UNITED STATES OF AMERICA NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

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In the Matter of) Docket No. 70-143

NUCLEAR FUEL SERVICES, INC)

(Blended Low-Enriched Uranium Project))

ORDER

Pursuant to my authority under 10 C.F.R. § 2.1261, I hereby grant the Petitioners', Friends of the Nolichucky River Valley, State of Franklin Group of the Sierra Club, Oak Ridge Environmental Peace Alliance, and Tennessee Environmental Council, unopposed request for a 10-day extension of time to file a hearing request regarding Nuclear Fuel Service's (NFS) third license amendment application. This is the same time extension recently granted to Ms. Kathy Helms-Hughes regarding this license amendment application. The time for filing a hearing request is hereby extended until Monday, February 2, 2004.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

/RA/
Annette L. Vietti-Cook

Secretary of the Commission

Dated at Rockville, Maryland, this 21st day of January 2004

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that copies of the foregoing COMMISSION ORDER EXTENDING TIME FOR PETITIONERS TO FILE A HEARING REQUEST UNTIL 02/02/04 have been served upon the following persons by U.S. mail, first class, or through NRC internal distribution with copies by electronic mail as indicated.

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