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Mr. J. G. Keppler, Director Region III Office of Inspection and Enforcement U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission 799 Roosevelt Road Glen Ellyn, IL 60137

Dear Mr. Keppler,

MONTICELLO NUCLEAR GENERATING PLANT Docket No. 50-263 License No. DPR-22

On October 31, 1982 a thru wall defect was found on the C 12 inch recirculation system safe end to pipe weld joint.

This occurrence is being reported in accordance with Technical Specification 6.7.B.1.c. These indications will be documented as a revision to Monticello Reportable Occurrence 82-16 which was reported September 28, 1982. A resolution is being investigated. Monticello Reportable Occurrence 82-16 has been renumbered to 82-13. All future correspondence on this event will be reported as updates to 82-13.

Yours very truly,

W.A. Shamla Plant Manager

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c: Director; Office of Management Information and Program Control File

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