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Monticello Nuclear Generating Plant
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Monticello, Minnesota 55362-9637

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

Inservice Inspection (ISI) Examination
Summary Report - Refueling Outage No. 18

Enclosed for your information is the Inservice Inspection (ISI) examination summary report for the 1996 Monticello refueling outage (Refueling Outage No. 18). The 1996 outage inspection represented the second period of Monticello's third 10-year ISI interval.

The enclosed report identifies components examined, the examination methods used, the examination number, and summarizes the results. The examination plan focused on: 1) the pressure retaining components and their supports associated with the reactor coolant system and associated systems classified as ASME Classes 1 and 2; 2) reactor vessel examination; 3) system pressure testing; and 4) snubber inservice testing. All anomalies were either corrected or an engineering evaluation was performed to accept "as-is" conditions.

This submittal contains no new NRC commitments, nor does it modify any prior commitments.

Please contact Sam Shirey, Sr Licensing Engineer, at (612) 295-1449 if you require additional information related to this request.

William J Hill

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MONTICELLO NUCLEAR GENERATING PLANT

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From **Tin Tran**
To **Sam Shirey**

Date **July 25, 1996**
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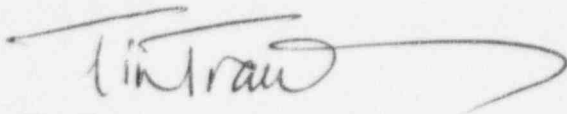
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Attached please find the ISI Examination Summary Report for Refueling Outage Number 18. This report is being sent to you as a submittal to the NRC.

Also, please change the NSP Internal Distribution from Monica Vik to Tin Tran.

Please feel free to contact me at 347-7245 or Tom Jones at 347-7257 if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Tin Tran", with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

Tin Tran
M&SP Engineer

Attachment 1: ISI Examination Summary Report (Refueling Outage #18)