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Docket No. 50-282 Docket No. 50-306

Northern States Power Company ATTN: Mr. L. R. Eliason Vice President, Nuclear Generation 414 Nicollet Mall Minneapolis, MN 55401

Dear Mr. Eliason:

The U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission recently received information concerning activities at the Prairie Island Station. Details of this concern are enclosed for your review and followup.

We request that the results of your review and disposition of this matter be submitted to Region III within 30 days of the date of this letter. We request that your response contain no personal privacy, proprietary, or safeguards information so it can be released to the public and placed in the NRC Public Document Room. If necessary, such information shall be contained in a separate attachment which will be withheld from public disclosure. The affidavit required by 10 CFR 2.790(b) must accompany your response if proprietary information is included.

The enclosure to this letter should be controlled and distribution limited to personnel with a "need to know" until your investigation of this matter has been completed and reviewed by NRC Region III. The enclosure to this letter is considered Exempt from Public Disclosure in accordance with Title 10, Code of Federal Regulations, Part 2.790(a). However, a copy of this letter, excluding the enclosure, will be placed in the NRC Public Document Rorm.

The response requested by this letter and the accompanying enclosure are not subject to the clearance procedures of the Office of Management and Budget as required by the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1980, PL 96-511.

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Your cooperation is appreciated. We will gladly discuss any questions you

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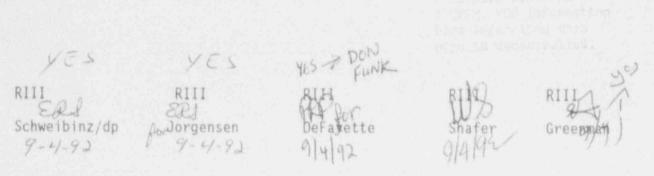
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