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U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission ATTN: Mr. Eric J. Leeds, Director Office of Nuclear Reactor Regulation Document Control Desk Washington, D.C. 20555

SUBJECT: NRC License No. NPF-49 (Docket No. 50-423) (Millstone Power Station, Unit No. 3)

REFERENCE: (a) "Order Approving Application Regarding Merger of Central Vermont Public Service Corporation and Green Mountain Power Corporation and Conforming Amendment (TAC No. ME8968)," dated September 21, 2012

## Notice of Merger Closing

In the above-referenced Order, the Nuclear Regulatory Commission ("NRC") approved the direct transfer of control of Central Vermont Public Service Corporation's ("CVPS") 1.7303% interest in operating license NPF-49 for the Millstone Power Station, Unit 3 ("MPS3"), to Green Mountain Power Corporation ("GMP"), as well as the conforming license amendment to reflect the change of name for the co-owner licensee on the MPS3 license from "Central Vermont Public Service Corporation" to "Green Mountain Power Corporation." The license transfer and conforming license amendment are necessary as a result of the merger of CVPS and GMP, with GMP being the surviving company.

This letter provides notice to the NRC that the closing of the merger is scheduled to take place on Monday, October 1, 2012. Accordingly, we respectfully request that the conforming license amendment be issued and made effective as of the closing on October 1, 2012. We will notify the NRC promptly if there is any change in the schedule for the closing.

Should you have any questions, please contact Stephen W. Page, Manager, Energy Administration, CVPS, at 802-747-5290 or CVPS counsel Daniel F. Stenger at 202-637-5691.

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