

March 11, 2003

The Honorable Steve Darrow
P.O. Box 880-E
Putney, VT 05346

SUBJECT: VERMONT YANKEE NUCLEAR POWER STATION - ANNUAL ASSESSMENT
OF SAFETY PERFORMANCE

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Projects Branch 5
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The Honorable David Deen
5607 Westminster West Road
Putney, VT 05346

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The Honorable Virginia Milkey
266 Meadowbrook Road
Brattleboro, VT 05301

SUBJECT: VERMONT YANKEE NUCLEAR POWER STATION - ANNUAL ASSESSMENT
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The Honorable Daryl Pillsbury
141 Belmont Avenue
Brattleboro,, VT 05301

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The Honorable Sarah R. Edwards
44 Chapin Street
Brattleboro, VT 05301

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P.O. Box 476
Newfane, VT 05345

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The Honorable Richard Hube
P.O. Box 93
South Londonderry, VT 05155

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The Honorable Pat O'Donnell
P.O. Box 335
Vernon, VT 05354

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1896 Collins Road
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Mr. James Muckerhide
Massachusetts Emergency
Management Agency
400 Worcester Road
Framingham, MA 01702

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Mr. Robert Hallisey, Director
Radiation Controls Program
Massachusetts Department of
Public Health
174 Portland Street
Boston, MA 02114

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Mr. William Sherman
Vermont State Nuclear Engineer
Department of Public Service
112 State Street - Drawer 20
Montpelier, VT 05620-2601

SUBJECT: VERMONT YANKEE NUCLEAR POWER STATION - ANNUAL ASSESSMENT
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Mr. Donald Bliss
New Hampshire Office
of Emergency Management
State Office Park South
107 Pleasant Street
Concord, NH 03301-3809

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Ms. Deborah Katz
Citizens Awareness Network
Box 83
Shelbourne Falls, MA 01370

SUBJECT: VERMONT YANKEE NUCLEAR POWER STATION - ANNUAL ASSESSMENT
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Vernon Board of Selectmen
ATTN: Sandy Harris
561 Governor Hunt Road
Vernon, VT 05354

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43 Tyler Street
Brattleboro, VT 05301

SUBJECT: VERMONT YANKEE NUCLEAR POWER STATION - ANNUAL ASSESSMENT
OF SAFETY PERFORMANCE

Dear Mr. Gander:

I would like to personally invite you and other members of your organization to attend a meeting between the Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) and Entergy Nuclear Generation Company in which the NRC staff will discuss with Entergy our annual assessment of the safety performance of the Vermont Yankee Nuclear Power Station.

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You can also become familiar with our Reactor Oversight Process, the information we used in our annual assessment, and the specific safety performance at the Vermont Yankee Nuclear Power Station through the NRC Web site. This information may be accessed at <http://www.nrc.gov/NRR/OVERSIGHT/ASSESS/index.html>

Your schedule permitting, I look forward to meeting you on March 18, 2003. In the interim, please do not hesitate to contact me at (610) 337-5227, if I can be of further assistance to you.

Sincerely,

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Clifford J. Anderson, Chief
Projects Branch 5
Division of Reactor Projects

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March 11, 2003

The Honorable Jeanette White
35A Old Depot Road
Putney, VT 05346

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