UNITED STATES OF AMERICA NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

ATOMIC SAFETY AND LICENSING BOARD

Before Administrative Judges: Charles Bechhoefer, Chairman Dr. Robert L. Holton Ralph S. Decker

In the Matter of:

NORTHEAST NUCLEAR ENERGY COMPANY, ET AL. Docket Nos. 50-496 CP 50-497 CP

(Montague Nuclear Power Station, Units 1 and 2)

March 25, 1981

ORDER (Granting Motion to Terminate Proceeding)

On February 10, 1981, the Applicants informed us that they had withdrawn their application for construction permits for the Montague Nuclear Power Station, Units 1 and 2. They also filed a motion for us to terminate the proceeding, advising us that since construction at the site was never authorized, there is no need for any site restoration or rehabilitation. On March 2, 1981, the Staff supported the Applicants' motion. No other party or participant has responded.

Absent objection from any party, and the Board having no reason not to grant the requested termination, it is, this 25th day of March, 1981

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ORDERED

That the Applicants' motion to terminate this proceeding is granted. The proceeding is thus hereby terminated.

> FOR THE ATOMIC SAFETY AND LICENSING BOARD

Charles Beckhoefer, Chairpan