

UNITED STATES NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION



In the Matter of) Docket No. 50-309
MAINE YANKEE ATOMIC POWER COMPANY) (To Increase and Modify
(Maine Yankee Atomic Power Station),) Spent Fuel Pool Capacity
Applicant.) and Systems; Compaction)

ATOMIC SAFETY AND LICENSING BOARD

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MOTION FOR AN ORDER REQUIRING RENOTICE OF
SIGNIFICANTLY INCREASED AND MODIFIED SPENT
FUEL POOL COMPACTION AND STORAGE SCHEME:

Pursuant to 10 CFR §§2.730, and 2.101 - 2.103, Intervenor Sensible Maine Power moves this Board, and if and as necessary puts this request before the Commission¹ and/or the Secretary², to order Applicant Maine Yankee fully and completely to notice its amended proposal of September 29, 1980, in the Federal Register, and to abide all other applicable notice requirements of the Commission's Rules and Regulations.

As grounds therefor Intervenor states:

1. Applicant's amended application seeks approval for a vastly increased storage capacity, from 953 to 2,340 spent fuel assemblies, or 2½ times that which is currently permitted.
2. Said application also apparently contemplates different methodologies, use of facilities and procedures, none of which has previously been made public.³

^{1,2} Please see Service List, infra at 2.

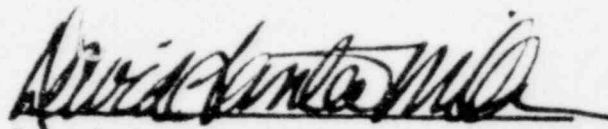
³ More specifically, the amended application seeks the Commission's approval to use the spent fuel laydown area for storage; such use limits if not in fact negates Applicant's capability to prepare spent fuel for shipment off site - and thus this facility could well become a permanent spent fuel storage site.

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3. The public interest, as expressly recognized in the Commission's own Rules and Regulations, clearly requires comprehensive and thorough public notice of such modifications.

On such bases Intervenor urges that Applicant be ordered to comply with all applicable notice requirements upon its modified proposal.



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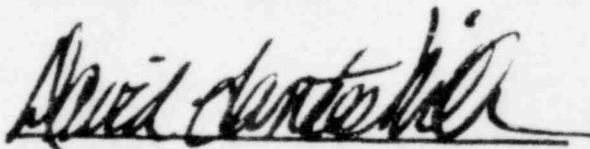
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