

August 31, 1982

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION
BEFORE THE ATOMIC SAFETY AND LICENSING BOARD

In the Matter of) PUBLIC SERVICE COMPANY OF) NEW HAMPSHIRE, <u>et al.</u> ,) Seabrook Station Units 1 and 2))	Docket Nos. 50-443 OL 50-444 OL
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MOTION BY NECNP FOR LEAVE TO FILE
RESPONSE TO APPLICANTS' REPLY TO NECNP'S
SUPPLEMENTAL FILING ON EMERGENCY PLANNING

On July 23, 1982, at the Board's direction, NECNP submitted a Supplemental Filing on Emergency Contentions to the Board. The Applicants filed a Reply to NECNP's submittal on August 2, 1982. NECNP requests permission to answer the Applicants' Reply with the brief Response which accompanies this Motion. We regret that the strenuous demands of other cases, coupled with staff shortages during summer vacations, have delayed the filing of this Response. Receipt of this Response will not interfere with any schedules in this proceeding, and it will not prejudice the parties involved. The filing is relatively brief, but provides important argument and clarification of NECNP's contentions which will assist the Board in reaching its decision. Moreover, this is the first opportunity

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that NECNP has had to respond to substantive arguments by the Applicants on emergency planning issues.

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