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Nebraska Public Power District ATTN: Guy R. Horn, Vice President - Nuclear P.O. Box 98 Brownville, Nebraska 68321

SUBJECT: ENGINEERING PLAN FOR PERFORMANCE IMPROVEMENT

This is to acknowledge receipt of your letter and the attached "Engineering Plan For Performance Improvement," dated January 21, 1994, to Mr. J. E. Gagliardo of this office. We have no comments with respect to the adequacy of the plan until you have had an opportunity to assess engineering performance and we have had the opportunity to assess the implementation of the plan. As you are aware, we will be performing an Engineering and Technical Support Team Inspection in the near future to follow up on the subject plan.

Because of the engineering performance at Cooper Nuclear Station, we also plan to schedule periodic public meetings with you and your staff to discuss your progress in implementing the improvement plan. Normally, correspondence such as the "Engineering Plan for Performance Improvement" is forwarded to the Regional Administrator. We would request that future correspondence of this nature be so addressed.

If you have additional questions or comments, please contact me.

Sincerely,

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A. Bill Beach, Director Division of Reactor Projects

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