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NRC NAMES NEW RESIDENT INSPECTOR AT D.C. COOK NUCLEAR POWER PLANT



The U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission has selected Paul LaFlamme as the new Resident Inspector at the D.C. Cook Nuclear Power Plant in Stevensville, Mich.

LaFlamme joined the NRC as a reactor engineer in Region III in 2007. Before joining the NRC he worked for the Department of the Navy at the Norfolk Naval Shipyard as a nuclear shift test engineer. He received a bachelor's of science degree in mechanical engineering from Michigan

Technological University and a bachelor's degree in mathematics from the University of Wisconsin.

"Paul LaFlamme is an excellent inspector with a firm commitment to safety. He will ensure that the NRC fulfills its mission of protecting people and the environment by ensuring operators of the D.C. Cook plant meet the high standards set by the NRC," Region III Administrator James Caldwell said.

Each U.S. commercial nuclear plant site has at least two NRC resident inspectors. They serve as the agency's eyes and ears at the facility, conducting inspections, monitoring major work projects and interacting with plant workers and the public. LaFlamme has joined Senior Resident Inspector Jay Lennartz.

The D.C. Cook resident inspectors can be reached at (269) 465-5353.

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