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U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission Regional Administrator, Region IV 611 Ryan Plaza Drive, Suite 400 Arlington, TX 76011-8064

Gentlemen:

Subject:

Resident Inspector Office Computer Access to Cooper Nuclear Station

Local Area Network

Cooper Nuclear Station, NRC Docket 50-298, DPR-46

Pursuant to a request from the Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) Senior Resident Inspector at Cooper Nuclear Station (CNS) and discussions with the Region IV Staff, Nebraska Public Power District (NPPD) hereby submits for your execution on behalf of the NRC, duplicate originals of a revised Computer Access and Operating Agreement (Agreement) between CNS and the NRC's on-site staff at CNS. Through this Agreement, NPPD and CNS intend to provide the NRC's on-site staff with access to certain of CNS computer electronic data and information to enhance the staff's ability to perform its regulatory functions in an efficient and timely manner.

The individual signing this document also certifies that he/she is authorized to sign said agreement on behalf of the NRC and can bind the NRC to the terms of the agreement. Accordingly, please sign the enclosed duplicate originals of the Agreement on behalf of the NRC and return one original to CNS, attention Assistant Licensing Manager. NPPD intends to complete the installation of the requisite hardware and associated software in the Resident Inspector's Office soon thereafter.

Should you have any questions concerning this matter, please contact me.

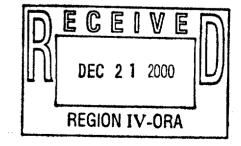
Sincerely,

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Enclosure: (Duplicate Computer Access and Operating Agreement)

cc: Senior Resident Inspector, USNRC

Senior Project Manager, USNRC - NRR Project Directorate IV-1

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Records w/enclosure

Attachment referenced in December 19, 2000 letter, John H. Swailes to Regional Administrator, is attached to January 9, 2001 letter, Ellis W. Merschoff to J. H. Swailes, ADAMS Accession Number ML010370435. This documents reflects signatures.