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The Nuclear Regulation Authority, Japan

Completion of the 3-step conformity review on the New Regulatory Requirements for Ikata Power Station Unit 3

On 19 April 2016, the NRA granted Shikoku Electric Power Co., Inc. approval of operational safety programs of Ikata Power Station, as applied on 8 July 2013, based on Article 43-3-24 of the Reactor Regulation Act., effectively completing the 3 steps of the conformity review on the New Regulatory Requirements for Ikata Power Station Unit 3, as shown below.

Step 1: Permission for change in reactor installation license;
15 July 2015 (Unit 3)

Step 2: Approval of plan for construction works;
23 March 2016 (Unit 3)

Step 3: Approval of operational safety programs;
19 April 2016 (Ikata Power Station)

For more information on the review process, please refer to the “New Regulatory Requirements for Light-Water Nuclear Power Plants – Outline –” P.22 <http://www.nsr.go.jp/data/000067212.pdf>

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