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Dear Jim,

This letter is in response to several questions asked during the December 13<sup>th</sup>, 2007, presentation of Entergy VY's intentions regarding its filing of a petition for Certificates of Public Good (CPGs) under 30 V.S.A. §§ 231(a), 248 and 254 for authority to renew the operating license of the Vermont Yankee Nuclear Power Station, including the storage of spent-nuclear fuel after March 21, 2012.

At the presentation on December 13<sup>th</sup>, where Entergy VY representatives provided an overview of the project in accordance with Section 248 (f), Entergy VY committed to responding to the Commission with answers to several follow-up questions. While it was acknowledged by WRC that some of the questions being asked were beyond the requirements of Section 248 (f), Entergy VY agreed to provide responses. Entergy VY agrees the questions asked are within the purview of the PSB process, but several of the questions were such that answers are not readily available because they were being developed as part of Entergy VY's testimony supporting its petition. As such, we have not been able to respond to your questions as soon as we had hoped. However, we appreciate your questions and will attempt to address those not answered here as appropriate in prefiled testimony.

Please find attached, responses to your requests. If you have any additional questions, please don't hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

David K. McElwee