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NORTHERN STATES POWER COMPANY

MINNEAPOLIS, MINNESOTA 55401

December 3, 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

Inoperability of No. 12 Battery Charger

The Licensee Event Report for this occurrence is reproduced on the back of this letter. Enclosed are three copies.

This event is reported in compliance with Technical Specification 6.7.B.2(b) since it represents operation in a degraded mode permitted by the limiting conditions for operation.

Yours very truly,

David Musolf for

L O Mayer, PE
Manager of Nuclear Support Services

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cc: Director, IE, USNRC (30)
Director, MIPC, USNRC (3)
NRC Resident Inspector
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