



NORTHERN STATES POWER COMPANY

MINNEAPOLIS, MINNESOTA 55401

February 19, 1980

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

Dear Mr Keppler:

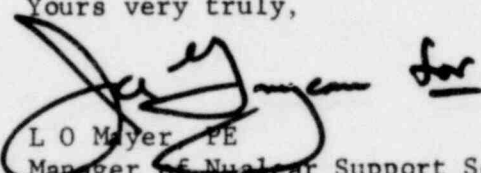
PRAIRIE ISLAND NUCLEAR GENERATING PLANT
Docket No. 50-282 License No. DPR-42

Update Report - RO 79-027

Enclosed are three copies of the Licensee Event Report and supplemental information for this occurrence.

This event is reported in compliance with Technical Specification 6.7.B.1(c).

Yours very truly,



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Manager of Nuclear Support Services

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