

December 27, 2011

Lawrence G. McDade, Chair Richard E. Wardwell Atomic Safety and Licensing Board U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission Washington, D.C. 20555 Judge Kaye D. Lathrop Atomic Safety and Licensing Board 190 Cedar Lane East Ridgeway, CO 81432

Re: Entergy Nuclear Operations, Inc. (Indian Point Nuclear Generating Units 2 and 3), Docket Nos. 50-247-LR, 50-286-LR

Dear Licensing Board and Parties:

As indicated via e-mail last Friday, Riverkeeper became aware of a problem with the effectiveness of the redactions contained in Riverkeeper Exhibit RIV000034 in the above-referenced proceeding. Several steps have been taken to address this problem as quickly as possible: upon discovery of the issue, Entergy counsel notified NRC's Office of the Secretary in order to prevent the release of the document; Riverkeeper has followed up with the Staff of the Electronic Information Exchange and the document has been withdrawn and will not be available on the public hearing docket; additionally, Riverkeeper has requested that all parties refrain from viewing, opening, or saving the exhibit, immediately delete the exhibit, and confirm with Riverkeeper that this has been done.

Also as indicated in Riverkeeper's e-mail from last Friday, along with this letter, please find the submission to the Service List via the EIE, of a properly redacted version of Exhibit RIV000034.

Riverkeeper again apologizes for any inconvenience the inadvertent error relating to RIV000034 may have caused the Board or parties. Should anyone have any questions relating to this matter, please don't hesitate to contact us.

Sincerely,

Signed (electronically) by Deborah Brancato

Deborah Brancato Staff Attorney

cc: Service List (via EIE)