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United States Nuclear Regulatory Commission
Attention: Document Control Desk
Washington, D.C. 20555

Subject: Maine Yankee Atomic Power Company - Proposed Change
No. 174 - Emergency Core Cooling and Containment Spray
Systems.

Gentlemen

In accordance with 10 CFR 50.91(b) the State of Maine has reviewed the proposed amendment deleting the remedial action requirements of alternate train testing should the opposite train become inoperable. The State agrees that it is more prudent to maintain the operational readiness of the alternate train than to perform a test on it and force a loss of safety function for both trains during the period of the special test. Therefore, the State has no objections to the proposed change.

Respectfully yours,

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