



Utility Radiological Safety Board of Ohio

RESOLUTION NO.
05-02

RESOLUTION FOR THE UTILITY RADIOLOGICAL SAFETY BOARD REQUESTING FENOC PROVIDE UNESCORTED ACCESS FOR THE STATE OF OHIO OBSERVATION PROGRAM

WHEREAS, Ohio Revised Code Chapter 4937 creates the Utility Radiological Safety Board of Ohio (the Board) composed of the Emergency Management Agency, the Department of Health, the Public Utilities Commission, the Environmental Protection Agency, the Department of Agriculture, and the Department of Commerce; and

WHEREAS, the Board's responsibilities as stated in revised Code Section 4937.04(B)(3) include an assessment of the appropriateness of and making recommendations concerning the State of Ohio participation in an NRC inspection program; and

WHEREAS, the State of Ohio has entered into an Agreement with the NRC allowing the State of Ohio to participate in the Observations of NRC inspections at the Davis-Besse Nuclear Power Station (DBNPS), the Perry Nuclear Power Plant (PNPP), and the Beaver Valley Power Station (BVPS) in accordance with the Observation Protocol established between the two entities; and

WHEREAS, the FirstEnergy Nuclear Operating Company (FENOC) possess the facility operating licenses issued by the NRC for DBNPS, PNPP and BVPS; and

WHEREAS, the State of Ohio in accordance with the above Observation Protocol, desires to obtain unescorted access for selected Board representatives in order to fulfill the objectives of the State Observation Program; and

WHEREAS, said Observation Protocol states:

“State will make advance arrangements with the licensee for site access, training and badging (subject to fitness for duty requirements), prior to the actual inspections).

NOW THEREFORE, in consideration of the above and in furtherance of the State Observation Program, the Board will provide the attached written request to FENOC that unescorted access be implemented for selected Board representatives to participate in the State Observation Program by October 11, 2005. Further, that the unescorted access be implemented in the form of a written agreement between FENOC and the Board.