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A copy of the license renewal application for the Pilgrim Nuclear Power Station is also available to local residents near the Pilgrim Nuclear Power Station at the Plymouth Public Library, 132 South Street, Plymouth, MA 02360.

Dated at Rockville, Maryland, this 31st day of January, 2006.

For the Nuclear Regulatory Commission.

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## NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

[Docket No. 50-271]

### Entergy Nuclear Operations, Inc. Notice of Receipt and Availability of Application for Renewal of Vermont Yankee Nuclear Power Station Facility Operating License No. DPR-28 for an Additional 20-Year Period

The U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC or Commission) has received an application, dated January 25, 2006, from Entergy Nuclear Operations, Inc., filed pursuant to Section 104b (DPR-28) of the Atomic Energy Act of 1954, as amended, and 10 CFR part 54, to renew the operating license for the Vermont Yankee Nuclear Power Station. Renewal of the license would authorize the applicant to operate the facility for an additional 20-year period beyond the period specified in the current operating license. The current operating license for the Vermont Yankee Nuclear Power Station

(DPR-28) expires on March 21, 2012. The Vermont Yankee Nuclear Power Station is a Boiling Water Reactor designed by General Electric. The unit is located in Vernon, VT. The acceptability of the tendered application for docketing, and other matters including an opportunity to request a hearing, will be the subject of subsequent Federal Register notices.

Copies of the application are available for public inspection at the Commission's Public Document Room (PDR), located at One White Flint North, 11555 Rockville Pike (first floor), Rockville, Maryland, 20582 or electronically from the NRC's Agencywide Documents Access and Management System (ADAMS) Public Electronic Reading Room under accession number ML060300078. The ADAMS Public Electronic Reading Room is accessible from the NRC's Web site at <http://www.nrc.gov/reading-rm/adams.html>. In addition, the application is available at <http://www.nrc.gov/reactors/operating/licensing/renewal/applications.html>, on the NRC's Web page, while the application is under review. Persons who do not have access to ADAMS or who encounter problems in accessing the documents located in ADAMS should contact the NRC's PDR Reference staff at 1-800-397-4209, extension 301-415-4737, or by e-mail to [pdr@nrc.gov](mailto:pdr@nrc.gov).

A copy of the license renewal application for the Vermont Yankee Nuclear Power Station is also available to local residents near the Vermont Yankee Nuclear Power Station at the following four public libraries: Vernon Free Library, 567 Governor Hunt Rd, Vernon, VT 05354; Brooks Memorial Library, 224 Main Street, Brattleboro, VT 05301; Hinsdale Public Library, 122 Brattleboro Rd, Hinsdale, NH 03451; and Dickinson Memorial Library, 115 Main St, Northfield, MA 01360.

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For the Nuclear Regulatory Commission.

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## NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

[Docket No. 030-11789]

### Notice of Environmental Assessment Related to the Issuance of a License Amendment to Byproduct Material License No. 24-00196-07, for Unrestricted Release of a Facility for Saint Louis University, St. Louis, MO

**AGENCY:** Nuclear Regulatory Commission.

**ACTION:** Issuance of environmental assessment and Finding of No Significant Impact for license amendment.

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**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** The U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) is considering the issuance of an amendment to NRC Byproduct Materials License No. 24-00196-07, which is held by Saint Louis University (licensee). The amendment would authorize the unrestricted release of the licensee's former Radioactive Waste Storage Facility, located at 1008 South Spring Avenue, St. Louis, Missouri. The NRC has prepared an Environmental Assessment in support of this action in accordance with the requirements of 10 CFR part 51. Based on the Environmental Assessment, the NRC has determined that a Finding of No Significant Impact is appropriate. The amendment to Saint Louis University's license will be issued following the publication of this Environmental Assessment and Finding of No Significant Impact.

#### I. Environmental Assessment

##### Identification of Proposed Action

The proposed action would approve St. Louis University's request to amend its license and release the licensee's former waste storage facility for unrestricted use in accordance with 10 CFR part 20, subpart E. The proposed action is in accordance with the Saint Louis University's request to the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) to amend its NRC Byproduct Material License by letters dated October 31, 2005 (ADAMS Accession No. ML060180319), and January 13, 2006 (ADAMS Accession No. ML060170694). Saint Louis University is licensed as an