

December 13, 2000

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SUBJECT: ACCEPTANCE REVIEW AND SCHEDULE FOR REVIEW OF NAC-UMS
MAINE YANKEE AMENDMENT (TAC NO. L23217)

Dear Mr. Thompson:

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You are hereby advised that any subsequent issue you identify that could affect the application must be submitted to the staff for review and approval as a supplement to the application.

Enclosed is a schedule for review of your application. It is expected that the overall schedule will be reviewed and updated periodically as key milestones are reached and, as necessary, to appropriately reflect the Nuclear Regulatory Commission's (NRC) casework prioritization.

Please note that the NAC-UMS Maine Yankee amendment review schedule relies on the completeness and accuracy of your application, as supplemented. The NRC identification of any technical issues during the completion of our technical review may have an impact on the schedule. To better serve your needs and those of our other stakeholders, we request in writing any NAC requested changes to this schedule.

If you have any questions regarding this matter, you may contact me at 301-415-3711. Please reference Docket No. 72-1015 and TAC No. L23217 in future correspondence related to this proposed action.

Sincerely,
/RA/ original signed by /s/
Rebecca L. Karas, Project Engineer
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Office of Nuclear Material Safety
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Docket No. 72-1015

Enclosure: NAC-UMS Storage Review Schedule, Rev. 0

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NAC-UMS STORAGE REVIEW SCHEDULE, REV. 0

Action	Date	Item
NAC	10/17/00 - complete	Amendment Request
NAC	12/7/00 - complete	Supplement
NRC	1/26/01	Issue RAI
NAC	3/26/01	NRC Receives Response to RAI
NRC	6/22/01	Issue Proposed CoC/SER for Rulemaking

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