



August 25, 2016  
LIC-16-0067

U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission  
Attn: Document Control Desk  
Washington, DC 20555-0001

Fort Calhoun Station, Unit No. 1  
Renewed Facility Operating License No. DPR-40  
NRC Docket No. 50-285

Reference: Letter from OPPD (T. Burke) to USNRC (Document Control Desk), "Certification of Permanent Cessation of Power Operations," dated June 24, 2016 (LIC-16-0043)

Subject: Certification of Permanent Cessation of Power Operations

The Reference letter notified the commission of Omaha Public Power District's (OPPD) decision to permanently cease operations of Fort Calhoun Station (FCS) no later than December 31, 2016, due to the economics of the facility. OPPD has completed analysis of the factors influencing the date for shutdown of FCS.

Pursuant to 10 CFR 50.82(a)(1)(i) and 10 CFR 50.4(b)(8), OPPD certifies to the NRC that it plans to permanently cease power operations at Fort Calhoun Station on October 24, 2016.

If you should have further questions, please contact Mr. Bradley H. Blome, Manager – Site Regulatory Assurance, at 402-533-7270.

I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct; executed on August 25, 2016.

Respectfully,

Timothy J. Burke  
President and CEO

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