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SUBJECT: FINAL SUPPLEMENT 26 TO THE GENERIC ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT  
STATEMENT FOR LICENSE RENEWAL OF NUCLEAR PLANTS REGARDING  
MONTICELLO NUCLEAR GENERATING PLANT (TAC NO. MC6441)

Dear Sir or Madam:

The following documents are enclosed for official filing with the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency:

1. Five copies of the final Supplement 26 to NUREG-1437, "Generic Environmental Impact Statement for License Renewal of Nuclear Plants (GEIS)," regarding the license renewal of Monticello Nuclear Generating Plant.
2. Five copies of the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission's (NRC) distribution list for the final Supplement 26 to NUREG-1437.

Simultaneously with this filing, a copy of the final Supplement 26 is being mailed to interested Federal and State agencies, industry organizations, interest groups, and members of the public. A copy of this document also has been placed in the NRC's Agencywide Documents Access and Management System (ADAMS). ADAMS is located on the NRC's Web site at <http://www.nrc.gov/reading-rm/adams/web-based.html>. The accession number for the final Supplement 26 to the GEIS is ML062490078.

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The draft Supplement 26 to NUREG-1437 was forwarded to you on January 23, 2006. If further information is required, please contact Ms. Jennifer A. Davis, Environmental Project Manager, by telephone at 301-415-3835 or by e-mail at [jxd10@nrc.gov](mailto:jxd10@nrc.gov).

Sincerely,

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