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Timothy A. Ngau, Esq.
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1340 Echelon Parkway
Jackson, MS 39213

Re: PSB Docket No. 8300

Petition of Entergy Nuclear Vermont Yankee, LLC and Entergy Nuclear Operations, Inc. for a Certificate of Public Good, pursuant to 30 V.S.A. § 248 and 10 V.S.A. § 6522, authorizing the construction of a second independent spent fuel storage installation storage pad and related improvements, including installation of a new diesel generator with an electrical rating of approximately 200 kW, at the Vermont Yankee Nuclear Power Station in the Town of Vernon, Vermont.

Dear Mr. Ngau:

As I had indicated to Attorney Nancy Malmquist, the Vermont Agency of Natural Resources intends to avail itself of the bill back provision of 30 V.S.A. § 21, for the work associated with the Vermont Public Service Board Docket # 8300. This letter serves as the official notice of our intent.

Accordingly, pursuant to 30 V.S.A. § 21, please be advised that the Vermont Agency of Natural Resources ("ANR") intends to allocate to Entergy Nuclear Vermont Yankee, LLC, and Entergy Nuclear Operations, Inc. (together "Entergy VY"), the portion of costs and expenses of ANR employees for their work related to the proceedings in Public Service Board Docket # 8300.

The relevant statute, 30 V.S.A. § 21 (b), provides in pertinent part:

When regular employees of the board, the department, or the agency of natural resources are employed in the particular proceedings described in section 20 of this title, [which include petitions for a certificate of public good] the board, the department, or the agency of natural resources may allocate the portion of their costs and expenses to the applicant or the public service company or companies involved in the proceedings.

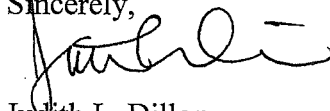
ANR may allocate expenses under 30 V.S.A. § 21, only for costs in excess of \$3,000. ANR expects to exceed this minimum threshold in connection with its work in the Public Service Board, Docket # 8300.

From time to time, ANR will provide Entergy VY with a statement showing the amount of money expended for the work of ANR employees in connection with the Public Service Board proceeding for Docket # 8300. We can discuss the frequency of such statements and any other issue raised by this notice at your convenience.

Under 30 V.S.A. § 21, Entergy VY may petition the Public Service Board to review the costs allocated to Entergy VY.

Please contact me if you have any questions.

Sincerely,



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