### UNITED STATES OF AMERICA NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

### BEFORE THE ATOMIC SAFETY AND LICENSING BOARD

In the Matter of
WASHINGTON PUBLIC POWER SUPPLY SYSTEM
(WPPSS Nuclear Project No. 1)

Docket No. 50-460 OL

# STAFF RESPONSE TO STATE OF WASHINGTON REQUEST TO PARTICIPATE AS AN INTERESTED STATE

By letter dated November 10, 1982, the State of Washington Energy Site Evaluation Council wrote the Secretary of the Commission to request that it be allowed to participate as an interested state, pursuant to 10 CFR §2.715(c), in the Washington Public Power Supply System, WPPSS Nuclear Project No. 1. (WNP-1) operating license hearing. Specifically, the State requested permission to make a limited appearance statement.

If a hearing is otherwise held (i.e., the pending intervention petition by the Coalition for Safe Power is granted), the Staff welcomes the State of Washington's participation.

Respectfully submitted,

Counsel for NRC Staff

Dated at Bethesda, Maryland this 29th day of November, 1982

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I hereby certify that copies of "STAFF RESPONSE TO STATE OF WASHINGTON REQUEST TO PARTICIPATE AS AN INTERESTED STATE" in the above-captioned proceeding have been served on the following by deposit in the United States mail, first class, or, as indicated by an asterisk, by deposit in the Nuclear Regulatory Commission's internal mail system this 29th day of November, 1982:

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