

STATE OF VERMONT  
PUBLIC SERVICE BOARD

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 )

Order entered: 2/4/2016

**ORDER RE: MOTION FOR CONFIDENTIAL TREATMENT**

On December 21, 2015, Entergy Nuclear Vermont Yankee, LLC, and Entergy Nuclear Operations, Inc. (together, “Entergy VY”) filed a motion for continued confidential treatment of two discovery responses. According to Entergy VY, the Vermont Department of Public Service (“Department”) notified Entergy VY that the Department might discuss portions of Confidential Attachment A.DPS:EN.3-1.1 and Confidential Attachment A.DPS:EN.3-1.2 in prefiled testimony or file one of the documents as an exhibit. In accordance with the Protective Agreement between the parties, the Department notified Entergy VY of its intent to use the materials that were considered Allegedly Confidential, and Entergy VY filed the present motion.

No party objects to Entergy VY’s request. However, we observe that the Department did not actually include in its testimony or exhibits either of the documents for which Entergy VY seeks confidential treatment. As a result, it appears that a ruling on Entergy VY’s motion is now unnecessary. Accordingly, the Board requests that Entergy VY confirm whether a ruling on the motion is still needed and requested. Entergy VY shall so inform the Board by February 9, 2016.

**SO ORDERED.**

Dated at Montpelier, Vermont, this 4<sup>th</sup> day of February, 2016.

s/James Volz )

) PUBLIC SERVICE

s/Margaret Cheney )

) BOARD

s/Sarah Hofmann )

) OF VERMONT

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FILED: February 4, 2016

ATTEST: s/Judith C. Whitney  
Acting Clerk of the Board

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