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September 18, 1981

Mr R L Spessard, Director
Division of Resident and Project Inspection
U S Nuclear Regulatory Commission
Region III
799 Roosevelt Road
Glen Ellyn, Illinois 60137

Dear Mr Spessard:

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

This letter is in response to Report No. 50-263/81-15, in which it was identified that certain of our activities were found to be in non-compliance with NRC requirements. Specifically, it was reported that the key for our source storage cage was not properly checked out from the key locker, which constitutes a violation of our procedure 4ACD-3.5, "Key Control".

We agree that we violated the said procedure. The individual involved in this procedure violation has been reprimanded, and the matter has been discussed with the entire Radiation Protection Technician staff. It is felt that with this corrective action, full compliance has been achieved.

Yours truly,

L J Wachter
Vice President
Power System Operation
and Maintenance

for

D E Gilberts
Senior Vice President
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cc: Mr C H Brown
Mr G Charnoff

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UNITED STATES NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

NORTHERN STATES POWER COMPANY

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Docket No. 50-263

LETTER DATED SEPTEMBER 18, 1981
RESPONDING TO NRC LETTER DATED AUGUST 21, 1981
IE INSPECTION REPORT NO. 50-263/81-15

Northern States Power Company, a Minnesota corporation, by this letter dated September 18, 1981 hereby submits, in response to the NRC letter dated August 21, 1981, our answer to IE Inspection Report No. 50-263/81-15.

This request contains no restricted or other defense information.

NORTHERN STATES POWER COMPANY

By: *L. J. Wachter*
L J Wachter
Vice President
Power System Operation
and Maintenance

On this 18th day of September, 19 81, before me a notary public in and for said County, personally appeared L J Wachter, Vice President Power System Operation and Maintenance, 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.

Betty J. Dean

