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| FROM (Name and unit) W. E. Vetter RO:III | REMARKS Attached is a copy of licensee's adequate reply dated 6/22/73 to Bulletin No. 72-3. | | | |
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NORTHERN STATES POWER COMPANY
Minneapolis, Minnesota 55362

June 22, 1973

Mr. Boyce Grier, Regional Director
Directorate of Regulatory Operations, Region III
United States Atomic Energy Commission
799 Roosevelt Road
Glen Ellyn, Illinois 60137

Dear Mr. Grier:

MONTICELLO NUCLEAR GENERATING PLANT
Docket No. 50-263 License No. DPR-22

Correction of Response to
Regulatory Operations Bulletin No. 72-3

During the recent refueling outage all Limitorque valve operators at the Monticello Nuclear Generating Plant were inspected to verify information previously reported in our January 19, 1973, letter which was submitted in response to Regulatory Operations Bulletin No. 72-3. The previous information, which was based on a review of purchase records, was found to be incorrect.

It has been determined that 12 unit size SMB-00 and 22 unit size SMB-000 valve operators are installed at Monticello. However, only two of these are of the vintage described in the bulletin. These two operators are installed in the main turbine steam seal system. Although no malfunctions have been experienced, the torque switches for these two operators will be replaced prior to the end of the next refueling outage.

Yours very truly,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "L. J. Wachter".

L. J. Wachter, Vice President
Power Production & System Operations

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cc: G Charnoff
Minnesota Pollution Control Agency
Attn: K Dzugan