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Nebraska Public Power District
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Gentlemen:

Thank you for your letter dated January 26, 1983, which provided a status on your proposed management appraisal. We feel that the three firms you proposed to pursue negotiations, meet the requirements of necessary independence.

If you have any further questions on this matter or encounter any problems, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Sincerely,

"Original Signed by:
J. T. COLLINS"

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Regional Administrator

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