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

Dear Mr. Eliason:

This refers to the inspection conducted by Mr. J. H. Neisler of this office on September 14-18, 1992. The inspection included a review of authorized activities for your Prairie Island Nuclear Generating Station, Units 1 and 2. At the conclusion of the inspection, the findings were discussed with those members of your staff identified in the enclosed report. The purpose of the inspection was to examine activities relative to the Station Blackout/Electrical System Upgrade modification, cooling water header modification and the independent spent fuel storage installation (ISFSI).

Areas examined during the inspection are identified in the report. Within these areas, the inspection consisted of selective examinations of procedures, representative records, observation of activities and interviews with personnel.

No violations of NRC requirements were identified during the course of this inspection.

In accordance with 10 CFR 2.790 of the Commission's regulations, a copy of this letter and the enclosed inspection report will be placed in the NRC Public Document Room.

We will gladly discuss any questions you have concerning this inspection.

Sincerely,

Original Signed by Mark A. Ring

M. A. Ring, Chief
Engineering Branch

Enclosure: Inspection Reports
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