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Re: Docket No. 50-271-LR; ASLBP No. 06-849-03-LR
In the Matter of Entergy Nuclear Operations, Inc.
(Vermont Yankee Nuclear Power Station)

Dear Judges:

On March 25, 2008, you issued an order setting the date for evidentiary hearings in the Vermont Yankee license renewal docket. In that order you also asked the parties to inform the Board by April 4, 2008 of any anticipated schedule conflicts in August and September in case further evidentiary hearings beyond those already scheduled in July were needed. This letter responds to that order.

For the time period August and September 2008, the Vermont Department of Public Service only has two conflicts. Attorney Anthony Roisman is unavailable for the time period August 1-4 because he has a planned trip out of state to visit family. Attorney Sarah Hofmann is unavailable for the time period August 18-22 because of planned annual leave.

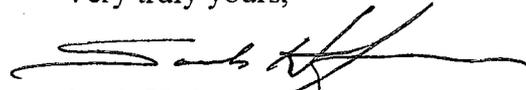
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Please let me know if you have any questions.

Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Sarah Hofmann', written over a horizontal line.

Sarah Hofmann
Director for Public Advocacy

cc: Attached Certificate of Service

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

BEFORE THE ATOMIC SAFETY AND LICENSING BOARD

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LLC, and ENTERGY NUCLEAR)	
OPERATIONS, INC.)	ASLBP No. 06-849-03-LR
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(Vermont Yankee Nuclear Power Station))	

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that copies of the Vermont Department of Public Service letter dated April 3, 2008, providing the availability of VDPS counsel for hearings in August and September of 2008, have been served on the following by U.S. Mail, first class, postage prepaid, on the 4th day of April 2007, and by electronic mail where indicated by an asterisk on the 3rd day of April, 2008.

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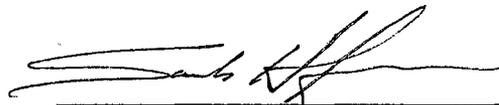
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