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In the Matter of ENTERGY NUCLEAR VERMONT YANKEE LLC and ENTERGY NUCLEAR OPERATIONS, INC. (Vermont Yankee Nuclear Power Station) Docket No. 50-271-OLA

Dear Administrative Judges:

Pursuant to 10 C.F.R. § 2.336(d), the NRC staff hereby provides notice that the Hearing

File for this proceeding has been updated. As required by 10 C.F.R. § 2.336(b)(5), the staff is

producing an update to the privilege log at this time. The staff is continuing to preserve and

maintain all privileged documents during the pendency of this proceeding. In accordance with

the Licensing Board's Order of April 5, 2005, the Staff is producing the hearing file index

supplement and the affidavit of John P. Boska only to the other parties to this proceeding.

Sincerely,

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Brooke D. Poole Counsel for NRC Staff

Enclosures: Hearing File Index Supplement (parties only) Privilege Log - Deliberative Process Affidavit of John P. Boska (parties only) ENCLOSURE 1

VERMONT YANKEE EPU HEARING FILE AND MANDATORY DISCLOSURES HEARING FILE INDEX SUPPLEMENT 8 - May 24, 2005

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| 175 | ML051390305 | 04/25/2005 | E-Mail - Daflucas, Entergy, to Ennis, NRR, re: EPU Supplement 28, Attached to E- Mail. | | | |
| 176 | ML051390132 | 04/27/2005 | E-mail - Ennis, NRR, to Sherman, Vermont DPS, et al., re: Meeting Notice for 05/09/05 meeting. | | | |

VERMONT YANKEE EPU HEARING FILE AND MANDATORY DISCLOSURES PRIVILEGE LOG - DELIBERATIVE PROCESS SUPPLEMENT 8 - MAY 24, 2005

Certain documents otherwise subject to inclusion in the hearing file and mandatory disclosures for this proceeding have been determined by the NRC Staff to contain information subject to withholding from public disclosure as predecisional, deliberative information. Pursuant to 10 C.F.R. § 2.336(b)(5), the Staff is providing this log to identify the following documents, withheld under the "deliberative process" privilege.

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| ML051390138 | Pettis, R.L., NRC/NRR | E-mail - Pettis, R.L., NRR, to Reddy, NRR, re: VY EPU Testing Issue, on Transient Testing. | 04/26/2005 | E-Mail | Reddy, D.K., NRC/NRR | | 2 |
| ML051390141 | Scarbrough, T.G., NRC/NRR | E-mail - Scarbrough, NRR, to Holden, NRR, re: VY Internal Meeting Thursday 5/5 at 1 p.m., and Steam Dryer Analyses. | 05/03/2005 | E-Mail | Holden, C.F., NRC/NRR | | 3 |
| ML051390143 | Ennis, R.B., NRC/NRR | E-mail - Ennis, NRR, to Wu, NRR, et. al., re: VY Internal Meeting Thursday 05/05 at 1 p.m., and Steam Dryer Analyses. | 05/04/2005 | E-Mail | Wu, C., NRC/NRR | | 4 |

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| ML051390144 | Ennis, R.B., NRC/NRR | E-Mail - Ennis, NRR, to Holden, NRR, and Roberts, NRR, re: Discussion With SRXB - Methods & Codes Issue. | 05/05/2005 | E-Mail | Holden, C.F., Roberts, D.J., NRC/NRR | | 3 |
| ML051390145 | Terao, D., NRC/NRR | E-mail - Terao, NRR, to Scarbrough, NRR, re: VY EPU Schedule, and Steam Dryer Analyses. | 05/05/2005 | E-Mail | Scarbrough, T.G., NRC/NRR | | 2 |

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

BEFORE THE ATOMIC SAFETY AND LICENSING BOARD

| In the Matter of |) | |
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| ENTERGY NUCLEAR VERMONT YANKEE LLC and ENTERGY NUCLEAR |) | Docket No. 50-271-OLA |
| OPERATIONS, INC. |) | ASLBP No. 04-832-02-OLA |
| (Vermont Yankee Nuclear Power Station) |) | |

AFFIDAVIT OF JOHN P. BOSKA CONCERNING MANDATORY DISCLOSURE REQUIREMENT OF 10 C.F.R. § 2.336(d)

I, John P. Boska, being first duly sworn, do hereby state as follows:

1. I am employed as a Senior Project Manager in the Division of Licensing Project Management in the Nuclear Regulatory Commission's ("NRC") Office of Nuclear Reactor Regulation. I serve as a project manager for the Vermont Yankee Nuclear Power Station. Among other things, I am managing the preparation of the hearing file and mandatory disclosures in connection with the extended power uprate license amendment request at issue in this proceeding.

2. I hereby certify that all relevant materials required to be disclosed pursuant to 10 C.F.R. §2.336 (b) and (d) in the captioned proceeding have been disclosed, and that the disclosures are accurate and complete as of the date of this certification.

3. I hereby certify that the foregoing is true and complete to the best of my knowledge, information and belief.

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John P. Boska

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that copies of the NRC Staff letter dated May 24, 2005, providing notice of the availability of the hearing file, together with attachments, in the captioned proceeding have been served on the following by deposit in the United States mail, first class; or as indicated by an asterisk (*), by deposit in the Nuclear Regulatory Commission's internal mail system; and by e-mail as indicated by a double asterisk (**), this 24th day of May, 2005.

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