UNITED STATES OF AMERICA NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

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Administrative Judges:

Christine N. Kohl, Chairman Dr. W. Reed Johnson Howard A. Wilber

OFFICE OF SECRETARY November 14, extens, Donath

In the Matter of LOUISIANA POWER & LIGHT COMPANY (Waterford Steam Electric Station,) Unit 3)

) Docket No. 50-382 OL SERVED NOV 15 1984

ORDER

On October 3, 1984, we issued an order requesting the views of the parties with respect to the Harstead issue. In a subsequent order of November 1, 1984, following a telephone request by the Joint Intervenors, all parties were granted an extension until November 14, 1984 to file their views. The latter order also stated that further extension requests would not be entertained.

Yesterday, November 13, 1984, the Joint Intervenors made another telephonic request for an extension of time. The reasons given for the request were the fact that Joint Intervenors had spent much time preparing a Motion to Reopen the Record (filed November 8, 1984) and that they preferred to await the response of the NRC's General Counsel's office to our letter of November 2, 1984, requesting information on the Harstead matter, before filing their own comments. D502

Joint Intervenors' decision to file a new motion did not relieve them of the previously established obligation to respond to our October 3, 1984 order. As to any information received from the General Counsel, we will request the parties' comments should we believe they are necessary. Thus, we see no cause to deviate from our earlier position with respect to further extensions of time in this matter. Joint Intervenors were informed by telephone yesterday that their request was denied.

It is so ORDERED.

FOR THE APPEAL BOARD

C. Jean Shoemaker Secretary to the Appeal Board

Ms. Kohl did not participate in this order.