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NORTHERN STATES POWER COMPANY
 Monticello, Minnesota 55362

June 17, 1974

Mr. J. G. Keppler, Regional Director
 Directorate of Regulatory Operations
 Region III
 United States Atomic Energy Commission
 799 Roosevelt Road
 Glen Ellyn, Illinois 61073



Dear Mr. Keppler:

MONTICELLO NUCLEAR GENERATING PLANT
 Docket No. 50-263 License No. DPR-22

On June 14, 1974, a small leak in the No. 11 FW pump warmup line caused the plant to begin shutdown activities at approximately 1500 hours. At 0010, July 15, 1974, the reactor mode switch was placed in the STARTUP-HOT STANDBY position. The reactor remained in a hot standby condition until 0741, June 15, when the mode switch was placed in RUN and startup activities resumed following repair of the leak. During the period from 0010 to 0741, June 15, 1974, an IRM heat balance was not performed. Subsequent evaluation of the plant conditions during this period showed that all IRM's were properly calibrated and would have fulfilled their intended function.

The IRM heat balance procedure is presently being revised to alleviate this inadequacy.

Yours very truly,

C. E. Larson

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 Plant Manager

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cc: J F O'Leary, Directorate of Licensing
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 Minnesota Pollution Control Agency
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