In Reply Refer To: Docket: 50-298/86-25

Nebraska Public Power District ATTN: J. M. Pilant, Manager, Technical Staff-Nuclear Power Group P. O. Box 499 Columbus, Nebraska 68601

## Gentlemen:

This refers to the inspection conducted by Mr. C. A. Hackney of this office during the period September 22-26, 1986, of activities authorized by NRC Operating License DPR-46, for Cooper Nuclear Station, and to the discussion of our findings with Mr. G. Horn and other members of your staff at the conclusion of the inspection.

Areas examined during the inspection included the implementation of the emergency plan and procedures during the annual exercise. Within these areas, the inspection consisted of selective examination of procedures and representative records, interviews with personnel, and observations by the inspector. The inspection findings are documented in the enclosed inspection report.

The enclosed report identifies three deficiencies in your emergency preparedness program observed during the emergency exercise. It is requested that within 30 days after receipt of this letter you provide this office with a schedule for correcting these deficiencies.

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 section 2 of the enclosed report.

The response directed by this letter is not subject to the clearance procedures of the Office of Management and Budget as required by the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1980, PL 96-511.

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

Sincerely,

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Enclosure: Appendix - NRC Inspection Report 50-298/86-25

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