

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION
ATOMIC SAFETY AND LICENSING BOARD

Before Administrative Judges:

Paul S. Ryerson, Chairman
William J. Froehlich
Dr. Gary S. Arnold

In the Matter of

TEAM INDUSTRIAL SERVICES, INC.

(Order Imposing Civil Monetary Penalty)

Docket No. 30-35252-EA

ASLBP No. 20-964-02-EA-BD01

January 7, 2020

ORDER

(Granting Unopposed Motion to Suspend Discovery)

In its Answer to the hearing request of Team Industrial Services, Inc. (TEAM), the NRC Staff represents that the “[t]he Staff and counsel for TEAM have conferred and agree that settlement discussions may be productive.”¹ Accordingly, the Board grants the NRC Staff’s motion to suspend the issuance of a discovery schedule so that the parties can engage in settlement discussions for a period of 30 days (that is, through February 6, 2020).²

The parties are reminded that, pursuant to 10 C.F.R. § 2.338(b), they may, if they wish, jointly move this Board to request that the Chief Administrative Judge appoint a Settlement Judge to conduct settlement negotiations.

¹ NRC Staff Answer to Request for a Hearing at 1 (Jan. 6, 2020).

² Id.

If the parties are unable to settle on or before February 6, 2020, the Board will promptly set an initial case conference by telephone to discuss a schedule for discovery and further proceedings.

It is so ORDERED.

FOR THE ATOMIC SAFETY
AND LICENSING BOARD

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Paul S. Ryerson, Chairman
ADMINISTRATIVE JUDGE

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that copies of the foregoing **ORDER (Granting Unopposed Motion to Suspend Discovery)** have been served upon the following persons by Electronic Information Exchange.

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Dated at Rockville, Maryland,
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