- Task Force Discussion
- Planning

It is imperative that the meeting be held on these dates to accommodate the scheduling priorities of the key participants. Visitors will be requested to sign a visitor's register.

Dated: February 22, 1999.

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NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

Agency Information Collection Activities: Proposed Collection; Comment Request

AGENCY: U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC).

ACTION: Notice of pending NRC action to submit an information collection request to OMB and solicitation of public comment.

SUMMARY: The NRC is preparing a submittal to OMB for review of continued approval of information collections under the provisions of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (44 U.S.C. Chapter 35).

Information pertaining to the requirement to be submitted:

1. The title of the information collection: 10 CFR Part 33-Specific Domestic Licenses of Broad Scope for Byproduct Material.
2. Current OMB Approval Number: 3150-0015.
3. How often the collection is required: There is a one-time submittal of information to receive a license. Once a specific license has been issued, there is a 10-year resubmittal of the information for renewal of the license.
4. Who is required or asked to report: All applicants requesting a license of broad scope for byproduct material and all current licensees requesting renewal of a broad scope license.
5. The number of annual respondents: 177 NRC broad scope licensees and 354 Agreement State licensees.
6. The number of hours needed annually to complete the requirement or request: 4,425 hours for NRC licensees and 8,850 hours for Agreement State licensees.
7. Abstract: 10 CFR Part 33 contains mandatory requirements for the issuance of a broad scope license authorizing the use of byproduct material. The subparts cover specific requirements for obtaining a license of broad scope. These requirements include equipment, facilities, personnel, and procedures adequate to protect health and minimize danger to life or property.

Submit, by April 27, 1999, comments that address the following questions:

1. Is the proposed collection of information necessary for the NRC to properly perform its functions? Does the information have practical utility?

2. Is the burden estimate accurate?

3. Is there a way to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected?

4. How can the burden of the information collection be minimized, including the use of automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology?

A copy of the draft supporting statement may be viewed free of charge at the NRC Public Document Room, 2120 L Street, NW, (Lower Level), Washington, DC. OMB clearance requests are available at the NRC worldwide web site (<http://www.nrc.gov/NRC/NEWS/OMB/index.html>). The document will be available on the NRC home page site for 60 days after the signature date of this notice.

Comments and questions about the information collection requirements may be directed to the NRC Clearance Officer, Brenda Jo. Shelton, U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, T-6 F33, Washington, DC, 20555-0001, or by telephone at 301-415-7233, or by Internet electronic mail at BJS1@NRC.GOV.

Dated at Rockville, Maryland, this 23rd day of February, 1999.

For the Nuclear Regulatory Commission.

Brenda Jo. Shelton,
NRC Clearance Officer, Office of the Chief
Information Officer.

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NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

[Docket No. 50-302]

Florida Power Corporation; Crystal River Unit 3; Notice of Consideration of Approval of Transfer of Facility Operating License and Issuance of Conforming Amendment and Opportunity for a Hearing

The U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (the Commission) is considering the issuance of an order under 10 CFR 50.80 approving the transfer of the interest held by the City of Tallahassee (the City) in Facility Operating License No. DPR-72 for Crystal River Unit 3 (CR-3). The transfer would be to Florida Power Corporation (FPC). The Commission is also considering amending the license for administrative purposes to reflect the proposed transfer.

According to an application for approval filed by FPC, the City and FPC have reached an agreement that provides for the transfer of the City's 1.3333 percent ownership interest in CR-3 to FPC in exchange for FPC assuming responsibility for certain future liabilities. FPC presently owns about 90 percent of CR-3, and is exclusively authorized under the license to operate, maintain, and decommission the facility. No physical changes to, or operational changes for CR-3 are being proposed in the application. Also, no changes to FPC's authority to operate, maintain, and decommission the facility are being requested. The application seeks, in addition to the Commission's consent to the transfer, approval of a license amendment to remove the City from the license once the transfer is approved and completed.

Pursuant to 10 CFR 50.80, no license, or any right thereunder, shall be transferred, directly or indirectly, through transfer of control of the license, unless the Commission shall give its consent in writing. The Commission will approve an application for the transfer of a license, if the Commission determines that the proposed transferee is qualified to hold the license, and that the transfer is otherwise consistent with applicable provisions of law, regulations, and orders issued by the Commission pursuant thereto.

Before issuance of the proposed conforming license amendment, the Commission will have made findings required by the Atomic Energy Act of 1954, as amended (the Act), and the Commission's regulations.

As provided in 10 CFR 2.1315, unless otherwise determined by the Commission with regard to a specific application, the Commission has determined that any amendment to the license of a utilization facility which does no more than conform the license to reflect the transfer action involves no significant hazards consideration. No contrary determination has been made with respect to this specific license amendment application. In light of the generic determination reflected in 10 CFR 2.1315, no public comments with respect to significant hazards considerations are being solicited, notwithstanding the general comment procedures contained in 10 CFR 50.91.

The filing of requests for a hearing and petitions for leave to intervene, and written comments with regard to the license transfer application, are discussed below.

By March 18, 1999, any person whose interest may be affected by the Commission's action on the application

may request a hearing, and, if not the applicants, may petition for leave to intervene in a hearing proceeding on the Commission's action. Requests for a hearing and petitions for leave to intervene should be filed in accordance with the Commission's rules of practice set forth in Subpart M, "Public Notification, Availability of Documents and Records, Hearing Requests and Procedures for Hearings on License Transfer Applications," of 10 CFR Part 2. In particular, such requests and petitions must comply with the requirements set forth in 10 CFR 2.1306, and should address the considerations contained in 10 CFR 2.1308(a). Untimely requests and petitions may be denied, as provided in 10 CFR 2.1308(b), unless good cause for failure to file on time is established. In addition, an untimely request or petition should address the factors that the Commission will also consider, in reviewing untimely requests or petitions, set forth in 10 CFR 2.1308(b)(1)-(2).

Requests for a hearing and petitions for leave to intervene should be served upon R. Alexander Glenn, General Counsel, Florida Power Corporation, MAC-A5A, P. O. Box 14042, St. Petersburg, Florida 33733-4042; the General Counsel, U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, Washington, DC 20555; and the Secretary of the Commission, U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, Washington, DC 20555-0001, Attention: Rulemakings and Adjudications Staff, in accordance with 10 CFR 2.1313.

The Commission will issue a notice or order granting or denying a hearing request or intervention petition, designating the issues for any hearing that will be held and designating the Presiding Officer. A notice granting a hearing will be published in the **Federal Register** and served on the parties to the hearing.

As an alternative to requests for a hearing and petitions to intervene, by March 29, 1999, persons may submit written comments regarding the license transfer application, as provided for in 10 CFR 2.1305. The Commission will consider and, if appropriate, respond to these comments, but such comments will not otherwise constitute part of the decisional record. Comments should be submitted to the Secretary, U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, Washington, DC 20555-0001, Attention: Rulemakings and Adjudications Staff, and should cite the publication date and page number of this **Federal Register** notice.

For further details with respect to this action, see the application dated December 29, 1998, 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 Coastal Region Library, 8619 W. Crystal Street, Crystal River, Florida 34428.

Dated at Rockville, Maryland this 19th day of February 1999.

For the Nuclear Regulatory Commission.

Cecil O. Thomas,

Director, Project Directorate II-3, Division of Licensing Project Management, Office of Nuclear Reactor Regulation.

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NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

[Docket Nos. 50-361 and 50-362]

Southern California Edison Company; Notice of Withdrawal of Application for Amendments to Facility Operating Licenses

The U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (the Commission) has granted the request of Southern California Edison Company, *et al.* (the licensee) to withdraw its December 30, 1992, application for proposed amendments to Facility Operating License Nos. NPF-10 and NPF-15 for the San Onofre Nuclear Generating Station, Unit Nos. 2 and 3, located in San Diego County, California.

The proposed change would have modified Technical Specifications 3/4.3.2, "Engineered Safety Feature Actuation System Instrumentation," and 3/4.3.3, "Radiation Monitoring Instrumentation" to eliminate the technical specification requirements and engineered safety feature actuation system circuitry for the control room isolation system particulate/iodine channel.

The Commission had previously issued a Notice of Consideration of Issuance of Amendments published in the **Federal Register** on March 3, 1993 (58 FR 12267). However, by letter dated August 11, 1995, the licensee withdrew the amendments request indicating that it had been superseded by the technical specification improvement program application dated December 30, 1993.

For further details with respect to this action, see the application for amendments dated December 30, 1992, and the licensee's letter dated August 11, 1995, which withdrew the application for license amendment. The above documents are available for public inspection at the Commission's Public Document Room, the Gelman