



the matter of
the Intervention
of the Three Mile Island
Nuclear Power Plant

Case No. 50-155
(Spent Fuel Pool Modification)

MOTION TO DEFER HEARING

John Leithauer, intervenor, hereby motions that the Appeals Board postpone until January 11, 1981, the hearing of oral argument, the applicability of N.Y.C.R. 100, if that issue and the Need-Money Issue.

I defer oral argument this year, I believe, due to the complexity of the case and with other business my requisite to the scheduled hearings and the sluggish mail service. . . . will be the only means available this intervenor and I suspect the only one within the budgetary limitations of pro bono intervenor John O'Neill.

Furthermore, this peripatetic telephonic process, unlike the use of telecommunications will undoubtedly be paced by the increased load on the mail service during the holidays.

Additionally, if Mr. O'Neill or myself desires to attend this hearing, it will require considerable travel time as air transport beyond my budget and again, I suspect, beyond the budget of intervenor John O'Neill II.

The over 1700 mile round trip will take perhaps a total of two days alone.

For all of the above reasons, intervenor Leithauer prays that the Appeals Board grant this motion.

John Leithauer

I certify that a copy of the above motion has been sent by 1st class mail to all parties to these proceedings and to the Appeals Board and the Docketing and Service Division of the Commission on December 10, 1980.

John Leithauer

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