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Honorable Helen F. Hoyt  
Administrative Judge  
Atomic Safety and Licensing Board Panel  
Nuclear Regulatory Commission  
Washington, D.C. 20555

DOCKET NUMBER 50-443,444  
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Dear Judge Hoyt:

We are in receipt of your letter of September 20, 1983, in which you inform this Board of the Atomic Safety and Licensing Board's rejection of the "Contentions of the Town of Rye Relative to Emergency Planning for New Hampshire and Town of Rye". Your reason for rejection of the contentions is a result of the permanent suspension of Mr. Guy Chichester from participation in the proceedings.

It is this Board's position that your letter of September 20, 1983, is the first indication that Mr. Chichester has been permanently barred as a representative of Rye. We feel that such a sanction is extreme and question the necessity of any sanction whatsoever. Further, this Board wishes to appeal that decision and are now formally requesting that you outline for us the necessary procedures and forms in order to process such an appeal.

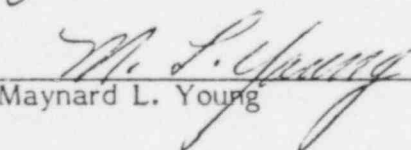
Further, it is this Board's position that given your rejection of the signature of Mr. Chichester on the Contentions the pleading was also signed by the Board of Selectmen of the Town of Rye, and the rejection of the Contentions due to Mr. Chichester's signature was unreasonable. Such a rejection gives the appearance of your lack of recognition of our signatures on the pleading. Because we consider this Board to be party to the hearings, however, we will resubmit the contentions.

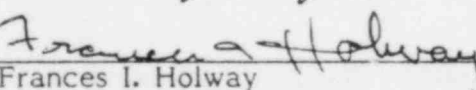
In compliance with your request, we will observe the request that the service list you forwarded be used to serve the Town of Rye's contentions upon the parties and the certificate of service will be executed by the proper town official.

Very truly yours,

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I hereby certify that copies of the October 3, 1983, letter to Honorable Helen F. Mize in the above captioned proceedings have been served on the following by deposit in the United States Mail, first class, this 5th day of October, 1983.

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