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**ENCLOSURE 3 CONTAINS PROPRIETARY INFORMATION
WITHHOLD FROM PUBLIC DISCLOSURE IN ACCORDANCE WITH 10 CFR 2.390(b)(4)**

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Technical Specification 5.6.3

ATTN: Document Control Desk
US Nuclear Regulatory Commission
Washington, DC 20555-0001

Monticello Nuclear Generating Plant
Docket No. 50-263
Renewed Facility Operating License No. DPR-22

Submittal of Core Operating Limits Report for Cycle 31

Northern States Power Company, a Minnesota corporation, doing business as Xcel Energy (hereafter "NSPM"), is providing in accordance with Technical Specification (TS) 5.6.3, "Core Operating Limits Report (COLR)," a revised COLR for the Monticello Nuclear Generating Plant (MNGP). The COLR provides the cycle-specific values of the limits established using U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) approved methodologies such that the applicable limits of the plant safety analysis are met.

Enclosure 1 provides a non-proprietary version of the MNGP COLR for Cycle 31 (NAD-MN-047NP, Revision 0). The proprietary version of the COLR contains information of the type that Global Nuclear Fuel (GNF) maintains in confidence and withholds from public disclosure. Enclosure 2 provides an executed affidavit from GNF-A. The affidavit sets forth the basis on which the information may be withheld from public disclosure by the NRC and addresses with specificity the considerations listed in 10 CFR 2.390, "Public inspections, exemptions, requests for withholding." Enclosure 3 provides the proprietary version of the COLR for Cycle 31 (NAD-MN-047P, Revision 0).

The enclosed documentation contains proprietary information as defined by 10 CFR 2.390. GNF, as the owner of the proprietary information, has executed the enclosed affidavit, which identifies that the enclosed proprietary information has been handled and classified as proprietary, is customarily held in confidence, and has been withheld from public disclosure. The proprietary information was provided to Monticello Nuclear Generating Plant in a GNF transmittal that is referenced by the affidavit. The proprietary information has been faithfully reproduced in the enclosed documentation such that the affidavit remains applicable. GNF hereby requests that the enclosed proprietary information be withheld from public disclosure in accordance with the provisions of 10 CFR 2.390 and 10 CFR 9.17, "Agency records exempt from public disclosure." A non-proprietary version of the documentation also is provided.

Summary of Commitments

This letter makes no new commitments and no revisions to existing commitments.

Should you have questions regarding this letter, please contact Mr. David Gerads at (612) 669-4741(cell) or 763-295-1046 (work).

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Enclosure (3)

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