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### BY HAND

Richard Cushing Donovan, Clerk United States Court of Appeals for the First Circuit 1 Courthouse Way, Suite 2500 Boston, MA 02110

Re: Commonwealth of Massachusetts v. NRC, Nos. 07-1482 and 07-1483

Dear Mr. Donovan:

Enclosed for filing please find an original and three copies of Joint Status Report.

Sincerely,

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Commonwealth of Massachusetts

cc: Counsel of Record

## IN THE UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS FOR THE FIRST CIRCUIT

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS	_)	•
Petitioner,	) •	
<b>v.</b>	,	os. 07-1482 and -1483
U.S. NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION	) (cc	onsolidated)
and the UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,	)	
Respondents, and	)	
	)	
ENTERGY NUCLEAR OPERATIONS, INC.,	)	
ENTERGY NUCLEAR VERMONT YANKEE	)	•
LLC, AND ENTERGY NUCLEAR	)	
GENERATION COMPANY	)	
Intervenors.	)	

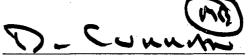
### JOINT STATUS REPORT

Pursuant to the terms of this Court's Order dated December 6, 2007, the parties to the above-captioned consolidated cases hereby report that, despite the good faith efforts of all parties to reach a settlement, including six telephone meetings of counsel, and the very helpful assistance of the Court's Settlement Counsel, the parties have not been able to reach an agreement. The parties will file supplemental briefs, as ordered by the Court, by February 14, 2008.

### Respectfully submitted,

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