

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION
ATOMIC SAFETY AND LICENSING BOARD

Before Administrative Judges:

Ronald M. Spritzer, Chairman
Dr. Gary S. Arnold
Dr. William W. Sager

In the Matter of

CALVERT CLIFFS 3 NUCLEAR PROJECT,
LLC, and UNISTAR NUCLEAR OPERATING
SERVICES, LLC

(Combined License Application
for Calvert Cliffs Unit 3)

Docket No. 52-016-COL

ASLBP No. 09-874-02-COL-BD01

April 1, 2009

ORDER

(Identifying Hearing Procedures and Scheduling Conference Call)

In accordance with 10 C.F.R. § 2.310, and in the absence of any request for a different hearing procedure, the Board has determined that Subpart L of 10 C.F.R. Part 2 will govern this proceeding.

In accordance with 10 C.F.R. § 2.332, the Board will hold a conference call on April 8, 2009, at 11 a.m. EST for the purpose of developing a scheduling order to govern the remainder of this proceeding.

Prior to the conference call, the parties should confer to develop a proposed schedule. The proposal should include a schedule for briefing the legal issue related to Contention #2 that the Board admitted in its March 24, 2009 Memorandum and Order. The proposal should also include suggested dates for:

- (i) the disclosures required by 10 C.F.R. § 2.336, and the supplementation of those disclosures;
- (ii) filing new or amended contentions in response to the Draft Environmental Impact

Statement or as otherwise permitted by 10 C.F.R. 2.309(f)(2);

(iii) filing motions for summary disposition;

(iv) filing written direct testimony; and

(v) any evidentiary hearing.

The parties should use as a starting point for discussion the model milestones in Appendix B to 10 C.F.R. Part 2 that apply to hearings conducted under Subpart L. The proposed schedule should also take into account the applicable requirements of 10 C.F.R. §§ 2.336 and 2.1203, and the objectives listed in 10 C.F.R. § 2.329(b).

If the parties are able to agree upon a proposed schedule, it should be submitted to the Board no later than April 7, 2009, at 3 p.m. EST. In the event that the parties are unable to agree, any party may file its own proposed schedule by the same date and time.

We also request that, before the conference call, the NRC Staff provide the Board and the parties with its best estimate of the dates when the Draft Safety Evaluation Report and the Draft Environmental Impact Statement will be publicly available.

On or before April 7, 2009, at 3 p.m. EST, a representative from each of the parties should contact Ms. Ashley H. Prange at (301) 415-0110 to obtain the telephone number and pass code for the prehearing conference call. Only the designated representatives of the parties may participate in the conference call.

In the event that a participant desires to have the conference audited by a person or persons at a different location, upon request to Ms. Prange, a reasonable number of additional telephone lines will be made available for that purpose.

It is so ORDERED.

FOR THE ATOMIC SAFETY
AND LICENSING BOARD¹

/RA/
Ronald M. Spritzer, Chairman
ADMINISTRATIVE JUDGE

Rockville, Maryland
April 1, 2009

¹ Copies of this Order were sent this date by the agency's E-Filing system to the counsel/representatives for: (1) Joint Petitioners Nuclear Information and Resource Services, Beyond Nuclear, Public Citizen Energy Program, and Southern Maryland Citizens Alliance for Renewable Energy Solutions; (2) UniStar Nuclear Operating Services, LLC and Calvert Cliffs-3 Nuclear Project, LLC; (3) NRC Staff; and (4) State of Maryland.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that copies of the foregoing ORDER (IDENTIFYING HEARING PROCEDURES AND SCHEDULING CONFERENCE CALL) have been served upon the following persons by Electronic Information Exchange.

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