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NORTHERN STATES POWER COMPANY

MINNEAPOLIS, MINNESOTA 55401

August 7, 1980

Mr J G Keppler
Office of Inspection & Enforcement
U S Nuclear Regulatory Commission
799 Roosevelt Road
Glen Ellyn, IL 60137

Dear Mr Keppler:

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

Failure of CV-2791 Reactor Recirculation Loop Sample
Outboard Isolation Valve to Close

The Licensee Event Report for this occurrence is reproduced on the back of this letter. Enclosed are three copies.

This event is reported in compliance with Technical Specification 6.7.B.2.b since it represents operation for a short period of time in a degraded mode permitted by the Limiting Conditions for Operation.

Yours very truly,

David M. Mayer for

L O Mayer, PE
Manager of Nuclear Support Services

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cc: Director, IE, USNRC (30)
Director, MIPC, USNRC (3)
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