

UNITED STATES NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

NORTHERN STATES POWER COMPANY

MONTICELLO NUCLEAR GENERATING PLANT

Docket No. 50-263

REQUEST FOR AMENDMENT TO  
OPERATING LICENSE NO. DPR-22

Revision No. 2 to License Amendment Request Dated April 3, 1984

Northern States Power Company, a Minnesota corporation, requests authorization for changes to the Technical Specifications, Appendix A to Operating License DPR-22, as shown on the attached pages.

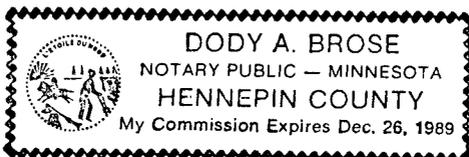
This letter contains no restricted or other defense information.

NORTHERN STATES POWER COMPANY

By *David Musolf*  
David Musolf  
Manager - Nuclear Support Services

On this 17<sup>th</sup> day of May, 1985 before me a notary public in and for said County, personally appeared David Musolf, Manager - Nuclear Support Services, and being first duly sworn acknowledged that he is authorized to execute this document on behalf of Northern States Power Company, that he knows the contents thereof and that to the best of his knowledge, information and belief, the statements made in it are true and that it is not interposed for delay.

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Revision

Delete the requirement on Page 229x of Exhibit B of our License Amendment Request Dated April 3, 1984 (revised August 17, 1984) to demonstrate a 0.1-inch water positive pressure in the control room when testing the emergency filtration treatment system in the pressurization mode. See the attached revised Page 229x.

Reason for Change

A new emergency filtration system was completed at Monticello in 1983 to meet the requirements of NUREG-0737. The original system design provided for developing a nominal 1/8-inch water pressure in the control room upon sensing high radiation. During system testing, it was determined that this pressure could not be attained since the original plant control room and portions of the administration building were not designed for extremely low leakage.

Bechtel Corporation, the plant architect-engineer and project engineer for the emergency filtration treatment system, evaluated this finding and determined that the 1/8-inch positive pressure requirement was unnecessary and that it was sufficient to demonstrate a measurable positive pressure.

The Bechtel evaluation is attached.

Significant Hazards Evaluation

The Significant Hazards Evaluation included with the August 17, 1984 submittal remains applicable with this revision.