

STATE OF VERMONT  
PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION

Case No. 8880

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Joint Petition of NorthStar Decommissioning Holdings, LLC, NorthStar Nuclear Decommissioning Company, LLC, NorthStar Group Services, Inc., LVI Parent Corporation, NorthStar Group Holdings, LLC, Entergy Nuclear Vermont Investment Company, LLC and Entergy Nuclear Operations, Inc., and any other necessary affiliated entities to transfer ownership of Entergy Nuclear Vermont Yankee, LLC, and for certain ancillary approvals, pursuant to 30 V.S.A. §§ 107, 231, and 232

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Order entered: 07/24/2017

**PROCEDURAL ORDER ADOPTING NEW SCHEDULE**

In its Order of May 26, 2017, the Vermont Public Utility Commission (“Commission”)<sup>1</sup> generally suspended most of the remaining schedule in this case pending the receipt of a new scheduling proposal from the parties. On July 19, 2017, the joint petitioners filed a proposed new schedule for the remainder of this proceeding.

The joint petitioners represent that the following parties have consented to the proposed schedule: Associated Industries of Vermont; Agency of Natural Resources; Attorney General’s Office; Agency of Natural Resources; Conservation Law Foundation; Department of Public Service; Elnu Abenaki; New England Coalition (“NEC”); and Windham Regional Commission. The joint petitioners did not receive a response about the proposed schedule from Abenaki Nation of Missisquoi or IBEW Local 300, and they report that the Town of Vernon Planning and Economic Development Commission is still considering its position on the proposed schedule.

Based on the general consensus among the responding parties in support of the proposed schedule, the Board hereby adopts the following revised schedule for this proceeding:

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<sup>1</sup> Pursuant to Section 9 of Act 53 of the 2017 legislative session, the Vermont Public Service Board’s name was changed to the Vermont Public Utility Commission, effective July 1, 2017. For clarity, activities of the Vermont Public Service Board that occurred before the name change will be referred to in Commission documents as activities of the Commission unless that would be confusing in the context.

March 17, 2017	Deadline for 1st round of discovery requests on petitioners
April 6, 2017	Information session and Commission public hearing (in Vernon, VT)
April 26, 2017	Petitioners' responses to 1st round of discovery requests due
June 22, 2017	Deadline for 2nd round of discovery requests on petitioners
July 21, 2017	Deadline for Deal Model/Pay Item Disbursement Schedule ("DM/PIDS") discovery requests on petitioners
July 21, 2017	Petitioners' responses to 2nd round of discovery requests due
August 3, 2017	Petitioners' responses on DM/PIDS Discovery Requests due
August 30, 2017	Non-petitioner parties pre-file initial testimony
September 7, 2017	Deadline for petitioners' 1st round of discovery requests
September 14, 2017	Deposition notices due
September 27, 2017	Responses to petitioners' 1st round of discovery requests by all non-petitioners other than NEC due
October 2 to 13, 2017	Depositions
October 6, 2017	Responses to petitioners' 1st round of discovery requests by NEC due
October 17, 2017	Petitioners pre-file rebuttal testimony
October 30, 2017	Deadline for rebuttal discovery requests on petitioners
November 17, 2017	Petitioners' responses to rebuttal discovery requests due
December 1, 2017	Non-petitioners file sur-rebuttal testimony
December 8, 2017	Deadline for sur-rebuttal discovery requests
December 15, 2017	Deposition notices due
December 22, 2017	Responses to sur-rebuttal discovery requests due
January 4, 2018 <sup>2</sup>	Second Commission public hearing (in Vernon, VT)
January 8 to 18, 2018	Depositions
January 19, 2018	Pre-technical hearing conference in Montpelier, VT

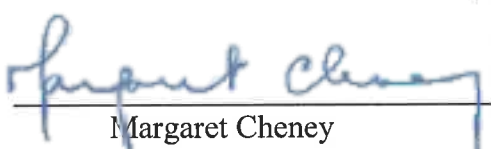

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<sup>2</sup> Tentative date depending on availability of appropriate space in Vernon.

Week of January 22, 2018	Technical hearings in Montpelier, VT
Week of January 29, 2018	Additional technical hearings, if necessary
To be determined	Parties to file proposals for decision and initial briefs
To be determined	Parties to file reply briefs

**SO ORDERED.**

Dated at Montpelier, Vermont, this 24th day of July, 2017

_____ )	) PUBLIC UTILITY
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) Margaret Cheney )	
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) Sarah Hofmann )	

OFFICE OF THE CLERK

Filed: July 24, 2017

Attest:   
Clerk of the Commission

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