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BVY 00-115

U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
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**Subject: Vermont Yankee Nuclear Power Station
License No. DPR-28 (Docket No. 50-271)
Withdrawal of Technical Specification Proposed Change No. 226**

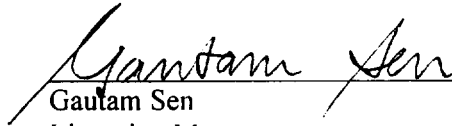
By letter dated December 21, 1999 (BVY 99-160), Vermont Yankee (VY) applied for an amendment to the Vermont Yankee Nuclear Power Station Operating License No. DPR-28. The proposed change was updated with additional submittals dated September 12, 2000 (BVY 00-81) and September 19, 2000 (BVY 00-85). The proposed change would have modified the control rod block instrumentation requirements.

By this letter, VY is withdrawing this proposed change from consideration for a license amendment due to its age and changes necessitated by subsequent license amendments.

If you have any questions concerning this transmittal, please contact Mr. Jeffrey T. Meyer at (802) 258-4105.

Sincerely,

VERMONT YANKEE NUCLEAR POWER CORPORATION



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Licensing Manager

cc: USNRC Region 1 Administrator
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SUMMARY OF VERMONT YANKEE COMMITMENTS

BVY NO.: 00-115

The following table identifies commitments made in this document by Vermont Yankee. Any other actions discussed in the submittal represent intended or planned actions by Vermont Yankee. They are described to the NRC for the NRC's information and are not regulatory commitments. Please notify the Licensing Manager of any questions regarding this document or any associated commitments.

| COMMITMENT | COMMITTED DATE OR "OUTAGE" |
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