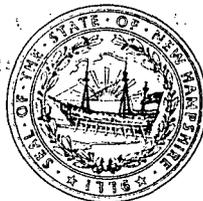


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RE: *In the matter of* Entergy Nuclear Vermont Yankee, LLC and Entergy Nuclear  
Operations, Inc., Vermont Yankee Nuclear Power Station License Renewal  
Application, Docket No. 50-271-LR; ASLBP No. 06-849-03-LR

Dear Sir or Madam:

Please find for filing in the above-captioned matter the original and two copies of  
the *State of New Hampshire's Statement of Date Blackout*.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me. Thank you for your  
considerate attention to this matter.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Jacqueline Lawrie".

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Before the Atomic Safety and Licensing Board

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Entergy Nuclear Operations, Inc. ) ASLBP No. 06-849-03-LR  
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(Vermont Yankee Nuclear Power Station) )

**STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE'S STATEMENT OF DATE BLACKOUT**

Pursuant to the Order of the Atomic Safety and Licensing Board dated March 25, 2008, the State of New Hampshire hereby states the availability of its counsel and witnesses to attend hearings during the months of August and September, 2008, should hearings beyond the scheduled dates of July 21-25, 2008 become necessary.

1. New Hampshire does not expect to present any witnesses.
2. New Hampshire's counsel is unavailable the weeks of August 4<sup>th</sup> and August 11<sup>th</sup> and the week of September 22<sup>nd</sup>, due to vacation plans and attendance at a conference.
3. We will promptly advise the Board and parties if additional availability conflicts develop for New Hampshire's counsel between now and the start of the hearing.

Respectfully submitted this 4<sup>th</sup> day of April 2008,

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that copies of "New Hampshire's Statement of Blackout Dates" dated April 4, 2008, were served on the persons listed below by deposit in the U.S. Mail, first class, postage prepaid, and where indicated by an asterisk by electronic mail, this 4<sup>th</sup> day of April, 2008.

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