

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

In the Matter of)

The Cincinnati Gas & Electric)
Company, et al.)

) Docket No. 50-358
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(Wm. H. Zimmer Nuclear Power)
Station))

APPLICANT'S ANSWER TO PETITION OF THE
COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY TO PARTICIPATE PURSUANT TO
10 C.F.R. §2.715(c)

On March 4, 1980, the Commonwealth of Kentucky ("Commonwealth"), as represented by the Attorney General of Kentucky, petitioned the Nuclear Regulatory Commission ("NRC") for leave to participate in the captioned proceeding as an interested state pursuant to 10 C.F.R. §2.715(c).

Applicant, The Cincinnati Gas & Electric Company, et al., ("Applicant") would note that it continues to have discussions with the Commonwealth and interested local officials to assure that adequate provisions are made for emergency planning. The Applicant is hopeful that these discussions will lead to a mutually acceptable outcome such that the need for the Commonwealth to be a participant in this proceeding can be eliminated. In any event, if the Atomic Safety and Licensing Board grants the requested participation of the Commonwealth with regard to emergency planning at this time, Applicant would request that the Board impose the same conditions for participation of the Commonwealth as it did for the City of

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Mentor, e.g., that it "must take the proceeding as it finds it". ^{1*/}

Respectfully submitted,

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March 19, 1980

*/ Memorandum and Order Admitting Mentor, Kentucky Pursuant to 10 C.F.R. §2.713(c) dated January 29, 1980 at 5.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that copies of "Applicant's Answer to Petition of The Commonwealth of Kentucky to Participate Pursuant to 10 C.F.R. §2.715(c)," dated March 19, 1980, in the captioned matter, were served upon the following by deposit in the United States mail this 19th day of March, 1980:

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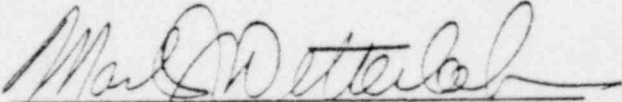
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