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NRC TO MEET WITH NPPD TO DISCUSS SAFETY PERFORMANCE AT COOPER NUCLEAR STATION

The U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission staff will meet with representatives of Nebraska Public Power District on Tuesday, April 2, to discuss the results of the agency's annual assessment of safety performance at the Cooper Nuclear Station. The facility is located near Brownville, Nebraska, and is operated by NPPD.

The meeting, which will be open to the public for observation, is scheduled to begin at 7 p.m. at the Brownville Concert Hall, Atlantic Ave. & 2nd St., Brownville. NRC staff will be available before the meeting is adjourned to answer any questions from the public.

A letter sent from NRC Region IV to NPPD addresses plant performance during the period April 1 to December 31, 2001, and will serve as the basis for the meeting discussion. It is available on the NRC web site at: http://www.nrc.gov/NRR/OVERSIGHT/ASSESS/LETTERS/cns_2001q4.pdf.

Current performance information for Cooper Nuclear Station is available on the NRC web site at: http://www.nrc.gov/NRR/OVERSIGHT/ASSESS/CNS/cns_chart.html.

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