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Northern States Power Company  
ATTN: Mr. Arthur V. Dienhart  
Vice President, Engineering  
414 Nicollet Mall  
Minneapolis, Minnesota 55401

Gentlemen:

We have received the "Environmental Report" discussing environmental considerations related to the operation of the Monticello Nuclear Generating Plant. A related notice, which is being transmitted to the Office of the Federal Register, is enclosed.

Sincerely,

Original Signed by  
Roger S. Boyd

Roger S. Boyd, Assistant Director  
for Boiling Water Reactors  
Division of Reactor Licensing

Enclosure:  
Federal Register Notice

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## FEDERAL REGISTER NOTICE

Two signed originals of a Federal Register Notice and accompanying summary statement identified as follows are enclosed for your transmittal to the Office of the Federal Register for filing and publication:

### NORTHERN STATES POWER COMPANY

### NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY OF APPLICANT'S ENVIRONMENTAL REPORT

Twelve additional conformed copies of the notice and one copy of the summary statement are enclosed for your use.

Original signed by  
Donald F. Knuth

Donald F. Knuth, Chief  
Boiling Water Reactor Br. No. 1  
Division of Reactor Licensing

Enclosure:  
As stated

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Minnesota State Planning Agency  
Suite 603  
550 Cedar Street  
St. Paul, Minnesota 55101

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Gentlemen:

The document identified below which has been submitted in connection with Northern States Power Company's license to operate the Monticello Nuclear Generating Plant is enclosed.

This information is to be made available to Federal, State and local officials and the public in accordance with procedures set out in the Office of Management and Budget Circular No. A-95 (Revised), and the Commission's regulations in Appendix D of 10 CFR Part 50.

We appreciate your assistance in making these documents available to the public.

Sincerely,

Original Signed by  
Roger S. Boyd

Roger S. Boyd, Assistant Director  
for Boiling Water Reactors  
Division of Reactor Licensing

Enclosure:

Northern States Power Company -  
Environmental Report, dated 11/3/71

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UNITED STATES ATOMIC ENERGY COMMISSION

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NORTHERN STATES POWER COMPANY

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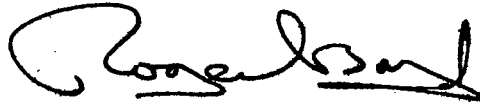
Pursuant to the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969 and the Atomic Energy Commission's regulations in Appendix D to 10 CFR Part 50, notice is hereby given that a report entitled "Environmental Report", dated November 3, 1971, by the Northern States Power Company is being placed in the Commission's Public Document Room at 1717 H Street, N.W., Washington, D. C., and in the Environmental Resource Center, Minneapolis Public Library, 1222 S.E. 4th Street, Minneapolis, Minnesota 55414. The report is also being made available to the public at the office of the Minnesota State Planning Agency, Suite 603, 550 Cedar Street, St. Paul, Minnesota 55101.

This report discusses environmental considerations related to the operation of the Monticello Nuclear Generating Plant located in Wright and Sherburne Counties, Minnesota. After the report has been analyzed by the Commission's Director of Regulation or his designee, a draft detailed statement of environmental considerations related to the proposed action will be prepared. Upon preparation of the draft detailed statement, the Commission will, among other things, cause to be published in the FEDERAL REGISTER a summary notice of availability of the draft detailed

statement. The summary notice will request comments from interested persons on the proposed action and on the draft statement. The summary notice will also contain a statement to the effect that the comments of Federal agencies and State and local officials thereon will be available when received.

Dated at Bethesda, Maryland, this 17<sup>th</sup> day of January, 1972.

FOR THE ATOMIC ENERGY COMMISSION

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "Roger S. Boyd", is written over the typed name.

Roger S. Boyd, Assistant Director  
for Boiling Water Reactors  
Division of Reactor Licensing