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REGION IV

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January 27, 1995

MEMORANDUM TO: James Lieberman, Director, Office of Enforcement
FROM: L. J. Callan, Regional Administrator *[Signature]*
SUBJECT: RECOMMENDED ENFORCEMENT ACTION - NEBRASKA PUBLIC POWER
DISTRICT (NPPD) & EA NO. 95-012

I am recommending the issuance of the enclosed Notice of Violation to NPPD based on violations of the licensee's Technical Specifications and 10 CFR 50.9 at the licensee's Cooper Nuclear Station (CNS) facility.

This recommendation is based on an investigation report that was issued on August 3, 1994; a November 10, 1994 Demand for Information (DFI) to the licensee (EA 94-177); the licensee's December 12, 1994 response to the DFI; and the individual responses from the members of the CNS Station Operations Review Committee (SORC) and the former Site Manager, dated December 9-12, 1994. The justification for this recommended action is described in detail in the enclosed enforcement recommendation worksheet.

This case should not be included in calculating regional timeliness statistics. It should be exempt from regional timeliness because this recommendation was made following the staff's evaluation of the licensee's and the involved individuals' DFI responses.

I am enclosing a number of documents relevant to this enforcement recommendation, including the licensee's response to my August 25, 1994 letter to NPPD that discusses NRC's concerns involving the SORC. Please contact my enforcement staff for clarification or additional information.

Enclosures:

1. Draft Enforcement Correspondence
2. Regional Recommendation Worksheet
3. NPPD letter NLS940119, dated December 23, 1994

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