In Reply Refer To: Docket: 50-285/88-27

Omaha Public Power District ATTN: Mr. Kenneth J. Morris Division Manager - Nuclear Operations 1623 Harney Street Omaha, Nebraska 68102

Gentlemen:

This refers to the inspection conducted by Messrs. P. H. Harrell and T. Reis of this office during the period August 1-31, 1988, of activities authorized by NRC Operating License DPR-40 for the Fort Calhoun Station, and to the discussion of our findings with Mr. W. G. Gates and other members of your staff at the conclusion of the inspection.

Areas examined during the inspection included followup on previously identified items, licensee event report followup, operational safety verification, plant tours, safety-related system walkdown, monthly maintenance observations, monthly surveillance observations, security observations, radiological protection observations, in-office review of periodic and special reports, and review of licensee activities related to the instrument air water intrusion event. Within these areas, the inspection consisted of selective examination of procedures and representative records, interviews with personnel, and observations by the NRC inspectors. The inspection findings are documented in the enclosed inspection report.

Within the scope of the inspection, no violations or deviations were identified.

We have also examined actions you have taken with regard to previously identified inspection findings. The status of these items is identified in paragraph 3 of the enclosed report.

Should you have any questions concerning this inspection, we will be pleased to discuss them with you.

Sincerely,

Original Signed By: L. J. CALLAN

L. J. Callan, Director Division of Reactor Projects

Enclosure: (see next page)

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Enclosure: Appendix - NRC Inspection Report 50-285/88-27

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