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REQUESTS

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NORTHERN STATES POWER COMPANY

MINNEAPOLIS, MINNESOTA 55401

September 7, 1976

Mr Victor Stello, Director
Division of Operating Reactors
U S Nuclear Regulatory Commission
Washington, DC 20555

Dear Mr Stello:

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

License Amendment Request Dated September 7, 1976

Attached are 3 originals and 37 conformed copies of a request for change of the Technical Specifications, Appendix A of the Provisional Operating License for the Monticello Nuclear Generating Plant, Dated September 7, 1976. This request has been reviewed by the Monticello Operations Committee and the Safety Audit Committee.

The proposed change will allow the plant to remain operational at a substantial power level with only one recirculation pump in operation and the equalizer valve closed. Exhibits A and B present the proposed change to the Technical Specifications. Exhibit C presents a safety evaluation in support of the change. Your prompt review of this matter is requested.

Yours very truly,

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