

APPENDIX A

NOTICE OF VIOLATION

Omaha Public Power District
Fort Calhoun

Docket: 50-285
Operating License: DRP-40

During an NRC inspection conducted on August 22-26, 1988, violations of NRC requirements were identified. The violations involved the failure to take prompt corrective action in response to an NRC-identified concern and failure to have adequate emergency lighting. In accordance with the "General Statement of Policy and Procedure for NRC Enforcement Actions," 10 CFR Part 2, Appendix C (1988), the violations are listed below:

A. Failure to Take Prompt Corrective Action

Criterion XVI of Appendix B of 10 CFR Part 50, and the licensee's approved quality assurance program require that measures be established to assure that conditions adverse to quality are promptly identified and corrected.

Contrary to the above, the licensee was notified in July 1987 by an NRC inspector of a potential degradation of a seismic gap fire seal due to the intrusion of tendon grease. As of August 1988, although compensatory measures were in place, the licensee had not analyzed the functional capability of this seal nor stopped the intrusion of tendon grease.

This is a Severity Level IV violation. (Supplement I) (285/8828-01)

B. Inadequate Emergency Lighting

Section III.J of Appendix R to 10 CFR Part 50 states that "Emergency lighting units with at least an 8-hour battery power supply shall be provided in all areas needed for operation of safe shutdown equipment and in access and egress routes thereto."

Contrary to the above, there was not adequate emergency lighting in the control room corridor used by operators when a fire causes evacuation of the control room.

This is a Severity Level IV violation. (Supplement I)(265/8828-02)

Pursuant to the provision of 10 CFR Part 2.201, Omaha Public Power District is hereby required to submit to this office, within 30 days of the date of the letter transmitting this Notice, a written statement or explanation in reply, including for each violation: (1) the reason for the violation if admitted,

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(2) the corrective steps that have been taken and the results achieved, (3) the corrective steps that will be taken to avoid further violations, and (4) the date when full compliance will be achieved. Where good cause is shown, consideration will be given to extending the response time.

Dated at Arlington, Texas
this 23rd day of September 1988.