

Facility Operating License Nos. DPR-80 and DPR-82: The amendments revised the Technical Specifications.

Date of initial notice in Federal Register: July 8, 2003 (68 FR 40716). The Commission's related evaluation of the amendments is contained in a Safety Evaluation dated August 15, 2003.

No significant hazards consideration comments received: No.

STP Nuclear Operating Company, Docket Nos. 50-498 and 50-499, South Texas Project, Units 1 and 2, Matagorda County, Texas

Date of amendment request: March 31, 2003.

Brief description of amendments: The amendments replace "Central Power and Light Company (CPL)" with "AEP Texas Central Company" throughout the Operating License of each unit.

Date of issuance: August 11, 2003.

Effective date: As of the date of issuance and shall be implemented 30 days from the date of issuance.

Amendment Nos.: Unit 1—155; Unit 2—143.

Facility Operating License Nos. NPF-76 and NPF-80: The amendments revised the Facility Operating Licenses.

Date of initial notice in Federal Register: June 10, 2003 (68 FR 34673). The Commission's related evaluation of the amendments is contained in a Safety Evaluation dated August 11, 2003.

No significant hazards consideration comments received: No.

Tennessee Valley Authority, Docket No. 50-390, Watts Bar Nuclear Plant, Unit 1, Rhea County, Tennessee

Date of application for amendment: December 13, 2002, as supplemented May 19 and July 11, 2003.

Brief description of amendment: The amendment revised Technical Specification (TS) 5.7.2.12, "Steam Generator (SG) Tube Surveillance Program." The revised TS allows the use of Westinghouse leak-limiting Alloy 800 sleeves to repair defective SG tubes as an alternative to plugging the tube.

Date of issuance: August 15, 2003.

Effective date: As of the date of issuance and shall be implemented within 60 days.

Amendment No.: 44.

Facility Operating License No. NPF-90: Amendment revised the Technical Specifications.

Date of initial notice in Federal Register: March 18, 2003 (68FR12958). The supplemental letters provided clarifying information that did not expand the scope of the original request and did not change the initial proposed no significant hazards consideration determination.

The Commission's related evaluation of the amendment is contained in a Safety Evaluation dated August 15, 2003.

No significant hazards consideration comments received: No.

Virginia Electric and Power Company, et al., Docket Nos. 50-280 and 50-281, Surry Power Station, Units 1 and 2, Surry County, Virginia

Date of application for amendments: November 5, 2002.

Brief Description of amendments: These amendments delete the requirement to perform a 15-minute degassed beta and gamma activity test of the secondary coolant and require that the dose equivalent I-131 analysis be performed on a more conservative monthly basis.

Date of issuance: August 15, 2003.

Effective date: August 15, 2003.

Amendment Nos.: 234 and 233.

Renewed Facility Operating License Nos. DPR-32 and DPR-37: Amendments change the Technical Specifications.

Date of initial notice in Federal Register: December 24, 2002 (67 FR 78525). The Commission's related evaluation of the amendments is contained in a Safety Evaluation dated August 15, 2003.

No significant hazards consideration comments received: No.

Dated at Rockville, Maryland, this 25th day of August, 2003.

For the Nuclear Regulatory Commission.

Eric J. Leeds,

Deputy Director, Division of Licensing Project Management, Office of Nuclear Reactor Regulation.

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RAILROAD RETIREMENT BOARD

Agency Forms Submitted for OMB Review

SUMMARY: In accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (44 U.S.C. Chapter 35), the Railroad Retirement Board (RRB) has submitted the following proposal(s) for the collection of information to the Office of Management and Budget for review and approval.

Summary of Proposal(s)

- (1) *Collection title:* Request for Medicare Payment.
- (2) *Form(s) submitted:* G-740S, CMS-1500.
- (3) *OMB Number:* 3220-0131.
- (4) *Expiration date of current OMB clearance:* 10/31/2003.
- (5) *Type of request:* Extension of a currently approved collection.

(6) *Respondents:* Individuals or households.

(7) *Estimated annual number of respondents:* See Justification (Item No. 12).

(8) *Total annual responses:* 1.

(9) *Total annual reporting hours:* 1.

(10) *Collection description:* The Railroad Retirement Board (RRB) administers the Medicare program for persons covered by the Railroad Retirement System. The collection obtains the information needed by Palmetto GBA, the RRB's carrier, to pay claims for services covered under Part B of the program.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Copies of the forms and supporting documents can be obtained from Chuck Mierzwa, the agency clearance officer (312-751-3363).

Comments regarding the information collection should be addressed to Ronald J. Hodapp, Railroad Retirement Board, 844 North Rush Street, Chicago, Illinois, 60611-2092 and to the OMB Desk Officer for the RRB, at the Office of Management and Budget, Room 10230, New Executive Office Building, Washington, DC 20503.

Chuck Mierzwa,

Clearance Officer.

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SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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The Equitable Life Assurance Society of the United States, et al.; Notice of Application

August 26, 2003.

AGENCY: Securities and Exchange Commission ("SEC" or "Commission").

ACTION: Notice of application for an amended order under Section 6(c) of the Investment Company Act of 1940, as amended ("Act") granting exemptions from the provisions of Sections 2(a)(32), 22(c) and 27(i)(2)(A) of the Act and Rule 22c-1 thereunder.

APPLICANTS: The Equitable Life Assurance Society of the United States ("Equitable Life"), The Equitable of Colorado, Inc. ("EOC," and together with Equitable Life, "Equitable"), Separate Account No. 45 of Equitable Life ("SA 45"), Separate Account No. 49 of Equitable Life ("SA 49"), Separate Account VA of EOC ("SA VA," the foregoing separate accounts each an "Account" and collectively, the