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Vermont Energy Partnership Comments on Vermont Yankee Court Decision

Montpelier, VT/February 18, 2012 – In conjunction with Attorney General William Sorrell’s announcement today that he will appeal the recent federal district court ruling on Vermont Yankee, Guy Page, Communications Director of the Vermont Energy Partnership, issued the following statement.

“This decision is disappointing. Vermont Yankee provides important benefits to Vermont in terms of electricity cost saving, jobs, and environmental benefits. It is hard working Vermonters and businesses looking to survive and expand in Vermont who are hurt by the crusade to close this important component of Vermont’s economic infrastructure.”

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The Vermont Energy Partnership (www.vtep.org) is a diverse group of more than 90 business, labor, and community leaders committed to finding clean, affordable and reliable electricity solutions. Its mission is to educate policy makers, the media, businesses, and the general public about why electricity is imperative for prosperity, and about the optimal solutions to preserve and expand our electricity network. Entergy, owner of Vermont Yankee, is a member of the Vermont Energy Partnership.