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PRAIRIE ISLAND NUCLEAR GENERATING PLANT
Docket No. 50-282 License No. DPR-42
Docket No. 50-306 License No. DPR-60

Amendment to Indemnity Agreement

Enclosed is a signed copy of the Prairie Island Nuclear Generating Plant Amendment No. 9 to the Indemnity Agreement No. B-60 which reflects the changes made to 10 CFR Part 140, "Financial Protection Requirements and Indemnity Agreements". The signature signifies acceptance of the amendment to Prairie Island's indemnity agreement.

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Amendment to Indemnity Agreement No. B-60
Amendment No. 9

Effective July 1, 1989, Indemnity Agreement No. B-60, between Northern States Power Company, and the Atomic Energy Commission, dated May 15, 1973 as amended, is hereby further amended as follows:

The amount "\$160,000,000" is deleted wherever it appears and the amount "\$200,000,000" is substituted therefor.

The amount "\$124,000,000" is deleted wherever it appears and the amount "\$155,000,000" is substituted therefor.

The amount "\$36,000,000" is deleted wherever it appears and the amount "\$45,000,000" is substituted therefor.

Paragraph 1, Article I is modified to read as follows:

1. "Nuclear reactor," "byproduct material," "person," "source material," "special nuclear material," and "precautionary evacuation" shall have the meanings given them in the Atomic Energy Act of 1954, as amended, and the regulations issued by the Commission.

The definition of "public liability" in paragraph 7, Article I is deleted, and the following is substituted therefor:

"Public liability" means any legal liability arising out of or resulting from a nuclear incident or precautionary evacuation (including all reasonable additional costs incurred by a State or a political subdivision of a State, in the course or responding to a nuclear incident or precautionary evacuation), except (1) claims under State or Federal Workmen's Compensation Acts of employees of persons indemnified who are employed (a) at the location or, if the nuclear incident occurs in the course of transportation of the radioactive material, on the transporting vehicle, and (b) in connection with the licensee's possession, use or transfer of the radioactive material; (2) claims arising out of an act of war; and (3) claims for loss of, or damage to, or loss of use of (a) property which is located at the location and used in connection with the licensee's possession, use, or transfer of the radioactive material, and (b) if the nuclear incident occurs in the course of transportation of the radioactive material, the transporting vehicle, containers used in such transportation, and the radioactive material.

Paragraph 4(c), Article II is revised to read as follows:

- (c) Any issue or defense based on any statute of limitations if suit is instituted within three years from the date on which the claimant first knew, or reasonably could have known, of his injury or damage and the cause thereof.

In paragraph 1, Article VIII, the amount "\$5,000,000" is deleted and the amount "\$63,000,000" is substituted therefor.

Item 2a of the Attachment to the indemnity agreement is deleted in its entirety and the following substituted therefor:

Item 2 - Amount of financial protection

a. \$1,000,000	(From 12:01 a.m., April 6, 1972, to 12 midnight, August 8, 1973, inclusive)
\$95,000,000	(From 12:01 a.m., August 9, 1973, to 12 midnight, February 28, 1974, inclusive)
\$110,000,000	(From 12:01 a.m., March 1, 1974, to 12 midnight, March 20, 1975, inclusive)
\$125,000,000	(From 12:01 a.m., March 21, 1975, to 12 midnight, April 30, 1977, inclusive)
\$140,000,000*	(From 12:01 a.m., May 1, 1977, to 12 midnight, April 30, 1979, inclusive)
\$160,000,000*	(From 12:01 a.m., May 1, 1979, to 12 midnight, June 30, 1989, inclusive)
\$200,000,000*	(From 12:01 a.m., July 1, 1989)

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*and, as of August 1, 1977, the amount available as secondary financial protection.

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