APPENDIX A

NOTICE OF VIOLATION

Nebraska Public Power District Cooper Nuclear Station Docket: 50-298/84-18 License: DPR-46

Based on the results of an NRC inspection conducted during the period of September 1-30, 1984, and in accordance with the NRC Enforcement Policy (10 CFR Part 2, Appendix C), 49 FR 8583, dated March 8, 1984, the following violation was identified:

Failure to Follow Procedure While Accomplishing Technical Specification Required Surveillance

Cooper Nuclear Station Technical Specifications, Section 6.3.1, states, "Station personnel shall be provided detailed written procedures to be used for operation and maintenance of system components and systems that could have an effect on nuclear safety." Section 6.3.2, states, in part, "Written procedures and instructions including applicable checkoff lists shall be provided and adhered to . . . "

Cooper Nuclear Station Surveillance Procedure 6.3.9.4, Revision 9, titled, "Main Steam Isolation Valves Operability Test," requires the licensee to measure the closing time of each main steam isolation valve (MSIV). The closing time is measured using a stopwatch which measures the elapsed time from full open to full closed as indicated by the open/closed position indicating lights of the MSIV under test.

Contrary to the above, on September 9, 1984, licensee personnel measured the closing time of MSIV 86A using Steam Line Steam Flow Indicator FI-88A in lieu of the affected MSIV position indicating lights.

This is a Severity Level IV Violation. (Supplement I.D) (298/8418-01)

Pursuant to the provisions of 10 CFR 2.201, Nebraska Public Power District is hereby required to submit to this office, within 30 days of the date of this Notice, a written statement or explanation in reply, including: (1) the corrective steps which have been taken and the results achieved; (2) corrective steps which will be taken to avoid further violations; and (3) the date when full compliance will be achieved. Consideration may be given to extending your response time for good cause shown.

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