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REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME IN WHICH TO ANSWER INTERROGATORIES

The State of Louisiana requests until July 25, 1984 in which to respond to Applicant's First Set of Interrogatories. This is necessitated by a combination of the following:

- 1. Length of the interrogatories.
- Illness of counsel for part of the time since service of interrogatories.
- Preoccupation of counsel with trying to resolve emergency planning issues by way of legislation.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that a copy of the "REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME IN WHICH TO ANSWER INTERROGATORIES" in the above "captioned proceeding have been served on the following by deposit in the United States mail, first class, this 12th day of July, 1984:

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