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NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

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Before Administrative Judge:

Thomas S. Moore, Presiding Officer

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In the Matter of

NORTH ATLANTIC ENERGY SERVICE
CORP. et al.

(Seabrook Station, Unit 1)

Docket No. 50-443-LT

ASLBP No. 99-764-01-LT

April 7, 1999

ORDER

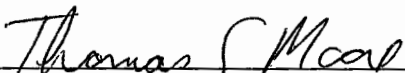
In CLI-99-06, 49 NRC __, __ (slip op. at 22 (March 5, 1999)), the Commission directed the parties to this proceeding "to confer promptly on whether their dispute might be settled amicably without conducting a hearing." Pursuant to that direction, the parties have undertaken settlement discussions and, in an April 5, 1999 motion, they now jointly request a ten-day extension of the schedule set forth in CLI-99-06 in order to facilitate their settlement efforts. Specifically, the parties seek the extension so that they may devote their time and energies to the settlement process and avoid interrupting their negotiations to prepare their direct testimony for the proceeding.

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For good cause shown, the joint motion is granted. With the exception of the date of the hearing, the schedule proposed by the parties is adopted. Accordingly, the parties' initial statements of position and direct testimony shall be filed by April 15, 1999. All rebuttal testimony and proposed questions regarding direct testimony shall be filed by May 5, 1999. All proposed questions regarding rebuttal testimony shall be filed by May 14, 1999. The hearing will begin at 9:30 a.m. Wednesday, June 2, 1999 in the hearing room of the Atomic Safety and Licensing Board Panel, Room 3B 45, Two White Flint North, 11545 Rockville Pike, Rockville, Maryland. All concluding statements shall be filed so that they are in the hands of the Secretary of the Commission, the Presiding Officer, and the other parties by 4:30 p.m. on the date the filings are due.

It is so ORDERED.

Presiding Officer



Thomas S. Moore
ADMINISTRATIVE JUDGE

Rockville, Maryland
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I hereby certify that copies of the foregoing ORDER GRANTING TEN-DAY EXT. have been served upon the following persons by U.S. mail, first class, except as otherwise noted and in accordance with the requirements of 10 CFR Sec. 2.712.

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