## UNITED STATES ATOMIC EWERGY COMMISSION

## DOCKET NO. 50-263

## NORTHERN STATES POWER COMPANY

## NOTICE OF ISSUANCE OF AMENDMENT TO PROVISIONAL OPERATING LICENSE

Notice is hereby given that the U. S. Atomic Energy Commission (the Commission) has issued Amendment No. 6 to Provisional Operating License No. DPR-22 issued to the Northern States Power Company (the licensee) which revised the quantity of byproduct material the licensee may use in connection with operation of the Monticello Nuclear Generating Plant, located in Wright County, Minnesota. The amendment is effective as of its date of issuance.

The amendment authorizes the licenses to possess and use 250 millicuries of krypton 85 for calibration of the continuous air monitor at the reactor building vent to verify industry data.

The application for the amendment complies with the standards and requirements of the Atomic Energy A.c of 1954, as amended (the Act), and the Commission's rules and regulations. The Commission has made appropriate findings as required by the Act and the Commission's rules and regulations in 10 CFR Chapter I, which are set forth in the license amendment.

For further details with respect to this action, see (1) the application for amendment dated July 8, 1974, (2) Amendment No. 6 to License No. DPR-22, and (3) the Commission's concurrently issued Safety

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Evaluation. All of these items are available for public inspection at the Commission's Public Document Room, 1717 H Street, N. W., Washington, D. C. and at the Environmental Library of Minnesota, 1222 S. E. 4th Street, Minneapolis, Minnesota 55414. A copy of items (2) and (3) may be obtained upon request addressed to the U. S. Atomic Energy Commission, Washington, D. C. 20545, Attention, Deputy Director for Reactor Projects, Directorate of Licensing - Regulation.

Dated at Bethesda, Maryland, this 20th day of August, 1974.

FOR THE ATOMIC ENERGY COMMISSION

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