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Attention: Office of Nuclear Reactor Regulation

References: (a) License No. DPR-28 (Docket NO. 50-²⁷¹~~21~~)
(b) Letter, USNRC to All Licensees of Operating Plants
and Holders of Construction Permits, dated
February 18, 1981

Subject: Minutes of Meeting Concerning Vermont Yankee Emergency
Operations Facility (EOF) March 30, 1981

Dear Sir:

The purpose of this letter is to document the salient portions of the subject meeting. The meeting was requested by Vermont Yankee to provide an opportunity to explain to the NRC how Vermont Yankee meets the functional intent of the requirements of the Enclosure to Reference (b). The areas discussed are outlined below:

Shift Staffing - Vermont Yankee explained how the presently assigned shift personnel could adequately perform all the functions required in Reference (b). In addition, actual historical data was used to demonstrate that additional personnel could be provided to the site in a timely fashion.

Location of EOF - The locations of the primary and alternate emergency operations facilities were described and reasons presented for their adequacy.

Protection Factors - In conjunction with the discussion on the location of the EOF, the lack of a need for increased protection factors for these facilities.

The members of the staff attending at the meeting were receptive to the arguments presented. They suggested that if these arguments could be presented in Vermont Yankee's response to Reference (b) and supported with detailed information in that response, the staff would probably be able to accept our position.

Very truly yours,
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