

FEDERAL ENERGY REGULATORY COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20426

IN REPLY REFER TO:

September 21, 1983

Mr. Carlton C. Kammerer
Director, Office of Congressional Affairs
Nuclear Regulatory Commission
1717 H Street, N. W.
Washington, D. C. 20555

Dear Mr. Kammerer:

Enclosed is a copy of my letter ~~of~~ the Honorable Paul E. Tsongas, who wrote the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission regarding the Seabrook facility.

Since the Nuclear Regulatory Commission has responsibility for this matter, I am forwarding the attached letter to you for further response.

Sincerely,

Charles A. McManus
Director, Office of Congressional,
Intergovernmental & Public Affairs

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Honorable Paul E. Tsongas
United States Senator
Room 2003F JFK Building
Boston, Massachusetts 02203

Dear Senator Tsongas:

Thank you for your letter of September 16, 1983, on behalf of Mr. Christopher Nord, concerning the Seabrook facility.

The Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (FERC) does not have jurisdiction over the matter of concern to Mr. Nord. The Nuclear Regulatory Commission is the appropriate Federal agency to respond to your inquiry. Accordingly, I am forwarding your letter to that agency for a reply.

The FERC is responsible for regulating the production, sale, and transmission of natural gas; establishing just and reasonable rates for wholesale sales and the interstate transmission of electric power; licensing non-Federal hydroelectric power projects; and regulating rates charged by pipeline companies to transport oil in interstate commerce. The Commission also has the authority to review certain rulemakings and major energy actions proposed by the Secretary of Energy.

If I can ever be of assistance on any FERC matter, please let me know.

Sincerely,

Charles A. McManus
Director, Office of Congressional,
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