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Docket No. 50-263

Warren R. Lawson, M. D. Secretary & Executive Officer State Department of Health University Campus Minneapolis, Minnesota 55440

Dear Dr. Lawson:

By letter dated October 29, 1974, we informed you of the November 6, 1974 convening of a hearing on the issuance of a full-term operating license to the Northern States Power Company for the Monticello Nuclear Generating Plant. The starting date of the hearing has been changed to November 12, 1974. A copy of the October 30 order postponing the hearing is enclosed for your information.

Sincerely,

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Dennis L. Ziemann, Chief Operating Reactors Branch #2 Directorate of Licensing

Enclosure: Order

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UNITED STATES OF AMERICA ATOMIC ENERGY COMMISSION

BEFORE THE ATOMIC SAFETY AND LICENSING BOARD In the Matter of) NORTHERN STATES POWER COMPANY) Docket No. 50-263 (Monticello Nuclear Generating Plant)

ORDER POSTPONING STARTING DATE OF EVIDENTIARY HEARING FROM NOVEMBER 6 TO NOVEMBER 12, 1974.

Following receipt of a telephonic communication today from counsel for the AEC Regulatory Staff respecting a change in circumstances involving the scheduling of witnesses of both the Staff and Minnesota Pollution Control Agency, advising a change in the late from November 6, to November 12, 1974, for the couve ng of the hearing in the above-identified proceeding, and being advised by Staff counsel that attorneys for the other parties have no objection, the Board has granted th postponement requested.

1/ In the Matter of Northern States Power Company (Monticello Nuclear Generating Plant, Unit 1) Board's "Notice and Order Convening Evidentiary Hearing" published October 10, 1974 (39 Fed. Reg. 36503).

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WHEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED, in accordance with the Atomic Energy Act, as amended, and the Rules of Practice of the Commission, the evidentiary hearing is postponed from November 6, 1974, and in lieu thereof shall convene at 10:00 a.m., local time on Tuesday, November 12, 1974, in Courtroom No. 4, United States Federal Courthouse, 316 North Roberts Street, Saint Paul, Minnesota 55101.

FOR THE ATOMIC SAFETY AND LICENSING BOARD

Robert M. Lazo

Issued at Bethesda, Maryland this 30th day of October, 1974.

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