Appendix

NOTICE OF VIOLATION

Northern States Power Company

Docket No. 50-263

As a result of the inspection conducted on June 25-29, 1984, and in accordance with the General Policy and Procedures for NRC Enforcement Actions, (10 CFR Part 2, Appendix C), the following violation was identified:

10 CFR 30.41 prohibits the transfer of byproduct material except as authorized therein. Transfers to nongovernmental transferors must be to persons either exempted from licensing requirements or authorized to receive such byproduct material under terms of a license issued by the AEC, NRC, or an Agreement State.

Section 27A of License No. WN-1019-2 issued to U.S. Ecology, Inc. by the State of Washington requires that all liquids received be absorbed or solidified, with free standing liquid less than 0.5% by volume.

Contrary to the above, a package containing approximately 0.75% by volume free standing liquid was shipped from the Monticello Nuclear Generating Station and received at the U.S. Ecology, Inc. Hanford, Washington burial site on April 19, 1984.

This is a Severity Level IV violation (Supplement IV).

Pursuant to the provisions of 10 CFR 2.201, you are required to submit to this office within thirty days of the date of this Notice a written statement or explanation in reply, including for each item of noncompliance: (1) corrective action taken and the results achieved; (2) corrective action to be taken to avoid further noncompliance; and (3) the date when full compliance will be achieved. Consideration may be given to extending your response time for good cause shown.

7/20/84 Dated

Emergency Preparedness and
Radiological Protection Branch