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July 10, 2002 VY-02-001

U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission Region I Nuclear Materials Safety Branch 475 Allendale Road King of Prussia, PA 19406-1415

SUBJECT:

Vermont Yankee Nuclear Power Station

Docket No. 030-19431

Materials License No. 44-13669-04 Financial Assurance Certification

Transfer of Materials License to Entergy Nuclear Operations

Reference:

1. Vermont Yankee Nuclear Power Corporation letter dated June 6, 2002 (BVY 02-38) regarding transfer of materials license.

Dear Sir:

Vermont Yankee Nuclear Power Corporation (VYNPC) and Entergy Nuclear Operations, Inc. (ENO) requested the transfer of NRC materials license number 44-13669-04 from VYNPC to ENO in Reference 1. That request stated that ENO would submit information regarding the financial assurance funding mechanism established by ENO for the materials license as required by 10 CFR 39:35 to the NRC.

The attached document details the financial assurance mechanism ENO has established for decommissioning activities associated with material license number 44-13669-04. The holder of the escrow account has committed to process the transfer within 1 business day after notification that the closing has occurred. Entergywill notify the holder within 5 business days after the closing.

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There are no new commitments made by this letter. If you have any questions, please contact Ms. Charlene Faison at (914) 272-3378.

Very truly yours,

Mr. Michael Kansler
Vice President and
Chief Operating Officer

Attachments:

 State Street Bank and Trust Company of Connecticut, NA letter to Entergy Nuclear Operations, Inc. c/o Rhonda Lapara dated June 20, 2002 regarding Vermont Yankee Nuclear Power Escrow

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CC:

Regional Administrator, Region I U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission 475 Allendale Road King of Prussia, PA 19406

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June 20, 2002

Entergy Nuclear Operations, Inc Attn: Rhonda Lapara 185 Old Ferry Road Brattleboro, VT 05301-7002

RE:

\$ELA/C#109661-011 Vermont Yankee Nuclear Power Escrow

Dear Ms. Lapara:

I am writing in regards to Escrow.

Vermont Yankee Nuclear Power

Upon receipt of confirmation from the Nuclear Materials Safety branch that the Transfer of Materials License #44-1366-04 has been approved we will change the name on the Escrow Account to read:

Entergy Nuclear Operations, Inc Escrow

The name change will be processed within 1 business day after receipt of the confirmation.

If you have any questions, feel free to contact me 1-860-244-1846.

Kegarus,

Sheila Savage

Officer

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