

STATE OF VERMONT
PUBLIC SERVICE BOARD

Docket No. 4905

Petition of Vermont Electric Power Company, Inc., for a Certificate of Public Good, pursuant to 30 V.S.A. Section 248, for authority to construct a back-to-back direct current converter terminal in Highgate, Vermont, and an associated transmission corridor in Franklin and Highgate, Vermont

Order Entered: June 11, 1984

PREHEARING CONFERENCE ORDER

A duly noticed prehearing conference was held in this Docket on June 4, 1984, at the Contois Auditorium in Burlington, Vermont. The following parties of record were established: Gerald Tarrant and Jon Anderson, counsel for the Department of Public Service; John Marshall and Elaine Kilburn, counsel for the Petitioner; William Rice, Assistant Attorney General, counsel for the Department of Agriculture; Stephen Sease, counsel for the Agency of Environmental Conservation; Hyacinth Beaulieu, representing the Town of Highgate Selectmen and the Town Planning Commission; Howard Gates and Gilbert Downing, representing the Town of Franklin Selectmen and the Town Planning Commission; John Warshow and Mathew Rubin, representing Vermont Independent Power Producers; and Stephen Walke and Ralph Howe, counsel for Vermont Public Power Supply Authority.

The Board determined the following discovery schedule for this proceeding:

June 13, 1984: All parties to file discovery
on Petitioner

June 20, 1984: VELCO to reply to discovery

June 29, 1984: Prefiled testimony of all
parties other than Petitioner
due

July 2, 1984: VELCO discovery due

July 9, 1984: Parties to reply to VELCO
discovery

Hearings will commence on Monday, July 16, 1984, in Highgate, Vermont, and continue thereafter as required. A formal notice as to the time and place of the hearings will be issued at a later date. A view will be conducted on Wednesday, June 20, 1984, commencing at 3:00 P.M. A public hearing will also be held on June 20, 1984, commencing at 7:30 P.M. at the Meeting Room, Municipal Building, Highgate, Vermont.

A hearing relating to the site preparation portion of this proceeding has been scheduled for Thursday, June 28, 1984, at 9:30 A.M., at the Conference Room of City Hall, 100 North Main Street, St. Albans, Vermont.

DATED at Montpelier, Vermont, this 11th day of June,
1984.

s/V. Louise McCarren)
s/Rosalyn Hunneman)
s/William E. Markcrow)

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FILED: June 11, 1984

ATTEST: s/Susan M. Hudson
Clerk of the Board