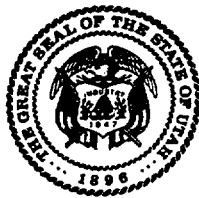


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re: In the Matter of Private Fuel Storage LLC, Docket No. 72-22, ASLBP No. 97-732-02-ISFSI  
State's General Preference for Filing Simultaneous Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law

Dear Judges Bollwerk, Kline and Lam:

During the June 17, 1998, Prehearing Conference, Chairman Bollwerk requested me to advise the Board whether the State would generally prefer to file simultaneous findings and conclusions at the same time as the Applicant, the Staff and other parties, together with simultaneous responses by all parties, or whether the State would prefer sequence filings with the Applicant filing the initial findings and conclusion and the Staff and other parties filing a response.

On reflection, the State believes that its findings and conclusions will be comprehensive and as a general matter elects the more efficient and preferable procedure that all parties file simultaneous findings and conclusions followed by simultaneous responses.

Sincerely,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that a copy of Denise Chancellor's June 23, 1998 letter to the ASLBP re State's General Preference for Filing Simultaneous Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law was served on the persons listed below by electronic mail (unless otherwise noted) with conforming copies by United States mail first class, this 23th day of June, 1998:

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