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Mr Victor Stello, Director
Division of Operating Reactors
U S Nuclear Regulatory Commission
Washington, DC 20555

Dear Mr Stello:

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

License Amendment Request Dated April 15, 1977

Attached are three originals and 37 conformed copies of a request for a change of Technical Specifications, Appendix A of the Provisional Operating License for the Monticello Nuclear Generating Plant. This change request has been reviewed by the Monticello Operations Committee and the Safety Audit Committee.

These proposed changes revise the Technical Specifications covering the containment water volume and differential pressure instrumentation in response to a February 4, 1977 letter from Mr K R Goiler, USNRC. Changes on a related subject proposed in our License Amendment Request Dated November 5, 1976 have been incorporated so as to supercede that document.

We have determined that these changes do not involve an unreviewed safety question.

Yours very truly,

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