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NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

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(High-Level Waste Repository:)	)		
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ORDER

On April 28, 2008, the State of Nevada filed a "Motion to the Commission to Establish a Reasonable Schedule for the Filing of Contentions on Yucca Mountain" (Motion). Thereafter, on April 29, 2008, the Department of Energy filed a "Request for Clarification from the Office of the Secretary" seeking guidance on the deadline to file an answer to the State's Motion.

Pursuant to my authority under 10 C.F.R. § 2.346(a), answers to the State's Motion may be filed on or before May 8, 2008, and the Commission will act on the State's Motion thereafter.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

/RA/

Annette L. Vietti-Cook
Secretary of the Commission

Dated at Rockville, Maryland,
this 1st day of May 2008.

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(Advisory Pre-License Application:	)	
Presiding Officer Board	)	
(Advisory PAPO Board)	)	

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