

January 27, 1998

Mr. M. Wadley, Vice President  
Nuclear Generation  
Northern States Power Company  
414 Nicollet Mall  
Minneapolis, MN 55401

SUBJECT: NOTICE OF VIOLATION (NRC INSPECTION REPORT NO. 50-263/97015(DRP))

Dear Mr. Wadley:

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Sincerely,

/s J. W. McCormick-Barger

J. W. McCormick-Barger, Chief  
Reactor Projects Branch 7

Docket No. 50-263

cc: Plant Manager, Monticello  
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