

## UNITED STATES NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION WASHINGTON, D.C. 20555-0001

April 3, 2017

The Honorable Patrick Leahy United States Senate Washington, DC 20510

Dear Senator Leahy:

On behalf of the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC), I am responding to the March 7, 2017, letter from you and your colleagues requesting a public meeting on the proposed license transfer and forthcoming revised Post-Shutdown Decommissioning Activities Report for the Vermont Yankee Nuclear Power Plant.

The Vermont Nuclear Decommissioning Citizens Advisory Panel (NDCAP) contacted the NRC in early February with a similar request. Working with them, we have agreed to provide the public an opportunity to engage with the NRC on license transfer and decommissioning-related issues through our participation in an NDCAP-sponsored public meeting in the vicinity of Vermont Yankee. We are currently working with NDCAP to identify a suitable meeting date.

If you need any additional information, please contact me or Eugene Dacus, Director of the Office of Congressional Affairs, at (301) 415-1776.



Identical letters sent to:

The Honorable Patrick Leahy United States Senate Washington, DC 20510

The Honorable Bernard Sanders United States Senate Washington, DC 20510

The Honorable Peter Welch United States House of Representatives Washington, DC 20515