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In the Matter of
Northern States Power Company, et al.
(Tyrone Energy Park, Unit 1)
Docket No. STN 50-484

Gentlemen:

Please find enclosed a copy of a news release issued on July 24, 1979, by Northern States Power Company, which announces a decision by the co-owners of Tyrone Energy Park to cancel that project.

Pending before the Atomic Safety and Licensing Board in this matter is the remand ordered by the Atomic Safety and Licensing Appeal Board in ALAB-464, 7 N.R.C. 372 (1978). Also pending before the Appeal Board in this docket is a proceeding to determine the consequences of radioactive radon gas releases attributable to the mining and milling of uranium fuel and to factor the result into the NEPA cost-benefit analysis for the nuclear power facilities in this and a number of other dockets. See Philadelphia Electric Company, et al. (Peach Bottom Atomic Power Station, Units 2 and 3), et al., ALAB-480, 7 N.R.C. 796 (1978); ALAB-509, 8 N.R.C. 679 (1978); ALAB-540 (April 25, 1979).

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In light of the decision to cancel the Tyrone Energy Park project, we respectfully request the Atomic Safety and Licensing Appeal Board to terminate the further proceedings which it has ordered in this docket.

Respectfully submitted,

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Enclosure

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