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In the Matter of  
Northern States Power Co.  
(Prairie Island Nuclear Generating Plant Independent Spent Fuel Storage Installation)  
Docket No. 72-10-ISFSI-2; ASLBP No. 12-922-01-ISFSI-MLR-BD01

Dear Administrative Judges & Parties:

On July 1, 2015, the NRC Staff provided notice that the Staff's final Environmental Assessment had been published in the Federal Register and was available in ADAMS. Subsequently, the Staff became aware of a technical issue in ADAMS that prevented non-NRC viewers from accessing the document. This technical issue was resolved today, July 6, 2015. Therefore, the parties may now access the Environmental Assessment at ADAMS Accession Number ML15098A026. The Staff sincerely apologizes for any inconvenience caused by this issue.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

Pursuant to 10 C.F.R § 2.305, I hereby certify that copies of the foregoing "NRC STAFF LETTER TO THE ATOMIC SAFETY AND LICENSING BOARD AND PARTIES," dated July 6, 2015, have been served upon the Electronic Information Exchange, the NRC's E-Filing System, in the above captioned proceeding, this 6th day of July, 2015:

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