

Duke Energy Corporation, et al., Docket No. 50-414, Catawba Nuclear Station, Unit 2, York County, South Carolina

Date of application for amendments: May 3, 2000.

Brief description of amendments: The amendment revised the Technical Specifications (TS) and associated Bases Section 3.6.9 for the Hydrogen Ignition System. Specifically, the proposed amendment modifies Surveillance Requirements (SRs) 3.6.9.1, 3.6.9.2, and 3.6.9.3 to exclude the two hydrogen ignitors located beneath the reactor vessel missile shield from the applicability of the SRs. These two ignitors are presently considered to be inoperable at Unit 2 and cannot be accessed for replacement with the unit in its current operating mode (Mode 1). This change is effective for Unit 2 Cycle 11 only, or until such time that the unit enters Mode 5 (cold shutdown) such that the inoperable ignitors can be accessed for replacement.

Date of issuance: May 5, 2000.

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

Amendment No.: 178.

Facility Operating License No. NPF-52: Amendment revised the Technical Specifications and associated Bases.

Public Comments requested as to proposed no significant hazards consideration: No.

The Commission's related evaluation of the amendment, finding of emergency circumstances, consultation with the State of South Carolina, and final no significant hazards consideration determination are contained in a Safety Evaluation dated May 5, 2000.

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NRC Section Chief: Richard L. Emch, Jr.

Dated at Rockville, Maryland, this 10th day of May 2000.

For the Nuclear Regulatory Commission.

John A. Zwolinski,

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

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ACTION: Notice of Docket No. A2000-1.

SUMMARY: The Commission has established a docket to consider an objection to the closing of the Roanoke, WV post office. It also has issued a procedural schedule.

DATES: See **SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION** section for dates.

ADDRESSES: Correspondence should be addressed to Margaret P. Crenshaw, Secretary, Postal Rate Commission, 1333 H Street NW., Suite 300, Washington, DC 20268-0001.

FOR MORE INFORMATION CONTACT: Stephen L. Sharfman, General Counsel, (202) 789-6820.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: On May 10, 2000, the Postal Rate Commission (PRC) issued a notice and order (No. 1292) accepting an appeal of the closing of the Roanoke, West Virginia post office, ZIP Code 26423. The appeal was filed by Robert J. Conley, president of the Lewis County Commission, on behalf of the Commission and post office customers, pursuant to 39 U.S.C. 404(b)(5). The appeal has been assigned Docket No. A2000-1 and a procedural schedule has been established.

The appeal was filed April 21, 2000. The categories of issues apparently raised are the effect on the community (39 U.S.C. 404(b)(2)(A)) and effect on postal services (39 U.S.C. 404(b)(2)(C)).

After the Postal Service files the administrative record and the Commission reviews it, the Commission may find that there are more legal issues than those set forth above. Or, the Commission may find that the Postal Service's determination disposes of one or more of those issues.

Scheduling matters. The Postal Reorganization Act requires that the Commission issue its decision within 120 days from the date this appeal was filed (39 U.S.C. 404(b)(5)). The procedural schedule has been developed to accommodate the delay in publication of this notice and order. In the interest of expedition, in light of the 120-day decision schedule, the Commission may request the Postal Service to submit memoranda of law on any appropriate issue. If requested, such memoranda will be due 14 days from the issuance of the request and the Postal Service shall serve a copy of its memoranda on the petitioners. The Postal Service may incorporate by reference in its briefs or motions any arguments presented in memoranda it previously filed in this docket. If necessary, the Commission also may ask petitioners or the Postal Service for more information.

Ordering paragraphs. Ordering paragraph (a) directs the Postal Service shall file the record in this appeal by May 25, 2000. Ordering paragraph (b) directs the Secretary of the Postal Rate Commission to publish this notice and order and procedural schedule in the **Federal Register**.

Procedural schedule. Key dates in this docket include: April 21, 2000, filing of appeal letter; May 10, 2000, issuance of Commission notice and order on filing of appeal; June 5, 2000, last day of filing of petitions to intervene (see 39 CFR 3001.111(b)); June 15, 2000, deadline for petitioner's participant statement or initial brief (see 39 CFR 3001.115(a) and (b)); July 5, 2000, deadline for Postal Service's answering brief (see 39 CFR 3001.115(c)); July 20, 2000, deadline for petitioner's reply brief, should petitioner choose to file one (see 39 CFR 3001.115(d)); July 27, 2000, deadline for motions by any party requesting oral argument. The Commission will schedule oral argument only when it is a necessary addition to the written filings (see 39 CFR 3001.116); August 21, 2000, expiration of the Commission's 120-day decisional schedule (see 39 U.S.C. 404(b)(5)).

Dated: May 11, 2000.

Margaret P. Crenshaw,
Secretary.

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SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Proposed Collection; Comment Request

Upon written request, copies available from: Securities and Exchange Commission, Office of Filings and Information Services, Washington, DC 20549

Extension:

Form 8-A, OMB Control No. 3235-0056, SEC File No. 270-54

Form 18-K, OMB Control No. 3235-0120, SEC File No. 270-108

Notice is hereby given that pursuant to the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (44 U.S.C. 3501 et seq.) the Securities and Exchange Commission ("Commission") is soliciting comments on the collections of information summarized below. The Commission plans to submit these existing collections of information to the Office of management and Budget for extension and approval.

Form 8-A (OMB Control No. 3235-0056, SEC File No. 270-54) is a registration statement for certain classes of securities pursuant to Section 12(b)

POSTAL RATE COMMISSION

[Docket No. A2000-1; Order No. 1292]

Appeal of Post Office Closing

AGENCY: Postal Rate Commission.

and 12(g) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934. The information required on Form 8-A provides investors with the necessary information to make investment decisions regarding securities offered to the public. The likely respondents will be companies. The information collected must be filed with the Commission on occasion. Form 8-A is a public document. Form 8-A takes approximately 3 hours to prepare and is filed by 1,540 respondents for a total of 4,620 burden hours.

Form 18-K (OMB Control No. 3235-0120; SEC File No. 270-108) is used as an annual report for foreign governments and political subdivisions with securities listed on a United States exchange. Form 18-K permits verification of compliance with securities law requirements and assures the public availability and dissemination of such information. The information collected on Form 18-K must be filed with the Commission annually. Form 18-K is a public document. Form 18-K takes approximately 8 hours to prepare and is filed by 20 respondents for a total of 160 burden hours.

Written Comments are invited on (a) Whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the agency, including whether the information will have practical utility; (b) the accuracy of the agency's estimate of the burden of the collection of information; (c) ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information collected; and (d) ways to minimize the burden of the collection of information on respondents, including through the use of automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology. Consideration will be given to comments and suggestions submitted in writing within 60 days of this publication.

Please direct your written comments to Michael E. Bartell, Associate Executive Director, Office of Information Technology Securities and Exchange Commission, 450 5th Street NW, Washington, DC 20549.

Dated: May 9, 2000.

Margaret H. McFarland,
Deputy Secretary.

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STATE DEPARTMENT

[Public Notice #3279]

Overseas Security Advisory Council (OSAC) Meeting Notice; Closed Meeting

The Department of State announces a meeting of the U.S. State Department—Overseas Security Advisory Council on June 28 and 29, at the Drake Hotel, Chicago, Illinois. Pursuant to Section 10(d) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act and 5 U.S.C. 552b(c) [1] and [4], it has been determined the meeting will be closed to the public. Matters relative to classified national security information as well as privileged commercial information will be discussed. The agenda will include updated committee reports, a world threat overview and a round table discussion that calls for the discussion of classified and corporate proprietary/security information as well as private sector physical and procedural security policies and protective programs at sensitive U.S. Government and private sector locations overseas.

For more information contact Marsha Thurman, Overseas Security Advisory Council, Department of State, Washington, D.C. 20522-1003, phone: 202-663-0533.

Dated: May 8, 2000.

Peter E. Bergin,

*Director of the Diplomatic Security Service,
Department of State.*

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DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

Federal Aviation Administration

Notice of Intent To Rule on Application To Impose and Use the Revenue From a Passenger Facility Charge (PFC) at Mid Delta Regional Airport, Greenville, MS

AGENCY: Federal Aviation Administration (FAA), DOT.

ACTION: Notice of intent to rule on application.

SUMMARY: The FAA proposes to rule and invites public comment on the application to impose and use the revenue from a PFC at Mid Delta Regional Airport under the provisions of the Aviation Safety and Capacity Expansion Act of 1990 (Title IX of the Omnibus Budget Reconciliation Act of 1990 (Public Law 101-508) and Part 158 of the Federal Aviation Regulations (14 CFR Part 158).

DATES: Comments must be received on or before June 16, 2000.

ADDRESSES: Comments on this application may be mailed or delivered in triplicate to the FAA at the following address: Airport District Office, Federal Aviation Administration, 100 West Cross Street, Suite B, Jackson, MS 39208-2307.

In addition, one copy of any comments submitted to the FAA must be mailed or delivered to Mr. Clifton E. Nash, Airport Director of the City of Greenville at the following address: 166 Fifth Avenue, Suite 300, Greenville, MS 38703-9737.

Air carriers and foreign air carriers may submit copies of written comments previously provided to the City of Greenville under section 158.23 of Part 158.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Patrick Vaught, Program Manager, FAA/Airports District Office, 100 West Cross Street, Suite B, Jackson, MS 39208-2307, 601-664-9885. The application may be reviewed in person at this same location.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The FAA proposes to rule and invites public comment on the application to impose and use the revenue from a PFC at Mid Delta Regional Airport under the provisions of the Aviation Safety and Capacity Expansion Act of 1990 (Title IX of the Omnibus Budget Reconciliation Act of 1990) (Public Law 101-508) and Part 158 of the Federal Aviation Regulation (14 CFR Part 258).

On May 10, 2000, the FAA determined that the application to impose and use the revenue from a PFC submitted by City of Greenville was substantially complete within the requirements of section 158.25 of Part 158. The FAA will approve or disapprove the application, in whole or in part, no later than August 32, 000.

The following is a brief overview of the application.

PFC Application No.: 00-02-C-00-GLH.

Level of the proposed PFC: \$3.00.

Proposed charge effective date: October 1, 2000.

Proposed charge expiration date: February 1, 2003.

Total estimated net PFC revenue: \$82,743.

Brief description of proposed project(s): Acquire Airfield Sweeper, Develop New DBE Plan, Conduct Airport Master Plan Study Phase I, Develop Plans & Specifications for Airport Access Road Rehabilitation, Purchase 4KW Regulator for Taxiway Lights, Conduct Airport Master Plan Study Phase II, Rehabilitate Airport