



Northern States Power Company

Monticello Nuclear Generating Plant
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MONTICELLO NUCLEAR GENERATING PLANT
Docket No. 50-263 License No. DPR-22

Affidavit for License Amendment Request Dated November 25, 1996
Safety Limit Minimum Critical Power Ratio

Attached is a properly signed dated and stamped Affidavit pertaining to the License Amendment Request dated November 25, 1996 titled Safety Limit Minimum Critical Power Ratio. The November 25, 1996 submittal was properly witnessed, but not stamped.

Please contact Sam Shirey (612-295-1449) if you require further information related to this submittal.

William J Hill
Plant Manager
Monticello Nuclear Generating Plant

c: Regional Administrator-III, NRC
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Resident Inspector, NRC
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Attachments: Affidavit to the US Nuclear Regulatory Commission

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NORTHERN STATES POWER COMPANY
MONTICELLO NUCLEAR GENERATING PLANT

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REQUEST FOR AMENDMENT TO
OPERATING LICENSE DPR-22

LICENSE AMENDMENT REQUEST DATED November 25, 1996

Northern States Power Company, a Minnesota corporation, requests authorization for changes to Appendix A of the Monticello Operating License as shown on the attachments labeled Exhibits A, B, and C. Exhibit A describes the proposed changes, describes the reasons for the changes, and contains a Safety Evaluation, a Determination of Significant Hazards Consideration and an Environmental Assessment. Exhibit B contains current Technical Specification pages marked up with the proposed changes. Exhibit C is a copy of the Monticello Technical Specifications incorporating the proposed changes.

This letter contains no restricted or other defense information.

NORTHERN STATES POWER COMPANY

By *William J Hill*

William J Hill
Plant Manager
Monticello Nuclear Generating Plant

On this 12th day of December 1996 before me a notary public in and for said County, personally appeared William J Hill, Plant Manager, Monticello Nuclear Generating Plant, and being first duly sworn acknowledged that he is authorized to execute this document on behalf of Northern States Power Company, that he knows the content thereof, and that to the best of his knowledge, information, and belief the statements made in it are true and that it is not interposed for delay.

Samuel I. Shirey

Samuel I. Shirey
Notary Public - Minnesota
Sherburne County
My Commission Expires January 31, 2000

