Docket No. 50-263

Northern States Power Company ATTN: Mr. D. D. Antony Vice President, Nuclear Generation 414 Nicollet Mall Minneapolis, MN 55401

Dear Mr. Antony:

SUBJECT: EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS INSPECTION AT THE MONTICELLO PLANT

This refers to the routine safety inspection conducted by Mr. R. D. Jickling and Mr. J. E. Foster of this office on April 18-22, 1994. The inspection included a review of authorized activities at your Monticello facility. At the conclusion of the inspection, the findings were discussed with those members of your staff identified in the enclosed report.

Areas examined during the inspection are identified in the report. Within these areas, the inspection consisted of a selective examination of procedures and representative records, interviews, and observation of activities in progress.

No violations of NRC requirements were identified during the course of this inspection.

In accordance with 10 CFR 2.790 of the Commission's regulations, a copy of this letter and the enclosed inspection report will be placed in the NRC Public Document Room.

We will gladly discuss any questions you have concerning this inspection.

Sincerely,

"Original signed by J. W. McCormick-Barger"

J. W. McCormick-Barger, Chief Radiological Programs Section

Enclosure: Inspection Report No. 50-263/94005(DRSS)

See Attached Distribution

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