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- References:
1. Docket No. 50-285
  2. Letter from OPPD (S. K. Gambhir) to NRC (Document Control Desk), dated October 26, 1998 (LIC-98-0133)
  3. Letter from OPPD (S. K. Gambhir) to NRC (Document Control Desk), dated November 10, 1998 (LIC-98-0151)
  4. NRC Generic Letter 99-02: "Laboratory Testing of Nuclear-Grade Activated Charcoal," dated June 3, 1999
  5. Letter from OPPD (S. K. Gambhir) to NRC (Document Control Desk), dated August 2, 1999 (LIC-99-0068)
  6. Letter from OPPD (S. K. Gambhir) to NRC (Document Control Desk), dated October 8, 1999 (LIC-99-0091)

**SUBJECT: Change of Commitment Date for Licensee Event Reports 1998-012, Rev. 1 and 1998-013, Rev. 0**

Omaha Public Power District (OPPD) submitted Licensee Event Reports (LER) 1998-013, Revision 0 and 1998-012, Revision 1 via References 2 and 3, respectively. These LERs contained a common regulatory commitment (Corrective Action 2 for both LERs) involving recalculation and reverification (i.e., upgrade) of the Fort Calhoun Station (FCS) radiological consequences analyses. The completion date for this commitment was originally scheduled for October 29, 1999.

Generic Letter (GL) 99-02, *Laboratory Testing of Nuclear-Grade Activated Charcoal*, was issued on June 3, 1999. OPPD provided responses to GL 99-02 via References 5 and 6. During an OPPD-NRC meeting on August 17, 1999, OPPD discussed the GL 99-02 detailed project plan to address required maintenance and testing of each applicable activated charcoal unit at FCS. Some licensing actions to be included in the project plan are dependent on completion of the upgrade of the radiological consequences analyses. Also, issues raised by GL 99-02 have lengthened the schedule for completion of the radiological consequences analyses. Therefore, OPPD discussed at the August 17 meeting the integration of the radiological consequences analyses upgrade with the GL 99-02 project plan.

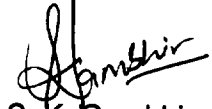
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Accordingly, OPPD plans to incorporate within the GL 99-02 project plan, which is under development, a revised date for completing the radiological consequences analyses upgrade (Corrective Action 2 in the subject LERs). As noted in Reference 5, this project plan will be submitted to the NRC by November 29, 1999.

Please contact me if you have any questions.

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