

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
ATOMIC ENERGY COMMISSION

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BEFORE THE ATOMIC SAFETY AND LICENSING BOARD

In the Matter of

TOLEDO EDISON COMPANY AND
CLEVELAND ELECTRIC ILLUMINATING
COMPANY

(Davis-Besse Nuclear Power Station)

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Docket No. 50-346

RESPONSE OF THE AEC REGULATORY STAFF
TO THE MOTION OF THE STATE OF OHIO TO
EXTEND TIME WITHIN WHICH TO
FILE PETITION TO INTERVENE

On April 30, 1973, the Commission published a Notice in the Federal Register entitled "Receipt and Consideration of Issuance of Facility License; Opportunity for Hearing" (36 FR 10661). That Notice provided, in part, that petitions for leave to intervene must be filed in accordance with the Commission's Rules of Practice, 10 CFR Part 2, by May 30, 1973. On June 29, 1973, the State of Ohio filed a Motion requesting an extension of time until July 30, 1973, within which to file a petition for leave to intervene.^{1/}

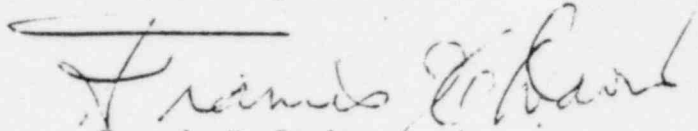
The regulatory staff has no objection to the granting of the Motion of the State of Ohio. The staff, however, reserves its rights to

^{1/} On May 30, 1973, the State of Ohio had filed a similar Motion requesting an additional thirty days, until June 29, 1973, within which to file a petition for leave to intervene. The regulatory staff replied to that Motion on June 12, 1973.

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respond to such a petition, if any, and to object on any grounds other than those of timeliness.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Francis X. Davis". The signature is written in dark ink and is positioned above the printed name and title.

Francis X. Davis
Counsel for AEC Regulatory Staff

Dated at Bethesda, Maryland,
this 11th day of July, 1973.

