

By direction of the Board:

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Executive Secretary, National Labor Relations Board.

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NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

[Docket Nos. 50-324, 50-325, 50-400, 50-261 and 72-3]

Carolina Power & Light Company; Brunswick Steam Electric Plant, Units Nos. 1 and 2; Shearon Harris Nuclear Power Plant, Unit No. 1; H.B. Robinson Steam Electric Plant, Unit No. 2; H.B. Robinson Steam Electric Plant, Unit No. 2 Independent Spent Fuel Storage Installation; Notice of Consideration of Approval of Application Regarding Proposed Corporate Restructuring 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 and 72.50 approving the indirect transfer of Facility Operating Licenses DPR-23 for H.B. Robinson Steam Electric Plant Unit 2, DPR-62 for Brunswick Steam Electric Plant Unit 2, DPR-71 for Brunswick Steam Electric Plant Unit 1, and NPF-63 for Shearon Harris Nuclear Power Plant Unit 1, and Materials License SMN-2502 for storage of Robinson spent fuel in the Robinson Independent Spent Fuel Storage Installation (ISFSI), to the extent currently held by Carolina Power and Light Company (CP&L). The indirect transfers would be to a proposed new holding company of CP&L.

According to an application for approval filed by CP&L dated September 15, 1999, which was supplemented on October 8, 1999, CP&L is requesting the consent of the Nuclear Regulatory Commission to the indirect transfers that would result from a proposed corporate restructuring of CP&L. Under the proposed restructuring, a new holding company, CP&L Holdings, Inc. ("Holdings"), will be formed, which will become the parent of CP&L. Current holders of CP&L common stock will receive, on a one-for-one basis, shares of common stock of Holdings such that Holdings will own the common stock of CP&L. CP&L's ownership interests in, and its operation of, its nuclear facilities will not change. No direct transfer of the licenses will occur, as CP&L will continue to hold the licenses. No physical changes to the facilities or ISFSI, or operational changes are being proposed in the application.

Pursuant to 10 CFR 50.80 and 72.50, 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 indirect transfer of a license, if the Commission determines that the proposed transfer will not affect the qualifications of the holder of the license, and that the transfer is otherwise consistent with applicable provisions of law, regulations, and orders issued by the Commission pursuant thereto.

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

By November 22, 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 Steven Carr, Associate General Counsel, Legal Department, Carolina Power & Light Company, P.O. Box 1551, Raleigh, North Carolina 27602-1551, Voice (919) 546-4161, Fax (919) 546-3805, and E-mail steven.carr@cplc.com; the General Counsel, U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, Washington, DC 20555 (e-mail address for filings regarding license transfer cases only: OGCLT@nrc.gov); 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 hearing and petitions to intervene, by December 2, 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 September 15, 1999, and supplement dated October 8, 1999, which are available for public inspection at the Commission's Public Document Room, the Gelman Building, 2120 L Street, NW., Washington, DC.

Dated at Rockville, Maryland this 27th day of October 1999.

For the Nuclear Regulatory Commission.

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NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

Sunshine Act Meeting

AGENCY HOLDING THE MEETING: Nuclear Regulatory Commission.

DATE: Weeks of November 1, 8, 15, and 22, 1999.

PLACE: Commissioners' Conference Room, 11555 Rockville Pike, Rockville, Maryland.

STATUS: Public and closed.

MATTERS TO BE CONSIDERED:

Week of November 1

Thursday, November 4

9:25 a.m. Affirmation Session (Public Meeting) (if needed)

9:30 a.m. Meeting with Advisory Committee on Reactor Safeguards (ACRS) (Public Meeting) (Contact: John Larkins, 301-415-7360)