

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

POWER AUTHORITY OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK
AND ENTERGY NUCLEAR FITZPATRICK LLC,
ENTERGY NUCLEAR INDIAN POINT 3 LLC,
AND ENTERGY NUCLEAR OPERATIONS, INC.

JAMES A. FITZPATRICK NUCLEAR POWER PLANT
AND INDIAN POINT NUCLEAR GENERATING UNIT NO. 3

Docket Nos. 50-333-LT and 50-286-LT

ASLBP No. 01-785-02-LT

DESIGNATION OF PRESIDING OFFICER

Pursuant to delegation by the Commission, see 37 Reg. 28,710 (Dec. 29, 1972), and CLI-00-22, 52 NRC __ (Nov. 27, 2000), and the Commission's regulations, see 10 C.F.R. § 2.1319, notice is hereby given that a single member of the Atomic Safety and Licensing Board Panel is designated as Presiding Officer to conduct further proceedings in accordance with 10 C.F.R. § 2.1320 in the following case:

POWER AUTHORITY OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK
AND ENTERGY NUCLEAR FITZPATRICK LLC,
ENTERGY NUCLEAR INDIAN POINT 3 LLC,
AND ENTERGY NUCLEAR OPERATIONS, INC.

James A. FitzPatrick Nuclear Power Plant
and Indian Point Nuclear Generating Unit No. 3

The hearing will be conducted pursuant to 10 C.F.R. Part 2, Subpart M, of the Commission's Regulations, "Public Notification, Availability of Documents and Records, Hearing Requests and Procedures for Hearings on License Transfer Applications." This proceeding concerns applications that together seek the Commission's authorization to transfer the ownership interest in, and operating/maintenance responsibility for (1) the Indian Point Nuclear Generating Unit No. 3 from the Power Authority of the State of New York (PASNY) to Entergy

Nuclear Indian Point 3, LLC, and Entergy Nuclear Operations, Inc. (ENO), respectively; and (2) the James A. FitzPatrick Nuclear Power Plant from PASNY to Entergy Nuclear Indian Point 3, LLC, and ENO, respectively. The notices of consideration of these transfer requests and opportunity for hearing were published in the Federal Register on June 28, 2000. See 65 Fed. Reg. 39,953 (2000); 65 Fed. Reg. 39,954 (2000).

The Presiding Officer in this proceeding is Administrative Judge Charles Bechhoefer. All correspondence, documents, and other materials shall be filed with Judge Bechhoefer in accordance with 10 C.F.R. § 2.1313. His mail and e-mail addresses are:

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Issued at Rockville, Maryland,
this 28th day of November 2000.

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NEW YORK, ET AL.	)	
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(James A. FitzPatrick Nuclear Power Plant	)	Docket Nos. 50-333-LT and
and Indian Point Nuclear Generating	)	50-286-LT
Unit No. 3)	)	

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that copies of the foregoing LB DESIGNATION OF PRESIDING OFFICER have been served upon the persons listed below by deposit in the U.S. mail, first class, or through NRC internal distribution.

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