

UNITED STATES NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION WASHINGTON, D.C. 20555

May 5, 1992

Docket No. 50-271

Mr. L. A. Tremblay Senior Licensing Engineer Vermont Yankee Nuclear Power Corporation 580 Main Street Bolton, Massachusetts 01740-1398

Dear Mr. Tremblay:

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SUBJECT: CURRENT LICENSING BASIS WORKSHOP - VERMONT YANKEE NUCLEAR POWER STATION

The Nuclear Regulatory Commission's Office of Nuclear Reaccor Regulation is sponsoring a workshop on the subject of Current Licensing Basis (CLB), which will be held in the Regency Room of the Holiday Inn, Crowne Plaza, Rockville, Maryland on June 23-24, 1992. The purpose of this letter is to solicit your interest in this workshop.

On March 14, 1992, NRC issued Generic Letter 92-03, "Compliation of the Current Licensing Basis: Request for Voluntary Participation in a Pilot Program." In that letter we discussed the CLB, its definition, and the Commission's interest in sceking volunteers to compile their CLB.

The purpose of the workshop is to examine the CLB, and discuss how it is maintained, used, and changed over the life of the licens. The workshop will address such topics as compilation of the CLB and the relationship between the CLB and the docket, the final safety analysis report (FSAR), design document reconstitution (DDR) programs, licensee's commitment tracking systems, backfits, and license renewal. We envision the workshop will include both panel discussions and peakers on these subjects.

The success of this workshop is dependent on industry's interest and active participation. Accordingly, we request your recommendations for specific panel discussion topics, the names of those members of your staff who will attend, and those willing to participate as panel members. Please provide this information to your ject manager by May 18, 1992. A final agenda will be developed and distributed after we have considered your recommendations.

This request is covered by Office of Management and Budget Clearance Number 3150-0011, which expires May 31, 1994. The estimated average number of burden hours is 2 person hours for each licensee's response, including those needed to assess the request. This estimate of the average number of burden hours pertains only to the identified response-related matters. Comments on the accuracy of this estimate and suggestiors to reduce the burden may be directed

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If you have any questions on this matter, please contact your project manager.

Sincerely,

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