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In Reply Refer To:
Docket: 50-285/87-13

Omaha Public Power District
ATTN: R. L. Andrews, Division Manager-
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Gentlemen:

This refers to the inspection conducted by Messrs. P. H. Harrell, L. D. Gilbert, and R. P. Mullikin of this office during the period May 1-31, 1987, 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 operational safety verification, maintenance, surveillance, plant tours, safety-related system walkdown, security observations, radiological protection observations, in-office review of periodic and special reports, followup on previously identified items, followup on allegations related to welding, review of the program for installation of heat-shrinkable tubing, review of licensee actions related to reactor vessel transient protection, verification of containment integrity, review of modification testing for installation of a containment equipment storage platform, review of the licensed operator training program, and containment local leak rate testing. 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.

During this inspection, it was found that certain of your activities were in violation of NRC requirements. Consequently, you are required to respond to this violation, in writing, in accordance with the provisions of Section 2.201 of the NRC's "Rules of Practice," Part 2, Title 10, Code of Federal Regulations. Your response should be based on the specifics contained in the Notice of Violation enclosed with this letter.

We have also examined actions you have taken with regard to previously identified inspection findings. The status of these items is identified in paragraph 2 of the enclosed report. During review of these items, it was noted that three previously identified unresolved items related to the licensed operator training program could not be closed due to inadequate implementation of corrective actions. For this reason, it is requested that you provide a response, within 30 days of the date of this letter, to the three unresolved items discussed in paragraph 16 of the enclosed inspection report. Your response should include actions you intend to take to satisfactorily resolve the items, and the date when your actions will be completed.

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The response directed by this letter and the accompanying Notice 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.

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

Sincerely,

Original Signed By
R. E. HALL

for J. E. Gagliardo, Chief
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Enclosures:
1. Appendix A - Notice of Violation
2. Appendix B - NRC Inspection Report
   50-285/87-13

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