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Docket No. 50-285

Mr. R. L. Andrews  
Division Manager, Nuclear Production  
Omaha Public Power District  
1623 Harney Street  
Omaha, Nebraska 68102

Dear Mr. Andrews:

By letter dated May 30, 1984, you provided updated information in regard to the Fort Calhoun flux reduction program. We have reviewed the information presented and we conclude that the methods used are acceptable. We also conclude that the Fort Calhoun reactor vessel will reach the NRC screening criteria before the expiration date of the license. Our current estimate for reaching the screening criteria is the year 1996. Our technical evaluation is enclosed. This completes our review effort at this time.

It should be noted that a part of our evaluation states that you are now beginning Cycle 8 operation. We acknowledge that you are currently into Cycle 9 operation.

Please contact us if you have any questions concerning this letter.

Sincerely,

Original signed by:

James R. Miller, Chief  
Operating Reactors Branch #3  
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Technical Evaluation

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