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In the Matter of
ENERGY NUCLEAR OPERATIONS, INC.
(Vermont Yankee Nuclear Power Station)
Docket No. 50-271-LR; ASLBP No. 06-849-03-LR

Dear Administrative Judges:

Pursuant to 10 C.F.R. § 2.1202(b)(2), the staff of the Nuclear Regulatory Commission herein notifies the Licensing Board and the parties of its intent to participate in this proceeding as a party with respect to all admitted contentions.

Sincerely,

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