

July 1, 1999

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

Before the Atomic Safety and Licensing Board

In the Matter of)	
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PRIVATE FUEL STORAGE L.L.C.)	Docket No. 72-22
)	
(Private Fuel Storage Facility))	ASLBP No. 97-732-02-ISFSI

**APPLICANT'S REQUEST TO EXCEED PAGE LIMITATION
FOR ITS RESPONSE TO STATE OF UTAH'S REQUEST FOR
ADMISSION OF LATE-FILED AMENDED UTAH CONTENTION C**

In accordance with the Atomic Safety and Licensing Board's ("Board") Memorandum and Order of February 2, 1998 (Memorializing Initial Prehearing Conference Directives), the Applicant requests the Board's approval to exceed the ten page limitation with respect to Applicant's response to the "State of Utah's Request for Admission of Late-Filed Amended Utah Contention C," due to be filed Wednesday, July 7, 1999. The Applicant will be responding to the State's request to late-file the amended contention as well as addressing whether the amended contention meets the Commission's requirements for the admission of contentions wholly apart from the timing of its filing. Although Applicant does not now know how long its response addressing these two matters will be, it requests that it be allowed to file a response of up to 20 pages, which is equal to the 20 pages, combined, that the State filed for its motion and the amended contention

Applicant believes that this request is reasonable in that it will be addressing both the late filing of the amended contention and its admissibility apart from the late filing.

Counsel for Applicant has contacted counsel for the State and the NRC Staff, neither of whom objects to this request for a page extension.

Accordingly, the Applicant requests the Board that it be allowed to file a response to the "State of Utah's Request for Admission of Late-Filed Amended Utah Contention C" of up to 20 pages.

Respectfully submitted,



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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that copies of the "Joint Motion for an Extension of Time to Respond to Summary Disposition Motions on Contentions F & P," dated July 1, 1999 were served on the persons listed below (unless otherwise noted) by e-mail with conforming copies by U.S. Mail, first class, postage prepaid, this 1st day of July, 1999.

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