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Systematic Assessment of Licensee Performance Report 50-285/85-07 mailed to you
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FACILITY: Fort Calhoun Station, Unit No. 1
LICENSEE: Omaha Public Power District
EVALUATION PERIOD: September 1, 1983 to February 28, 1985
PROJECT MANAGER: Ed Tourigny

I. INTRODUCTION:

This report contains NRR's input to the SALP review for the Fort Calhoun Station, Unit No. 1. The assessment of the licensee's performance was conducted according to NRR Office Letter No. 44, NRR Inputs to SALP Process, dated January 3, 1984. This Office Letter incorporates NRC Manual Chapter 0516, Systematic Assessment of Licensee Performance.

II. SUMMARY

NRC Manual Chapter 0516 specifies that each functional area evaluated will be assigned a performance category (Category 1, 2 or 3) based on a composite of a number of attributes. The performance of the Omaha Public Power District in the functional area of Licensing Activities is rated Category 1

III. CRITERIA

The evaluation criteria used in this assessment are given in NRC Manual Chapter 0516 Appendix, Table 1, Evaluation Criteria with Attributes for Assessment of Licensee Performance.

IV. METHODOLOGY

This evaluation represents the integrated inputs of the Operating Reactor Project Manager (ORPM) and those technical reviewers who expended significant amounts of effort on the Fort Calhoun Station licensing actions during the current rating period. Using the guidelines of NRC Manual Chapter 0516, the ORPM and each reviewer applied specific evaluation criteria to the relevant licensee performance attributes, as delineated in Chapter 0516, and assigned an overall rating category (1, 2 or 3) to each attribute. The reviewers included this information as part of Safety Evaluation Reports transmitted to the Division of Licensing. The ORPM, after reviewing the inputs of the technical reviewers, combined this information with his own assessment of licensee performance and, using appropriate weighting factors, arrived at a composite rating for the licensee. This rating also reflected the comments of the NRR Senior Executive assigned to the Fort Calhoun Station, Unit No. 1 SALP assessment. A written evaluation was then prepared by the ORPM and circulated to NRR management for comments which were incorporated in the final draft.

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Technical Supervisor. This change allowed the QC personnel to have a higher level of independence from the maintenance department. The plant's technical specifications were amended during the evaluation period to reflect these new initiatives.

The licensee also implemented new staffing initiatives in their corporate headquarters to further support the Fort Calhoun Station staff. As an example, additional resources were devoted to handle licensing issues.

Based on the above considerations, a rating of category 1 is assigned to this attribute.

VI. CONCLUSION

A complete performance rating of category 1 has been assigned by the NRR SALP evaluation effort for the rating period.