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THE ATOMIC SAFETY AND LICENSING BOARD

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In the Matter of

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GENERAL ELECTRIC COMPANY

(GE Morris Operation Spent Fuel Storage Facility)

Docket No. 70-1308 OLA (Spent Fuel Pool)

RE: ORDER SETTING PREHEARING CONFERENCE

Iwill be unable to attend the the Conference, as rescheduled, and unable to present my oral argument, as I will be out of the state of Illinois on August 6th, the new scheduled date. Therefore I request your indulgence in allowing me to present my written argument and have Mr. John Van Vran ken, of the State of Illinois, Attorney Generals Office, read this for me.

The State of Illinois is the only admitted Intervenor. (I was denied intervention on the grounds Bridgett Rorem Little, ET AL contentions were identical to mine, (wonder how that happened?(). And have since received your Order of June 17, 1981, dismissing Intervenor Rorem, ET AL.

The Illinois Attorney Generals Office, thru Susan Sekuler was representating, the State of Illinois, Grundy County, City of Morris, Il., in Grundy and certain individual residents of Grundy County, myself as one of them. (after I was denied being an intervenor) Ms. Sekuler was given a Sabbatical leave by the Attorney General's Office and Mr. John Van DS03 Vranken, has since taken over.

233 308 To deny the State of Illinois to participate in these hearings, would be the elimination of the only admitted intervenor in these hearings. This can not serve the purpose and la ws of these hearings, by not allowing the State of Illinois to further participate in these hearings. This would leave persons like myself, Grundy County, Morris, etc., withma u out any legal representation. Plus the recently passed law, for the State of Illinois

re; nuclear fuel spent rods, etc., by denying the State of Illinois participation and representation, you would be denying us, the people of Illinois our Constitutional Rights, and not allowing the State of Illinois to protect the residents, their safety and be unable to carry out the laws as set, in the State of Illinois. I fully disagree with any such order, that would not permit, the people of the State of Illinois, not to be representated at any and all hearings of the Atomic, Safety & Licensing Board, in the State of Illinois, or for the State of Illinois, as being unconstitutional per Illinois and Federal Laws, that would not allow the Attorney General Office participation in these hearings, involving Nuclear, Atomic, etc., plants, materials, that are in the State of Illinois.

Respectfully submitted,

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Copies to all on service list, as submitted by Mr. John Van Vranken, and to all on Atomic Safety & Licensing Board. Original to Chairman Andrew C. Good hope,