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U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission Attention: Document Control Desk Washington, D.C. 20555-0001

Subject:

Retraction of Relief Request for Fifth 10-Year Inservice Inspection Interval, RI5-

01, Reactor Pressure Vessel Circumferential Shell Welds Using BWRVIP-05

(TAC No. MF6337)

Cooper Nuclear Station, Docket No. 50-298, DPR-46

References: 1.

- 1. Email from Siva Lingam, Nuclear Regulatory Commission, to Jim Shaw, Nebraska Public Power District, dated September 18, 2015, "Cooper 10 CFR 50.55a Relief Request (RR) for Fifth 10-Year ISI Interval, RR RI5-01, Reactor Pressure Vessel Circumferential Shell Welds Using BWRVIP-05 (TAC No. MF6337)"
- Letter from Oscar A. Limpias, Nebraska Public Power District, to the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, dated June 9, 2015, "10 CFR 50.55a Requests for Fifth Ten-Year Inservice Inspection Interval" (ML15167A066)

Dear Sir or Madam:

The purpose of this letter is for the Nebraska Public Power District (NPPD) to retract Relief Request RI5-01, Reactor Pressure Vessel Circumferential Shell Welds Using BWRVIP-05, previously submitted by Cooper Nuclear Station in Reference 2.

After review of the Nuclear Regulatory Commission's request for additional information associated with Relief Request RI5-01 (Reference 1) and the original relief request submitted in Reference 2, NPPD has determined that the information requested is not immediately available and believe a re-write of the relief request with more current fluence and Adjusted Reference Temperature values, is necessary. NPPD is retracting Relief Request RI5-01.

This letter does not contain any new regulatory commitments.

If you have any questions concerning this matter, please contact me at (402) 825-2788.

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