From: Lamb, John
To: "Paul Gunter"

Cc: Khanna, Meena; Russell, Andrea; Mensah, Tanya; Banic, Merrilee; Pelton, David; Davis, Jack; Hair, Christopher;

Kamps/ Kevin; Schmidt, Wayne; Dennig, Robert; Taylor, Robert

Subject: RE: FYI - Beyond Nuclear (et al) 2.206 Petition Regarding GE Mark I & II BWRs

Date: Wednesday, April 03, 2013 6:14:00 AM

Importance: High

Dear Mr. Gunter:

I understand that you wish to address the Petition Review Board (PRB) in person at a public meeting here at NRC Headquarters that has a bridge line and a webcast. The public meeting will have a bridge line that will be recorded and transcribed.

I have a few logistic questions. The reason is I have to find a conference room that is large enough with webcast capability and I have to ensure that the telephone system has enough bridge lines. How many people do you expect to attend in person? How many people do you expect to attend by phone? In addition, I am required to issue the public meeting notice at least 10 days before the public meeting. So, what is your availability for the weeks of April 22, April 29, and May 6?

In addition, I want to verify that you (and Beyond Nuclear) are representing the myriad of public interest groups that have signed on to this Petition.

Thanks. John

From: Paul Gunter [mailto:paul@beyondnuclear.org]

Sent: Wednesday, April 03, 2013 5:46 AM

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Christopher; Kamps/ Kevin

Subject: Re: FYI - Beyond Nuclear (et al) 2.206 Petition Regarding GE Mark I & II BWRs

Mr. Lamb,

Thank you for contacting me with regard to our petition from emergency enforcement action on the GE Mark I and Mark II boiling water reactors.

I am currently on work assignment in the United Kingdom and will be returning to the United Stated on April 6, 2013.

Yes, our intention is to have the NRC to convene a Petition Review Board to consider the petition under the 10 CFR 2.206 process as provided under NRC Management Directive 8.11.

We further request that the NRC provide the petitioners with the opportunity to supplement the petition with additional information. Beyond Nuclear requests to have that meeting in person with the PRB at NRC headquarters and provide a telephone bridge-line for brief presentations by additional select petitioners. We would also like to have a bridge-line and webcast of the PRB meeting to provide additional petitioners and the public to view the proceeding.

Thank you, Paul Gunter and Kevin Kamps Beyond Nuclear

On Mon, Apr 1, 2013 at 12:00 PM, Lamb, John < <u>John.Lamb@nrc.gov</u>> wrote: Dear Mr. Gunter:

My name is John G. Lamb and I have been assigned as the Petition Manager for the Title 10 of the *Code of Federal Regulations* (10 CFR), Section 2.206 petition you submitted (see attached) to the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) on March 21, 2013, regarding your concerns on the General Electric (GE) Mark I and Mark II boiling- water reactors (BWRs).

10 CFR 2.206 describes the petition process – the primary mechanism for the public to request enforcement action by the NRC in a public process. This process permits anyone to petition NRC to take enforcement-type action related to NRC licensees or licensed activities. Depending on the results of its evaluation, NRC could modify, suspend or revoke an NRC-issued license or take any other appropriate enforcement action to resolve a problem. The NRC staff's guidance for the disposition of 2.206 petition requests is in Management Directive (MD) 8.11 (Agencywide Documents And Management System Accession No. ML041770328), which is available to the public. The 2.206 process provides a mechanism for any member of the public to request enforcement action against NRC licensees. Therefore, because you specifically requested in your letter that the NRC revoke the operating licenses for the GE Mark I and Mark II BWRs, it was referred to the 2.206 process. The 2.206 process is separate from the allegations process which affords individuals who raise safety concerns a degree of protection of their identity. In the 2.206 process, all of the information in your letter will be made public, including your identity. In addition, in accordance with NRC MD 8.11, you have the opportunity to address the NRC Petition Review Board (PRB) to further discuss your petition, either in person at the NRC Headquarters in Rockville, MD, or by telephone conference. I would appreciate if you could advise me by Friday, April 5, 2013, if you agree to the NRC's processing your request under the 2.206 process. In addition, please advise me if you would like to address the PRB. If you would like to meet in person, I will need to schedule a formal public meeting at the NRC Headquarters. If you would prefer to address the PRB via phone, I will also work with you to coordinate a date/time during the upcoming weeks. Thank you,

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