

STATE OF VERMONT  
PUBLIC SERVICE BOARD

Joint Petition of NorthStar Decommissioning )  
Holdings, LLC, NorthStar Nuclear )  
Decommissioning Company, LLC, NorthStar )  
Group Services, Inc., LVI Parent Corp., NorthStar ) Docket No. 8880  
Group Holdings, LLC, Entergy Nuclear Vermont )  
Investment Company, LLC, and Entergy Nuclear )  
Operations, Inc., and any other necessary )  
affiliated entities to transfer ownership of Entergy )  
Nuclear Vermont Yankee, LLC, and for certain )  
ancillary approvals, pursuant to 30 V.S.A. §§ 107, )  
231, and 232 )

THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SERVICE'S RESPONSE TO MOTION FOR  
LEAVE TO INTERVENE BY ELNU ABENAKI TRIBE

The Department of Public Service ("Department") respectfully submits this response to the March 8, 2017 motion of the Elnu Abenaki Tribe requesting that the Vermont Public Service Board ("Board") grant them leave to intervene in this docket. The Department supports the intervention of Elnu Abenaki Tribe in order to address their unique perspectives on this proceeding.

Dated at Montpelier Vermont this 15<sup>th</sup> day of March, 2017.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SERVICE

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