



NEW YORK STATE LEGISLATURE

February 17, 2017

Mr. Daniel H. Dorman
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Dear Mr. Dorman:

On Tuesday, February 28, 2017, the New York State Senate Standing Committee on Energy and Telecommunications and Assembly Standing Committee on Energy will hold a hearing to discuss the process and implications of the eventual closure of the Indian Point Nuclear Power Plant.

The Committees would very much like to have you offer testimony at this public hearing.

The hearing will be held in the Legislative Office Building, Hearing Room C, in Albany, beginning at 10 am. Oral testimony should be approximately 10 minutes in length, with time reserved for response to questions from Senators and Assemblymembers.

If you have any questions, or would like to discuss your attendance and testimony, please feel free to contact Ashley Luz at (518)455-4363 or luza@nyassembly.gov, or Emma Maceko at (518) 455-2908 or maceko@nysenate.gov.

Thank you for your consideration and assistance.

Very truly yours,

Handwritten signature of Joseph A. Griffo in black ink.

Joseph A. Griffo, Chair
Senate Standing Committee on
Energy and Telecommunications

Handwritten signature of Amy R. Paulin in black ink.

Amy Paulin, Chair
Assembly Standing Committee on Energy



SENATE STANDING COMMITTEE ON ENERGY AND TELECOMMUNICATIONS

ASSEMBLY STANDING COMMITTEE ON ENERGY

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

SUBJECT: Indian Point Nuclear Power Plant Shutdown

PURPOSE: The purpose of this hearing is to examine the potential impacts of the shutdown of the Indian Point Nuclear Power Plant.

February 28, 2017

10:00 AM

Hearing Room C

Legislative Office Building, 2nd Floor

Albany, NY 12248

ORAL TESTIMONY WILL BE BY INVITATION ONLY

On January 9th, New York State and Entergy, among other entities, entered into an agreement that provided for the permanent cessation of operations at the Indian Point Nuclear Power Plant in Buchanan, Westchester County. Indian Point is comprised of two operating nuclear powered units that generate approximately 2,000 megawatts (MW) of electric power, accounting for about 25% of New York City and Westchester's electricity. The agreement stipulates that, barring exigent circumstances, the units will cease operations no later than April 30, 2020 and April 30, 2021, respectively.

As the end of operations at Indian Point approaches, it is important that a plan is in place to address the effects of the closure, as well as future site decommissioning. The purpose of this hearing is to examine the potential impacts of the plant's closure, specifically those on electric grid reliability, jobs, and local tax revenues.

Persons invited to present pertinent testimony to the Committees at the above hearing should complete and return the enclosed reply form as soon as possible. It is important that the reply form be fully completed and returned so that persons may be notified in the event of emergency postponement or cancellation.

Oral testimony will be limited to 10 minutes' duration. In preparing the order of witnesses, the Committees will attempt to accommodate individual requests to speak at particular times in view of special circumstances. These requests should be made on the attached reply form or communicated to the Committees' staff as early as possible.

Fifteen copies of any prepared testimony should be submitted at the hearing registration desk. The Committees would appreciate advance receipt of prepared statements.

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Joseph A. Griffo
Senator
Chair
Committee on Energy and
Telecommunications

Amy R. Paulin
Member of Assembly
Chair
Committee on Energy

PUBLIC HEARING REPLY FORM

Persons invited to present testimony at the public hearing are requested to complete this reply form **as soon as possible** and mail or fax it to:

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- ☐ I plan to attend the public hearing on the Indian Point Nuclear Power Plant Shutdown to be held by the Senate Standing Committee on Energy and Telecommunications and the Assembly Standing Committee on Energy.
- ☐ I have been invited to make a public statement at the hearing. I will answer any questions that may arise. I will provide 15 copies of my prepared statement.
- ☐ I would like to be added to the Committees' mailing list for notices and reports.
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- ☐ I will require assistance and/or handicapped accessibility information. **Please specify the type of assistance required:** _____

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