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Judge Helen F. Hoyt
Chairperson
Atomic Safety and Licensing Board
Seabrook Proceeding
U.S. NRC
Washington, D.C. 20555

Dear Judge Hoyt:

Enclosed you will find a copy of correspondence I have received concerning the February 24, 1986 deadline to file Contentions regarding the State of New Hampshire Emergency Evacuation Plan with respect to the Seabrook Nuclear Power Station. Please comment on the extension request outlined in the enclosed letters, and favor me with a copy of your response.

Sincerely,

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February 21, 1986

Hon. Warren G. Rudman
United States Senate
Senate Office Building
Washington, D.C.

Dear Senator Rudman:

I write, respectfully urging that you intervene on behalf of several New Hampshire Seacoast communities requesting from the Nuclear Regulatory Commission more time for preparation of contentions regarding evacuation plans.

My district represents ten communities in the Seacoast. Dealing with this effort has been overwhelming for most town governments who have neither the staff nor dollars budgeted to handle this situation.

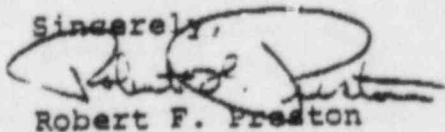
The frustration of residents, who see State officials, the NRC, and Public Service acting in concert with regard to the nuclear plant has led to great distrust.

A denial of requests for more time in this process would lead to further distrust.

The residents of the Seacoast, many of whom have just "had it" with this project want and deserve more time on this matter.

Your cooperation is greatly appreciated.

Sincerely,



Robert F. Preston



State of New Hampshire
Town of Kensington

February 21, 1986

The Honorable Senator Warren B. Rudman
United States Senate
Washington, D.C. 20510

Dear Senator Rudman,

I write you today on behalf of the Town of Kensington, N.H.. We are being required by the Atomic Safety Licensing Board of the Nuclear Regulatory Commission (Docket Nos. 50-443-OL, 50-444-OL) to file contentions in relation to the Seabrook Nuclear Power Plant Radiological Emergency Response Plans by February 24, 1986.

This schedule was set by The Board on January 17, 1986 (we learned of it approximately one month ago), and stipulates that all contentions filed relative to the plan over the course of the prior four (4) years are invalid and must be rewritten and resubmitted by February 24, 1986.

We feel this schedule and time table for resubmission of contentions is totally inadequate for the preparation and resubmittal of four years worth of documentation. We are unable to prepare and submit contentions which are adequately researched and written in this unreasonably short time frame.

We hereby request that you intervene on our behalf before the Atomic Safety Licensing Board and request that a more reasonable and realistic time schedule (60 or 90 days for submission of contentions) be adopted for the contentions relating to the Radiological Emergency Response Plans and that the February 24, 1986 deadline be extended accordingly.

Thank you in advance for your assistance in this most important matter.

Sincerely,

Sandra Gavutis
Board of Selectman
Kensington, NH

February 20, 1986

Because the Governor of New Hampshire and the New Hampshire State Civil Defense Agency claim to be sincere in wanting to provide us with adequate plans, we submit the following proposal to them:

The following Towns in the New Hampshire Emergency Planning Zone propose that, in a spirit of cooperation with the Towns, the Governor of New Hampshire and the New Hampshire Civil Defense Agency arrange for a postponement of the February 26 Exercise, allowing these Towns time to bring their plans to a reasonable state of adequacy and feasibility.

*Town of Kensington by Sandra Savaris, Selectman
J. P. Madigan for the Town of Oye
William S. Lane, Selectman, Town of Amesbury
Walter D. Shirik, Selectman, Town of South Hampton*



State of New Hampshire

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

CONCORD

January 23, 1985

50-443/0444

Atomic Safety and Licensing Board
Helen F. Hoyt, Chairperson
U.S. NRC
Washington, D.C. 20555

In Re: Seabrook Hearings

Dear Madam Chairperson:

We, the undersigned members of the New Hampshire House of Representatives, representing the Towns of Hampton and Hampton Falls, two of the three towns closest to the Seabrook Nuclear Plant in the State of N.H., request that more time be given to the parties in preparing and filing the Contentions in this matter. It is creating a hardship on the Towns, in particular, to ask that they be prepared to submit Contentions on plans submitted for them by the State of N.H. which were not given to them prior to being submitted to FEMA.

Further, we are requesting that any proposed Prehearing Conferences and/or Hearings be held in the N.H. Seacoast, rather than Washington, Boston, Dover, N.H., or other site. This matter vitally concerns the Seacoast of N.H., which is where the Seabrook Nuclear Plant is located, and it will cause undue hardship for the Towns involved if these Pre-hearing Conferences and Hearings are held out of the area.

Very truly yours,

Rip Ednappearl F. Parr

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