



Nebraska Public Power District
Nebraska's Energy Leader

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

In the Matter of)	
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Nebraska Public Power District)	Docket No. 50-298
)	
Cooper Nuclear Station,)	
License No. DPR-46)	

LICENSEE'S ANSWER TO FEBRUARY 25, 2002
COMMISSION ORDER TO MODIFY LICENSE FOR
INTERIM SAFEGUARDS AND SECURITY MEASURES

On February 25, 2002, the Nuclear Regulatory Commission ("NRC" or "Commission") issued an immediately effective order in the captioned matter entitled Order Modifying Licenses (Effective Immediately) ("Order") to, *inter alia*, Nebraska Public Power District. The Order stated that following September 11, 2001, the Commission took a number of actions, including the commencement of a comprehensive review of its safeguards and security programs and requirements. The Commission stated its determination that certain compensatory measures should be required to be implemented by licensees as prudent, interim measures to address the generalized high-level threat environment in a consistent manner throughout the nuclear reactor community. Therefore, the NRC stated it was imposing requirements as set forth in Attachment 2 of the Order.¹ Nebraska Public Power District has responded to the substantive requirements of the Order by letter dated March 18, 2002, in accordance with the provisions of 10 C.F.R. § 50.4, as directed by the Order.²

¹ Attachment 2 contained Safeguards Information and was not publicly released.

² The attachment to that letter was transmitted as Safeguards Information.

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In accordance with Section IV of the Order and 10 C.F.R. § 2.202, Nebraska Public Power District hereby submits its answer to the Order. Nebraska Public Power District consents to the Order and specifically does not request a hearing.

Respectfully submitted,



Nebraska Public Power District
David L. Wilson
Vice President of Nuclear Energy

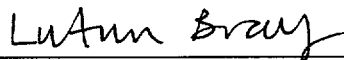
STATE OF NEBRASKA)
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NEMAHA COUNTY)

David L. Wilson, being first duly sworn, deposes and says that he is an authorized representative of the Nebraska Public Power District, a public corporation and political subdivision of the State of Nebraska; that he is duly authorized to submit this correspondence on behalf of Nebraska Public Power District; and that the statements contained herein are true to the best of his knowledge and belief.

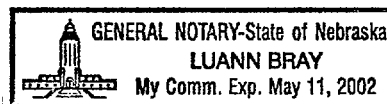


David L. Wilson

Before me,



Notary Public



My Commission Expires: 5-11-2002

Subscribed in my presence and sworn to before me this 18th day of March, 2002.